

Extended Care Services

Extended Care Services should be provided each day, if there is not trained pharmacist available then you must let surgeries know

If pharmacy can't provide service: Onwards referral to another pharmacy provider rather than back to GP.



CPAHW

Proving Tier 1-3 Services in Pharmacy

1. Tier 1-3 service referrals may come through CPCS on PharmOutcomes (PO)
2. If you provide the service (Tier 1, 2 or 3) then enrol patient in service and fill in form during consultation on PO
3. Record supply of products if indicated
4. Label products appropriately and counsel patient. Drug Tariff price of product + vat and £3 professional fee will be claimed against products supplied through service.
5. Seven days later you must do a follow-up call. This is essential to get the £17 payment for the service

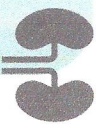


Conjunctivitis treatment for 3 months to 2 years olds

Treatment: advice and chloramphenicol drops/ointment if required

Main exclusions: aged 2 or over (can purchase product) and more severe presentations or ocular complications

UTI for females 16-64



Treatment: nitrofurantoin

Main exclusions: age, gender, pregnant or breastfeeding, flu like symptoms, renal impairment, immunocompromised patients or those with complex multiple morbidities.

Otitis Media Treatment for 3 months to 15 years old

Treatment: Pharmacist uses otoscope to look into affected ear(s). 1st line treatment is pain relief. 2nd line treatment is Otigo.

Main exclusions: age, glue ear, discharge from ear, constant pain, tenderness behind ear, fever over 39°C, hearing loss in one ear, recurrent ear infections over past 6 months, evidence of foreign body in ear, hypersensitivity to active ingredients or excipients in Otigo™



Impetigo

Treatment: 1st line hydrogen peroxide cream, 2nd line flucloxacillin or clarithromycin

Main exclusions: under 1 year old, signs of sepsis, immunocompromised, recurrent infection, severe inflammation, painful lesions, bullous impetigo



Infected Insect Bites

Treatment: flucloxacillin or clarithromycin

Main exclusions: under 1 year old, signs of sepsis or systemic illness, immunocompromised, pregnant or breastfeeding, already taking oral antibiotics, blackening of skin, numbness of skin, facial cellulitis, renal and/or hepatic impairment.

Infected Eczema

Treatment: flucloxacillin or clarithromycin

Main exclusions: under 1 year old, signs of sepsis or systemic illness, severe eczema, immunocompromised, pregnant or breastfeeding, already taking oral antibiotics, significantly inflamed or painful lesions, renal and/or hepatic impairment.

