

Essential Services Provided by Pharmalogic Chemist

Pharmalogic Chemist provides the full range of NHS Essential Pharmacy Services under the Community Pharmacy Contractual Framework. These services are available to patients at all Pharmalogic branches.

Pharmalogic Branch Locations

- Pharmalogic Chemist – 464 Ranglet Road, Walton Summit Centre, Preston, PR5 8AR

Note: This pharmacy is a distance selling pharmacy, patients can not access the pharmacy.

- Pharmalogic Chemist – 30 St Mary's Road, Bamber Bridge, Preston, PR5 6TD
- Pharmalogic Chemist – Guttridge Medical Centre, Deepdale Road, Preston, PR1 6LL

All services are provided in accordance with guidance from the National Health Service and regulated by the General Pharmaceutical Council.

NHS Essential Services

List of Essential Services

1. Dispensing of Medicines

Pharmalogic Chemist dispenses NHS prescriptions issued by authorised prescribers. This includes clinical and legal checks, accurate dispensing, appropriate labelling, and providing patients with advice on the safe and effective use of their medicines.

2. Dispensing of Appliances

The pharmacy supplies medical appliances prescribed on NHS prescriptions, such as stoma appliances, catheters, and other listed appliances. Patients are provided with appropriate guidance on their safe use.

3. Repeat Dispensing

Pharmalogic supports repeat dispensing arrangements, including electronic repeat dispensing, to allow patients to receive regular supplies of their medicines without the need for a new prescription each time.

4. Disposal of Unwanted Medicines

Patients can return unwanted or expired medicines to any Pharmalogic branch for safe and appropriate disposal. This helps prevent accidental harm, misuse of medicines, and environmental contamination.

5. Promotion of Healthy Lifestyles

Pharmacy staff provide advice and information to support healthier lifestyle choices and promote public health initiatives. This may include advice on smoking cessation, healthy eating, alcohol awareness, and physical activity.

6. Signposting

Where appropriate, pharmacy staff will direct patients to other healthcare providers or services if their needs cannot be fully met within the pharmacy. This ensures patients receive the most suitable care.

7. Support for Self-Care

Pharmacy staff provide advice and support to help patients manage minor illnesses and self-treatable conditions. Patients may also be advised on suitable over-the-counter medicines and when to seek further medical advice.

8. Healthy Living Pharmacy (HLP)

Pharmalogic Chemist participates in the Healthy Living Pharmacy initiative, promoting health and wellbeing through public health campaigns, patient education, and proactive engagement with the local community.

9. Discharge Medicines Service (DMS)

Pharmalogic Chemist provides the Discharge Medicines Service, supporting patients who have recently been discharged from hospital. The pharmacy works with other healthcare professionals to ensure medicines are used safely and effectively after discharge.