



THE LONDON BOROUGH

New Pharmaceutical Needs Assessment

Introduction

- Update on the process for developing the new PNA
- Summarise the key headlines which have emerged and influenced the assessment
- Confirm next steps
- Invite comments on the document from the HWB



Update on the Process

- Draft PNA for consultation was approved by Chair's action on 9 October 2017
- The formal consultation ran from 18 October 2017 until midnight on 20 December 2017:
 - 8 responses were received (NHSE, BBG LPC and 6 community pharmacy contractors)
- PNA Steering Group met on 10 January 2018 and considered all consultation feedback
- The PNA was subsequently updated to reflect the Steering Group Decisions



Key Headlines - 1

- Changes in provision of NHS Pharmaceutical Services
 - A. Minor relocation of Kamson's Pharmacy. This is now co-located with the Oaks Park Medical Centre
 - B. Pending closure of Lloydspharmacy in Croydon on 26 February 2018 (shown as an "out of area pharmacy")
- A supplementary statement has been drafted to describe these change



Key Headlines - 2

- The community pharmacy sector is under immense financial pressure because of the remuneration changes in 2016/17 and 2017/18
- The new PNA identifies opportunities for improvements in pharmacy opening hours; but makes it clear that any additional hours would need to be commissioned



Key Headlines - 3

- The vision is for Community Pharmacy to be transformed into “High Street Neighbourhood Clinics”
- These clinics could offer a combination of NHS, social care and privately funded clinical services, linked to the dispensing of patients’ medicines
- There is a need for strategic integration of community pharmacy at the highest levels of the STP, HWB & CCG will to help secure this transformation



Next Steps

- Incorporate any comments arising from the HWB into the final document
- Approve the supplementary statement
- Publish the PNA and supplementary statement on the Council website



Any comments on the PNA?

