

# Media release

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## **Andermatt to get a chemist's again – search for staff has begun**

**Andermatt is to get a chemist's again during the second half of 2023. It will be located in the Edelweiss building on Piazza Gottardo in Andermatt Reuss. This development has been made possible thanks to funding from multiple sources.**

Andermatt's population has long expressed its need for a chemist's. The increase in the number of guests and owners of apartments in Andermatt Reuss has highlighted the need for a chemist's even more. This is why Andermatt Swiss Alps together with the community of Andermatt and the canton of Uri has decided to open a chemist's on Piazza Gottardo in Andermatt Reuss. The plan is for it to open during the second half of the current year.

Andermatt Swiss Alps, the Municipality of Andermatt and the Canton of Uri are contributing to the start-up funding and operation. Together, these contributions will enable guaranteed operation over the next few years.

Andermatt Swiss Alps AG will operate the chemist's. Andermatt Swiss Alps AG will have the drugstore managed by a subsidiary with the aim of becoming independent in the medium term. Qualified personnel is now being sought for the company, which is indispensable for its openings. The chemist's is to be open six days a week. Andermatt Swiss Alps will be provided with specialist assistance from the chemist's chain Swidro.



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## Andermatt Swiss Alps AG – Welcome home

Andermatt Swiss Alps AG, based in Andermatt, plans, builds and develops the year-round destination of Andermatt. Construction of the Andermatt Reuss facility, offering apartment buildings, hotels and chalets, has been underway since 2009. The Andermatt Swiss Alps Group owns the hotels The Chedi Andermatt and Radisson Blu Reussen, an 18-hole, par-72 championship golf course, as well as the Andermatt Concert Hall. With Andermatt-Sedrun Sport AG (SkiArena Andermatt-Sedrun, the gastro brand Mountain Food, sports shop Gleis 0, and the Swiss Snow Sports School Andermatt) and its majority shareholder Vail Resorts, Inc., a close partnership is in place for the destination's development. Vail Resorts, the world's biggest operator of ski resorts, and Andermatt Swiss Alps are together pursuing the vision of becoming "The Prime Alpine Destination". At the same time, they are committed to an intact environment and a future worth living in, and to providing future generations with an exceptional home. In peak season, Andermatt Swiss Alps and Andermatt-Sedrun Sport AG employ over 1,000 people at locations in Altdorf, Andermatt and Sedrun. Andermatt Swiss Alps AG is 51 per cent owned by Samih Sawiris, with the remaining 49 per cent belonging to Orascom Development Holding AG.

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