

York Health and Wellbeing Board

Supplementary Statement to the York Pharmaceutical Needs Assessment 2025-2028

Supplementary statement issued January 2026

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- Closure of and Transfer of Pharmacy+Health – Green Lane to The Priory Pharmacy with a change of hours.

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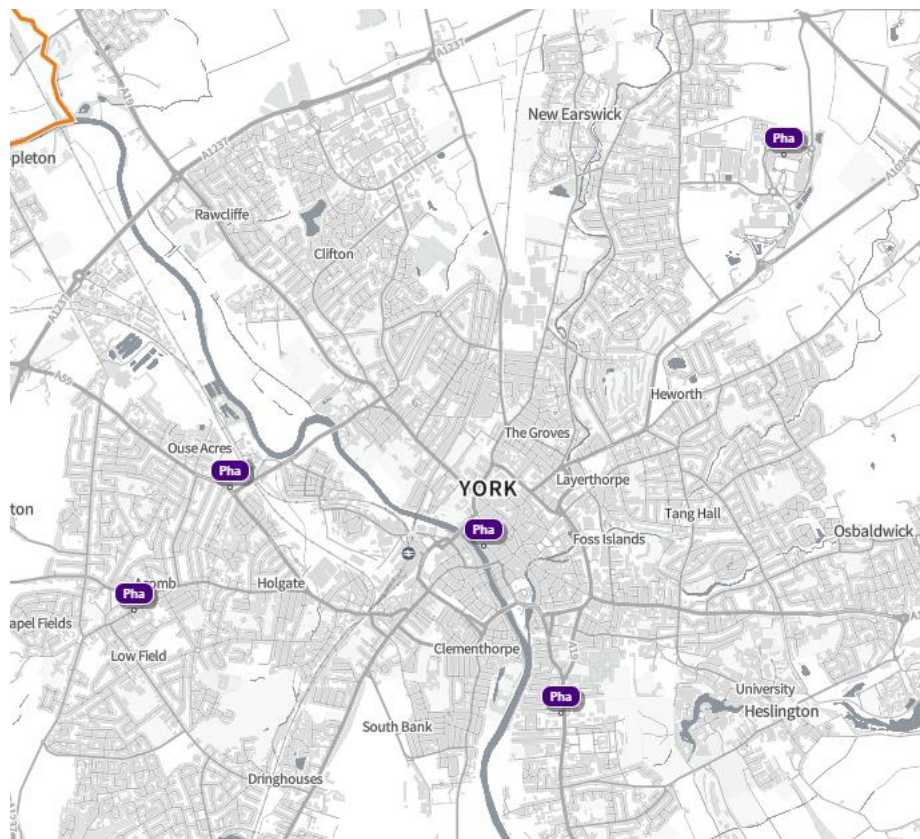
- Change of Ownership of The Priory Pharmacy (100-hour service) with a change of hours.

| Former Hours | Mon | Tues | Weds | Thurs | Fri | Sat | Sun | Total |
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| The Priory Pharmacy, Priory Medical Centre, Cornlands Rd, Acomb, York, YO24 3WX | 08:00-13:00; 14:00-21:00 | 08:00-13:00; 14:00-21:00 | 08:00-13:00; 14:00-21:00 | 08:00-13:00; 14:00-21:00 | 08:00-13:00; 14:00-21:00 | 10:00-21:00 | 09:00-19:00 | 81 hours |
| Green Lane- Pharmacy+Health, 101-103 Green Lane, Acomb, York, YO24 4PS | 08:00-20:00 | 08:00-20:00 | 08:00-20:00 | 08:00-20:00 | 08:00-20:00 | 08:00-20:00 | 10:00-16:00 | 78 hours |

| Revised Hours | Mon | Tues | Weds | Thurs | Fri | Sat | Sun | Total |
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| The Priory Pharmacy, Priory Medical Centre, Cornlands Rd, Acomb, York, YO24 3WX | 08:30-13:00; 14:00-18:00 | 08:30-13:00; 14:00-18:00 | 08:30-13:00; 14:00-18:00 | 08:30-13:00; 14:00-18:00 | 08:30-13:00; 14:00-18:00 | 09:00-13:00 | Closed | 46.5 hours |

Pharmacy+Health at Green Lane offered a needle exchange programme which has not been transferred to the new premises at Cornlands Road, in addition to prescription and pharmacy first services.

The former Priory Pharmacy operated on a 100-hour pharmacy and provided extended opening hours Monday-Sunday at a weekly total of 79 hours. This included a five 12-hour shifts in the week and 21 hours at the weekend. The revised hours have seen weekday opening hours reducing by 29%, and an 81% reduction in weekend hours - operational hours being on Saturday only 09:00-13:00. There is no other pharmacy provision in the area that covers Saturday afternoons and Sundays.



It is our view that the above changes to service provision constitute an unmet need for pharmacy services in this part of the city, in line with section 8.2 point 6 of the current York PNA 2025-2028. We recommend that the ICB considers positively any application for the provision of additional pharmacy hours in the west neighbourhood of the City of York.