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| Essex Pharmaceutical Needs Assessment (PNA) |
| APRIL 2023- SUPPLEMENTARY STATEMENT TO PNA 2022 |
| SUMMARY STATEMENT   |  | | --- | | Since the publication of the Essex HWB PNA the following changes have occurred:   1. 6 pharmacies have changed ownership 2. 5 pharmacies have closed 3. 13 pharmacies have changed their supplementary hours 4. NHS England have commissioned a new advanced service called the Smoking Cessation Service (SCS) from March 2023     Changes in each locality are detailed in the Supplementary Statements published. | |
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