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Oulton Medical Centre - Tier 3 Weight Management Policy

- At Oulton Medical Centre we are supportive of patients seeking support for weight management. We are happy to make appropriate referrals within the NHS.
- We recognise that the NHS Tier 3 Weight Management service in Leeds is not currently accepting new referrals and some patients may choose to seek referral to alternative providers via the Right to Choose referral process.
- With reference to medication on the NHS for weight loss, there is currently no shared care agreement in Leeds for prescribing medications purely for weight loss (except for Orlistat). For this reason we are unable to enter into shared care agreements for provision of weight loss medications.
- Should a local shared care agreement be made available, we would endeavour to continue medication supply on an NHS prescription only following treatment initiation and stabilisation by a CQC inspected and CQC certified specialist Consultant-led Weight management service who have provided suitable and clear instructions about treatment and monitoring. This is subject to the appropriate ongoing monitoring taking place by a CQC inspected and CQC certified specialist Weight Management service and the availability of those medications locally at any given time.
- We would provide baseline investigations in-line with what the local NHS Weight management service would ask for. We reserve the right to decline to do monitoring or investigations if these would not be standard protocol within the local NHS Weight Management service.
- Treatment on the NHS will only be considered if it is recommended within its licensed dose, form, and indication. This is for patient safety and to remain within our prescribing competencies.