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<Date>

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<Patient Name>

<Patient Address>

Dear < insert patient name >

Important information about your repeat prescription for Vitamin B supplements

In line with good clinical practice, we regularly review the medicines we prescribe to ensure that we are prescribing in line with national guidance. We have recently reviewed patients who are prescribed **vitamin B supplements** to ensure that they are only prescribed where there is clinical justification for doing so.

We have reviewed your prescription for vitamin B supplements and are pleased to inform you that you no longer need to take these, therefore we have removed them from your repeat prescription.

There is no clinical need for you to continue to take vitamin B supplements however some patients may decide they would like to continue taking them, if this is the case, they can be purchased from a health food shop or pharmacy.

Should you require more information about this, please contact the Contact Us Team at nwicb.contactus@nhs.net , they will be able to put you in contact with the appropriate person.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, consisting of several overlapping loops and a final flourish.

**Dr Andrew Douglass MBBS MRCGP
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