

Unit 5: Going to the Chemist **Answer Key**

1. Warm Up: **students own discussion and answers**

2. Vocabulary:

Match the word & meaning

pharmacist – **the person who dispenses medicine**

prescription - **a note from the doctor allowing you to buy medicine**

medication – **drugs or medicine to treat an illness**

chemist – **a place where you go to get your medicine**

generic brand – **cheaper brand**

immediately – **straight away**

healthcare card – **government concession card**

twice – **two times**

Medications

			
tablets	drops	lozenge	cream
			
ointment	syrup	spray	capsules

3. Listen & sequence Dialogue 1

Pharmacist: Good morning.

Customer: Oh hi, good morning.

Pharmacist: Do you have a prescription?

Customer: Yes, yes.

Pharmacist: Is this for you or someone else?

Customer: Oh no, it's for my son.

Pharmacist: Have you been here before?

Customer: Ah...no.

Pharmacist: Okay, I will need your Medicare card and Healthcare card, if you have one.

Customer: Oh, okay. Here you go.

Pharmacist: Thanks Mrs Jones. Are you happy with the generic brand?

Customer: Yes, that's okay.

Pharmacist: Okay, that will be ready in about ten minutes

4. Listen & Answer Dialogue 2

1. Jones
2. Son
3. No
4. Twice a day
5. Before food
6. Until they are all finished

5. Grammar: Giving instructions

- Take
- Press
- Apply
- Measure
- Put

6. Read the medicine label

A. Name: **Feel Better Allergy Tablets**

For: **allergies**

How many: **2 tablets each time / 6 tablets a day**

When: **3 times a day**

Read the medicine label

B. Name: **Cough No More**

For: **chesty coughs and runny noses**

How many: **10 mls each time / 20 mls each day**

When: **morning and night / twice a day**

7. Pair work: scrambled sentences

1. **Do you want the generic brand?**
2. **How much do I take?**
3. **Who is this medicine for?**
4. **Can I help you?**
5. **How often do I take them?**
6. **Are you allergic to anything?**
7. **Is this suitable for adults and children?**
8. **Do I need to take them with food?**
9. **What symptoms do you have?**
10. **Are there any side effects?**

Customer: **Q 2, 5, 7, 8, 10**

Chemist: **Q 1, 3, 4, 6, 9**