

Unit 15 — At the Pharmacy



Absorb

to take in or be received by chemical interaction

"The cream is absorbed directly into the skin."

Active ingredient

the chemically active part of a drug

"Benadryl's active ingredient is diphenhydramine."

Contraindications

something which makes a particular course of treatment inadvisable.

"Most drugs contain a list of contraindications on the instructions."

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