

Your pharmacist has always been there for you, providing front-line access to health care. And now that's truer than ever, because your pharmacist can offer you seven new services, from extending prescriptions to prescribing medication for minor conditions.

LEARN ALL ABOUT THE NEW SERVICES!

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

WHY MIGHT I HAVE TO PAY FOR THESE SERVICES AT THE PHARMACY, BUT NOT AT THE HOSPITAL OR MEDICAL CLINIC?

The government has decided that these services are covered by your prescription drug plan, not by the public health insurance plan. That means you may have a deductible or copayment, depending on your prescription drug plan. You may therefore have to pay something at the pharmacy.

HOW IS THE COST OF THESE SERVICES DETERMINED?

The cost of these services has been set by the government, and it's the same for all patients across Quebec.

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WHO COULD SAVE YOU A VISIT TO THE MEDICAL CLINIC?

YOUR PHARMACIST

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PRESCRIBING MEDICATION WHEN NO DIAGNOSIS IS REQUIRED

Head lice

Emergency oral contraception and subsequent hormonal contraception, if desired

Pregnancy-related nausea and vomiting

Folic acid and vitamin supplements before and during pregnancy

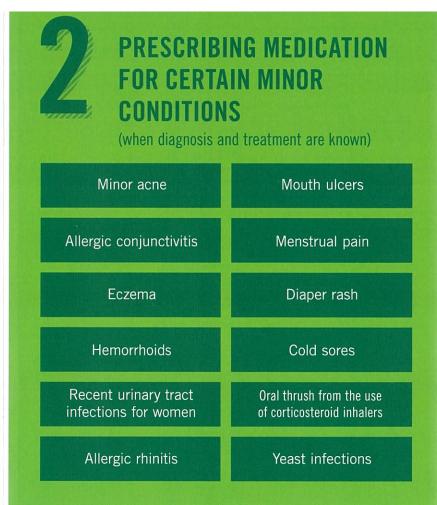
Prevention of diarrhea, malaria, and altitude sickness for travellers

Smoking cessation aids

Antibiotic prophylaxis for valve patients and cytoprotective prophylaxis for at-risk patients

SUBSTITUTING
ONE MEDICATION
FOR ANOTHER IN
CASE OF SHORTAGE

* In all cases, your pharmacist meets with you and analyzes your situation and patient record. Some restrictions may apply depending on your condition.





EXTENDING DOCTORS'
PRESCRIPTIONS SO
THAT TREATMENT IS
NOT INTERRUPTED

PRESCRIBING
LABORATORY TESTS AND
ADJUSTING TREATMENT
AS NECESSARY



ADJUSTING PRESCRIPTIONS

Making adjustments to achieve your treatment objectives:

- High blood pressure, dyslipidemia, hypothyroidism, non-insulin-dependent diabetes, migraines (prophylactic treatment), anticoagulant therapy, insulin-dependent diabetes
- ✓ Adjusting the type, frequency, quantity, and/or dosage of a medication

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ADMINISTERING
MEDICATION
TO DEMONSTRATE
ITS PROPER USE

(e.g., subcutaneous, intramuscular, inhaled)