Out Of Hours Pharmacy



Community pharmacies play their part in the provision of out of hours (OOH) pharmacy services through extended opening hours, rota services and on-call services. What to do when closed signs are also displayed in the window of your local Pharmacy and pharmacy rotas may be advertised in your local newspaper.

If you require help on a healthcare matter out of hours, call NHS Direct England and NHS Direct Wales on 0845 4647 (or call NHS 111, if it is available in your area) and NHS 24 in Scotland on 0845 242424. NHS Direct (or NHS 111) is available 24 hours a day, seven days a week. It can provide medical advice and details of the best local service that can provide care.