# Bitterne PCN Community Pharmacy Business Continuity Support Plan

Local Pharmaceutical Committee (LPC): Hampshire & IoW (CPSC)					
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NHS England and NHS Improvement Regional Team (Pharmacy Contracts):					
NHS England and NHS Improvement South East					
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# In the event of a pharmacy closure:

- The pharmacy contractor will first contact the NHS England and NHS Improvement regional team and the LPC to notify them of the issue. They should also share information on the issue and the length of time the pharmacy is expected to be closed for with the relevant pharmacies and general practices in the PCN.;
- If a pharmacy is closed and no information on this has yet been received from the pharmacy contractor, in the first instance, contact the pharmacy directly. Use the Escalation contact details only if you are unable to get through to the pharmacy via the usual phone number;
- Beyond the first escalation point, please contact the LPC who may be able to assist; and
- As a last resort, contact the NHS England and NHS Improvement regional team.

# Pharmacy details, escalations, plans and potentially impacted organisations

Pharmacy Details	
Pharmacy Name: Pharmacy Direct	ODS Code: FG654
Address: 18 Commercial Street, Southampton	Postcode: SO18 6LW
Primary contact number in case of closure ( <i>Public</i> ): 023 8044 0	
Escalation Contact (Non-public):	
Arun Sharma 023 8036 0095 or Manager 078 4202 1714	
Top level plan or arrangements in case of unplanned closure:	
deliveries can be processed by Pharmacy Direct in Weston Lane 7700	
Pharmacies that could be affected in the event of an unplanne	d closure:
Pharmacy name: Lloyds Pharmacy	Postcode: SO18 6AP
Pharmacy name: Superdrug Pharmacy	Postcode: SO18 5RR
Pharmacy name:Bitterne Pharmacy	Postcode: SO18 6TG
Pharmacy name: Sangha Pharmacy	Postcode: SO18 5TQ
Top level plan or arrangements in the event of one or more of	the above pharmacies closing:
If one of the above pharmacies was to close the extra w	ork could be taken on by
ourselves. As before the other stores can help with staf	fing to aid with the increased

workload. This is always done to ensure a safe working environment.

## Practices that could be affected in the event of an unplanned closure

Harefield Surgery

**Chessel Practice** 

Bitterne Surgery, Ladies Walk Surgery

# Top level plan or arrangements in the event of one or more of the above practices closing:

111 services online/Phone

Pharmacy Emergency Supply (SCR access if required)

**CPCS** services

Delivery to Patient when prescription arrives.

Minor Ailments service.

**EHC** service

Extra supporting staff from Pharmacy and other branches.

Pharmacy Details					
Pharmacy Name: Superdrug Bitterne	ODS Code: FMN78				
Address:401-403 Bitterne Road, Southampton	Postcode: SO18 5RR				
Primary contact number in case of closure (Public): 023 8044 1842					
Escalation Contact (Non-public):					
Regional Healthcare Manager 074 4639 43411					
Top level plan or arrangements in case of unplanned closure:					

#### Pharmacies that could be affected in the event of an unplanned closure:

Pharmacy name: Bitterne Pharmacy,	Postcode: SO18 6TG	
Pharmacy name: Pharmacy Direct,	Postcode: SO18 6LW	
Pharmacy name: Lloyds Pharmacy	Postcode: SO18 6AP	
Pharmacy name: Sangha Pharmacy,	Postcode: SO18 5TQ	

# Top level plan or arrangements in the event of one or more of the above pharmacies closing:

If additional staff members are needed, team members from the store can support if they are trained • If store staff are not trained to do so, a local Superdrug pharmacy can be contacted for additional staffing support. • We would be able to accept phone calls diverted to our pharmacy number if set up by the pharmacy who has had to temporarily close. • The Drug and Alcohol team will be made aware of the temporary closure and any updates. We will continue to provide support and maintain the provision of the services.

# Practices that could be affected in the event of an unplanned closure

Bitterne surgery

#### **Chessel Practice**

Peartree Practice, Woolston lodge Surgery

## Top level plan or arrangements in the event of one or more of the above practices closing:

- Sharing information with pharmacies in the PCN via the mailing group / telephone
- Check the surgery website.
- Call the surgery for further information or support to continue service provision.
- Sign post patients to other relevant organisations if needed.

ODS Code: FF129				
Postcode: SO18 6AP				
Primary contact number in case of closure (Public): 023 8068 5464				
Escalation Contact (Non-public):				
Staff will be on premises if closed during opening hours 02380 685464				

# Top level plan or arrangements in case of unplanned closure:

These procedures are laid down by head office, they would be responsible for contacting relevent authorities. If the premises is safe then staff would be on site to redirect to alternative pharmacies in the local area (pharmacy direct, bitterne pharmacy, well pharmacy, townhill lloyds).

Further information on wider closures across the company would be a matter for our head office and regional team.

#### Pharmacies that could be affected in the event of an unplanned closure:

Pharmacy name: Pharmacy Direct	Postcode: SO18 6LW
Pharmacy name: Bitterne Pharmacy	Postcode: SO18 6TG
Pharmacy name: Lloydspharmacy Townhill	Postcode: SO18 3RA
Pharmacy name:	Postcode:

# Top level plan or arrangements in the event of one or more of the above pharmacies closing:

Normal business procedures would apply. No arrangements are in place to automatically cover other pharmacies in the event of their closure but systems such as emergency supply legislation and contact with GPs would be used to ensure continuity of care for local patients.

#### Practices that could be affected in the event of an unplanned closure

West end road

Ladies walk

Southampton CGL, Peartree Practice

# Top level plan or arrangements in the event of one or more of the above practices closing:

Our business would operate as normal with any of these surgeries closed. Normal legal provisions emergency supply of medication would come in to effect. Contact details for local out of hours are available in branch. Staff have access to SCR if necessary to provide

safe care.			

Copy and paste additional pharmacy details tables as required.