

The Good Practice

NEWSLETTER



WELCOME

We do hope you are coping in these challenging times and would like to reassure you we are here for you.

Please do keep using our e consult, video and telephone consultation systems. This has made the care and treatment of our patients much safer and we are able to treat many more people.

All our doctors, nursing and administration staff are here every day working for the whole community.

FLU VACCINATION CLINICS

We have begun our flu clinics and are sending out invitations to all eligible patients in the next few weeks.

This year we will not be running a drop in clinic but by invitation only. We do urge everyone who is eligible to respond and have the vaccine. We have measures in place here at the practice to keep all our patients and staff safe.

Routine Health Screening

We are continuing to carry out routine health screening for Diabetes, Asthma and Mental Health. Please do get in touch if you need any of our services.

Join us for a virtual coffee!



THANK YOU

Our very first virtual coffee morning was a great success and I would like to send special thanks to our Patient Participation Group for initiating this. If you can get on line and would like to join in the Zoom chat the details are:

<https://bit.ly/3hWVHI9>

Meeting ID: 706 860 4877

Passcode: coffee

Everyone is welcome and you can chat about health issues or anything you wish.

When it is safe to resume face to face meetings we will be holding the coffee mornings in the surgery.

Dr Hammond and all the team

Immunisations for Children

During the Covid outbreak we, and other practices, have continued to provide children's vaccinations. We are all agreed that we must continue to prevent the spread of infections, such as measles, which has been increasing as immunisation falls. If your child is due to have their vaccinations, please do keep your appointment. We are also still offering catch up vaccinations for those who missed their measles vaccinations in the past.

Patients waiting for Cervical Screening

Our cervical screening programme is back up and running and we are keen to ensure all our patients who need a smear test are seen. If you still haven't been to see us please do call the surgery to book an appointment. It is vital to your health.

We can also offer weekend appointments on Flood Street behind the town hall if this is easier for you. Just call and our receptionists can book you in. Thank you.

