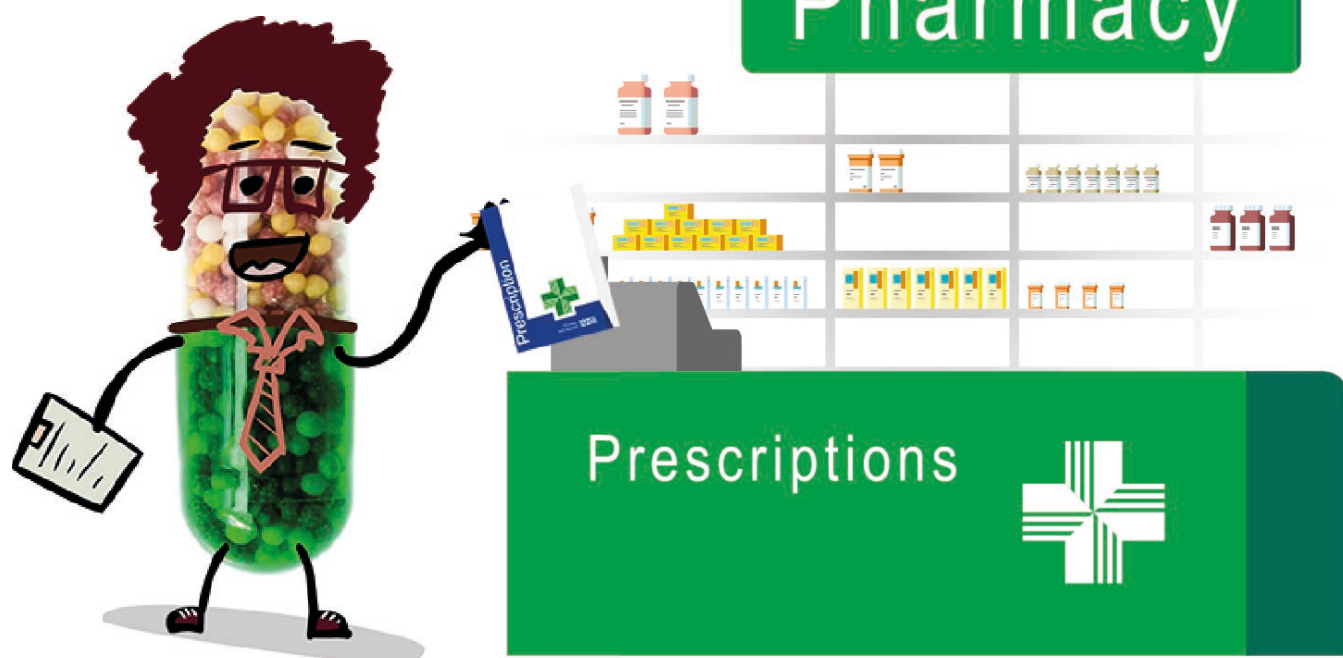


# Did you know that...



- Once you leave the pharmacy even unopened medicines must be destroyed? **Check your prescription bag when you are still inside the pharmacy.** You can return any unwanted medicines to the pharmacist.
- Taking medication doesn't have to be a burden? **Don't be afraid to ask for support taking your medicines.** Your community pharmacist can suggest ways or aids to help you.
- Sometimes medicines can give you side effects or interact with other medicines you are taking? If this happens **it is very important that you tell your doctor** so they can help you.
- You don't need to order all the items on your repeat prescription? **Only order the items you need.** Don't worry - all of the medicines will still be available for you to order the next time.



Everyone has a part to play  
to reduce medicines waste

