

**TEMPLATE FOR ASSESSMENT
OF CURRENT PROVISION OF SERVICES**

ASSESSMENT OF CURRENT PROVISION – Hours of Service								
Locality	Early Morning	A.M.	Lunch	P.M.	Early Evening	Late evening	Saturday	Sunday

What is the extent to which services in each locality already offer a choice?

What is the extent to which there is sufficient choice of providers in each locality?

What is the extent to which current service provision in each locality is adequately responding to the changing needs of the community it serves?

Is there a need for specialist or other services, which would improve the provision of, or access to, services such as for specific populations or vulnerable groups?

Are pharmaceutical services less accessible to particular age groups?

Are pharmaceutical services less accessible to people with disabilities?

Are pharmaceutical services less accessible to people of a particular gender e.g. are there adequate arrangements for privacy in pharmacies?

Are pharmaceutical services less accessible to people of a particular race or culture? e.g. where poor language/translation skills/services may create a barrier

Are any pharmaceutical services less accessible to people who are pregnant?

Statement of extent of adequacy of current provision of pharmaceutical services noting any apparent gaps and apparent unmet needs:

A copy of the template above was used to collect information that was drawn from the PNA about each individual locality. A decision was then made about adequacy of current provision of pharmaceutical services and any apparent gaps and unmet needs were highlighted.