## **ADVICE FOR PATIENTS**



## PRESCRIBING CHANGES

The following products are not available on prescription in Wakefield from 1st MAY

- Sunscreen for skin protection from UV radiation
- Cream for unwanted facial hair and other products that are mainly for cosmetic purposes
- Emollient (moisturiser) for minor skin conditions
- Camouflage products e.g. make-up for port wine stain birthmarks
- Multivitamins, where no specific deficiency has been identified
- Expensive brands of medicines if a suitable 'generic' alternative is available which costs less.

Please pick up a leaflet which will inform you why these products are no longer being prescribed.

If you need advice about any medicines please contact your community pharmacist.



