

<b>Reference:</b>	FOI.9834.22
<b>Subject:</b>	Pharmacy closures
<b>Date of Request:</b>	12 September 2022

**Requested:**

I would like to have information pertaining to:

**The names and addresses of pharmacies which informed their Local Health Board or the NHS that they would not be opening their pharmacy between 1st June 2022 to 31<sup>st</sup> August 2022**

I would like to know the names and addresses of pharmacies which informed their Local Health Board/ the NHS of any closures for the following reasons:

- an unplanned closure for a few hours where there have been local issues
- an unplanned closure due to flooding etc where they may be closed for more than a day
- Planned closures with the 3 months' notice – usually refurbishments etc
- Permanent closures – i.e. the contract has been surrendered
- Closures relating to Covid under the emergency powers, where pharmacies may have closed or amended hours under these powers.
- All of the above or a combination.

With regards dates, the FOI request is in relation to any closures within the time period of **1st June 2022 to 31<sup>st</sup> August 2022** and not closures for the entire time period.

I would be interested in any information held by your organisation regarding my request. I understand that I do not have to specify files or documents and it is the department's responsibility to provide the information I require. If you need further clarification, please contact me by email.

I would like the information to be emailed to me in electronic form. I would like the data

Contractor Code	Name of pharmacy	Address	Postcode	Date of closure (DD/MM/YY)	Duration of closure (please specify exact closure times given by contractor)	Reason given by contractor for closure

presented in tabulated format, according to the table below please:

**Response:**

Hywel Dda University Health Board (UHB) provides the information requested, within the attached spreadsheet, at Attachment 1.

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