

Enforcement action summary (Conditions)

Pharmacy trading name: Oakleigh Pharmacy

Pharmacy address:

253 Oakleigh Road North, Whetsone, London, N20 0TX

Premises registration number:

1040506

Enforcement action taken:

Conditions on pharmacy premises - (The Medicines Act – Section 74D)

Effective date:

27/11/2020

Premises standards failed:

1.1, 2.2, 4.2 and 4.3 (at the Shore Pharmacy site)

Summary:

This pharmacy business has a number of sites including Shore Pharmacy (1040508) and Oakleigh Pharmacy (1040506). An inspection of these sites on 9 November 2020 found system-wide failures in the operation of the pharmacy which presents a serious risk to patient safety. The risks are heightened by the nature of the services provided including the over-the-counter supply of codeine linctus and promethazine-containing medicines with inadequate risk management and safeguarding in place. The scale and nature of the failings are such that Conditions at both locations are required to protect the safety and wellbeing of the public.

Conditions imposed:

- 1. The pharmacy must not obtain, sell or supply any codeine linctus preparations, with the exception of supplying these medicines against an NHS prescription.
- 2. The pharmacy must not obtain, sell or supply any preparation containing promethazine as the single active ingredient (for example Phenergan) with the exception of supplying these medicines against an NHS prescription.

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