

Pharmacy in the Media



The position taken by the IPU at a recent session of the Oireachtas Agriculture Committee in relation to the proposed law requiring a veterinary prescription to buy antiparasitic drugs was covered in a number of publications. The **Irish Independent** and **Farmers Journal** both highlighted our opposition to the measure as did Northern Ireland Veterinary Today.

Kathy Maher spoke to **Newstalk Breakfast** about the impact of medicine shortages on pharmacy and patients (skip to 00:15:00). Newstalk also covered Kathy's contribution to their

website **here** and **here**. The IPU also contributed to an Irish Mail story on medicine shortages which was also picked up by **Extra.ie**.

Pharmacist, Michael Tierney was interviewed by Wicklow's East Coast FM about how the shortage of pharmacists is having an impact on pharmacy opening hours locally and nationwide.