

Repeat Prescriptions

Regarding prescription may I draw you attention to on-line options, I am familiar with 'Echo' - Lloyds Pharmacy. (there is an App). It may be of value to some of our parishioners.

If less familiar, to set up you need to register, on-line, with your doctor's surgery. They send out a Registration letter which contains a **Linkage Key** and **ODS code** and **Account ID**, which you will need to register with 'Echo' or similar.

Once set up you can order repeat prescriptions on-line and they are delivered free to your address. Service also provides an e-mailed reminder when you are getting low on an item and need to re-order.

You need to order well in advance, seems to be taking about a week from ordering to delivery.

Works well, a lot more convenient and safer than dropping off repeat slip at doctors and then having to go in again to collect etc. All involving coming into contact with people.

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