

**Supplementary Statement  
Supplementary Statement to Hartlepool Health  
& Wellbeing Board  
Pharmaceutical Needs Assessment (PNA) 2022**



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This information updates and supersedes information within the Hartlepool PNA 2022 and should be read in conjunction with that document.

**CHANGE TO PHARMACEUTICAL SERVICES - HOURS RECORDED IN THE PHARMACEUTICAL LIST\*:**

**Contractor:**

**Boots UK Ltd, Anchor Retail Park, Marina Way, Hartlepool, TS24 0XR**

The pharmacy will change opening hours as follows:

Pharmacy	Days	Previous total Opening Hours	New total Opening Hours	Opening hours now provided as supplementary* hours
Boots, Marina Way	Monday	07:30-00:00	09:00-21:00	13:00-14:00
	Tuesday	07:30-00:00	09:00-21:00	13:00-14:00
	Wednesday	07:30-00:00	09:00-21:00	13:00-14:00
	Thursday	07:30-00:00	09:00-21:00	13:00-14:00
	Friday	07:30-00:00	09:00-21:00	13:00-14:00
	Saturday	07:30-00:00	09:00-21:00	none
	Sunday	10:30-16:00	10:30-16:00	15:30-16:00
			<b>Weekly total = 104.5</b> of which core hours =100	<b>Weekly total = 77.5 hours</b> of which core hours =72 from 25 September 2023

**Contractor:**

**Boots UK Ltd, Hartlepool Community Health Centre, Park Road, Hartlepool, TS24 7PW**

The pharmacy will change opening hours as follows:

Pharmacy	Days	Previous total Opening Hours	New total Opening Hours	Opening hours now provided as supplementary hours
Boots, Park Road	Monday	07:00-23:00	09:00-21:00	none
	Tuesday	07:00-23:00	09:00-21:00	
	Wednesday	07:00-23:00	09:00-21:00	
	Thursday	07:00-23:00	09:00-21:00	
	Friday	07:00-23:00	09:00-21:00	
	Saturday	07:00-23:00	09:00-21:00	
	Sunday	10:00-17:00	10:00-17:00	
			<b>Weekly total = 101</b> all core hours	

\*There is a distinction between core hours and supplementary hours for the purposes of maintaining the Pharmaceutical List. However, it is the **total opening hours** which shows the days on which and times at which pharmaceutical services will be available to the public in accordance with the Community Pharmacy Contractual Framework.

These contractors will both continue to be identified as a '100 hour pharmacy'. For the avoidance of doubt, the term "40 hour pharmacy" is used to describe any pharmacy that is not, or has never been, subject to the 100 hours condition, irrespective of the total number of core opening hours they may have. The term "100 hour pharmacy" is used to describe any pharmacy that is, or has ever been, subject to the 100 hours condition irrespective of whether they have subsequently successfully applied to reduce their total number of core opening hours.

It is the opinion of the Hartlepool HWB with reference to the PNA 2022 that the changes to availability of pharmaceutical services as a consequence of changes to core hours of both of these pharmacy contractors together creates a potential gap in pharmaceutical services provision that could be met by a routine application to provide core hours at these times (or longer) before 9am and after 6pm Monday to Saturday and for at least these opening times on Sunday. It could also be met by application or notification by existing contractors in Hartlepool.

No change is required to the map of pharmaceutical services providers in this case.

The map and a copy of the pharmaceutical list for Hartlepool may be found on the Health and Wellbeing Board webpage ([link](#)).

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