

Pharmacy Urgent Repeat Prescription Service (PURM) Medication

In order to reduce the number of patients being referred to community pharmacy for prescription medicines that are not included within the specification of the service; the following describes more common medications that are not included.

The following items are **excluded** from this service

- 1. Schedule 1,2 and 3 controlled drugs (not legally allowed under emergency supply regulations)**
- 2. Schedule 4 and 5 controlled drugs**
3. Any item that has not previously prescribed and currently used.
4. Injections and infusions other than insulin and adrenaline auto injector devices.
5. Unlicensed medicines and specials. (Any medicine that does not have a UK marketing authorisation)
- 6. Antibiotics**
- 7. Pregabalin and Gabapentin.**

Bold areas above are detailed below to identify the more common medications within each category. These do not provide an exhaustive list but does cover the medications more frequently prescribed by out of hours services. (Brand names in brackets).

Appendix 1 provides an alphabetical list of the drugs described below.

Controlled Drugs Schedule 1, 2 and 3

Buprenorphine (Temgesic, Butrans, Transtec, Butec)
Diamorphine
Fentanyl (Durogesic, Mezolar, Fencino)
Midazolam (Hypnoval)
Morphine (MST, Zomorph, Sevredol)
Naloxone (Targinact)
Oxycodone (Oxycontin, OxyNorm, Longtec, Shortec)
Phenobarbital (however a maximum of 5 days treatment can be supplied to patients of UK registered prescribers for the purpose of treating epilepsy only)
Temazepam
Tramadol (Zydol, Tramulief, Zamadol, Tramacet)

Controlled Drugs Schedule 4 and 5

Chlordiazepoxide
Clobazam

Clonazepam
Co-Codamol (Solpodol, Zapain, Migraleve)
Codeine
Diazepam (Stesolid)
Dihydrocodeine (DHC)
Lorazepam
Morphine Solution (Oramorph Liquid)
Pholcodine (Pavacol-D)
Zaleplon (Sonata)
Zolpidem (Stilnoct)
Zopiclone (Zimovane)

Antibiotics- this includes the most commonly prescribed antibiotics

Amoxicillin
Cefaclor
Cefalexin
Ciprofloxacin
Co-Amoxiclav
Erythromycin
Flucloxacillin
Metronidazole
Nitrofurantoin
Trimethoprim
*Antibiotic brand names are not commonly used.

Pregabalin and Gabapentin

Gabapentin (Neurontin)
Pregabalin (Lyrica, Rewisca)

Appendix 1

Amoxicillin	Neurontin
Buprenorphine	Nitrofurantoin
Butrans	Oxycodone
Cefaclor	Oxycontin
Cefalexin	OxyNorm
Chlordiazepoxide	Pavacol-D
Ciprofloxacin	Phenobarbital
Clobazam	Pholcodine
Clonazepam	Pregabalin
Co-Codamol	Rewisca
Co-Amoxiclav	Sevredol
Codeine	Shortec
DHC	Solpodol
Diamorphine	Sonata
Diazepam	Stesolid
Dihydrocodeine	Stilnoct
Durogesic	Targinact
Erythromycin	Temazepam
Fencino	Temgesic
Fentanyl	Tramacet
Flucloxacillin	Tramadol
Gabapentin	Tramulief
Hypnoval	TranstecButec
Longtec	Trimethoprim
Lorazepam	Zaleplon
Lyrica	Zamadol
Metronidazole	Zapain
Mezolar	Zimovane
Midazolam	Zolpidem
Migraleve	Zomorph
Morphine	Zopiclone
MST	Zydol
Naloxone	