

Wirral's Health & Wellbeing Board response to correspondence received from NHS England related to Wirral's Pharmaceutical Need Assessment

Date Pharmaceutical Needs Assessment published: 20th March 2018

Date of Issue of Supplementary Statement: 23rd June 2020

Supplementary Statement Number: 69

Type of change: Closure Notice

Details:

Notification of Closure of Boots UK Limited, 3-5 The Rake Precinct, Wirral, Merseyside, CH62 7AD - FLM92

From correspondence:

.." Please note that NHS England and NHS Improvement North West has received notice that **Boots Pharmacy (The Rake Precinct)** will cease to provide pharmaceutical services on the **1st July 2020** and will be removed from the pharmaceutical list for the area of Wirral Health and Wellbeing Board with effect from that date."....

(Note - This contract has been temporarily closed since 24th April 2020 under a Schedule 4 paragraph 27 decision that allows closure or amendment to opening hours in a period of Declared National Emergency. The decision has now been taken by Boots Pharmacy for a permanent withdrawal from the pharmaceutical list (closure) of this contract which will take effect from 1st July 2020.)

This closure is effective from: 1st July 2020

It is the view of NHS Cheshire Warrington and Wirral Community Pharmaceutical Contracts Group that this change to the availability of pharmaceutical services is relevant to the granting of applications referred to in the NHS Act 2006 and the Group is satisfied that a revised Pharmaceutical Needs Assessment would be a disproportionate response.

Date of submission: 22nd June 2020

This supplementary statement to the NHS Wirral's Pharmaceutical Needs Assessment is issued in accordance with paragraph 3D (3) in Part 1A of the NHS (Pharmaceutical Services) Regulations 2005.

Date completed: 23rd June 2020

If you require any further information, please contact John Highton (JSNA Lead – Wirral Intelligence Service, Wirral Council) at johnhighton@wirral.gov.uk

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