## **Appendix C**

Non-NHS Services Provided by Community Pharmacists



Community pharmacy contractors, in Harrow, may provide a range of services directly to their customers, which are not commissioned by NHSE, the LA, the CCG or other NHS Services. These are referred to as 'Non-NHS' services within the PNA.

The table below provides a flavour of these non-NHS services, although the scope of the service offered varies from pharmacy to pharmacy.

Customers may be required to pay for some for some of these services; however, others may be provided 'free of charge' as a value added service.

Service	Description of service
Repeat Prescription Services	<ul> <li>Ordering repeat medication from the GP on behalf of the patient (includes a check as to what is required rather than ordering all repeat medicines)</li> <li>Collecting the repeat prescription from the GP</li> <li>Home delivery service</li> </ul>
Health Assessments and Diagnostic Testing	<ul> <li>Blood pressure checks</li> <li>Cholesterol tests</li> <li>Blood glucose tests</li> <li>Body mass index calculation</li> <li>Pregnancy testing</li> </ul>
Travel Services	<ul> <li>Advice on keeping healthy on holiday</li> <li>Sale of 'Over the counter' anti-malarial medication</li> <li>Supply of 'prescription only' anti-malarial medication under a PGD</li> <li>Travel vaccines</li> </ul>
Vaccination	<ul> <li>Seasonal influenza vaccine (e.g. for people who do not meet NHS criteria)</li> </ul>
Erectile Dysfunction service	<ul> <li>Advice and supply of medicines (under PGD) to men who suffer from erectile dysfunction</li> </ul>
Hair loss	Supply of medication (via PGD) for hair loss
Support for Long Term Conditions	<ul><li>Asthma</li><li>Diabetes</li></ul>
Weight management services	<ul> <li>Measurement of BMI</li> <li>Advice on healthy eating, exercise and weight management</li> <li>Lipotrim Programme. This consists of:         <ul> <li>Supply of total food replacement products</li> <li>Set goal for weight loss</li> <li>Weekly pharmacy visits to monitor weight and ketones in urine</li> <li>Support and encouragement to stick to the programme</li> <li>Support with returning to regular meals (plus maintenance products if required</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
Independent Living Aids	Supply of aids to support independent living at home
Training on medicines	<ul><li>GP Registrars</li><li>Care Home staff</li></ul>