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Pharmacy and GP Surgery Bridge the Gap

Due to the collapse of the bridge at Tadcaster, many residents who live on the west bank of the river have been cut off from essential medical services provided at the Tadcaster Medical Centre which is located on the east bank.

Realising this, Calcaria Pharmacy, 7-9 High Street, Tadcaster, LS24 9AP, situated on the west bank, is working with local GPs based at Tadcaster Medical Centre to host GP Surgeries in its pharmacy consultation room.

Charles Fox, Pharmacist, and owner of Calcaria Pharmacy said, "We have many people on the west bank now cut off from accessing essential medical services and opening up our consultation room for GPs to use, just seemed like the right thing to do. As the weather begins to get colder, many people, especially the elderly, would put off going to see their doctor because of the bridge closure. By facilitating the service on the west bank, we can ensure that these people still have access to their GPs."

This is good example of NHS medical services working together to 'bridge the gap' and ensure that the community of Tadcaster is not without its essential medical services in its hour of need.

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