

# FREE PRESCRIPTIONS

*If you tick 1 or more of the criteria below then you may be entitled to free or reduced cost towards prescriptions, dentistry, opticians and more.*



- A.  60 or over
- B.  Under 16
- C.  16 to 18 and in full-time education
- D.  Are pregnant or have had a baby in the previous 12 months and have a valid maternity exemption certificate (MatEx)
- E.  Have a specified medical condition and have a valid medical exemption certificate (MedEx)
- F.  Have a continuing physical disability that prevents you going out without help from another person and have a valid medical exemption certificate (MedEx)
- G.  Hold a valid war pension exemption certificate and the prescription is for your accepted disability
- H.  Are an NHS inpatient

*You're also entitled to free prescriptions if you or your partner (including civil partner) receive, or you're under the age of 20 and the dependant of someone receiving:*

- I.  Income Support
- J.  Income-based Jobseeker's Allowance
- K.  Income-related Employment and Support Allowance
- L.  Pension Credit Guarantee Credit
- M.  Universal Credit and meet the criteria

If you're entitled to or named on:

- N.  **Valid NHS tax credit exemption certificate** – *if you do not have a certificate, you can show your award notice. You qualify if you get Child Tax Credits, Working Tax Credits with a disability element (or both), and have income for tax credit purposes of £15,276 or less*
- O.  **Valid NHS certificate for full help with health costs (HC2)**
- P.  **People named on an NHS certificate for partial help with health costs (HC3) may also get help**