



Abbottwood Medical Centre Patient Newsletter

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September 2018

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Between (9am-12)

Doctors

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Dr Alison Atkinson
Dr Kath Thomas
Dr Peter Evans
Dr Craig Embley
Dr Paula Baxter
Dr Rachel Purves

The Surgery opening hours are:

Monday to Friday 8am - 6.30pm (Dispensary opens at 8.30am - 6.30pm)

We are open for **on the day** Doctors appointments during the above hours. Additional surgery times are listed below:

Monday or Tuesday evening surgery	6.30pm - 7.30pm	(bookable in advance)
Wednesday morning surgery	7.00am - 8.00am	(bookable in advance)
One Saturday per month	8.00am - 10.00am	(bookable in advance)

Please give us as much notice as possible if you need to cancel your appointment. This will give us the opportunity to use the time for other patients. Thank you.

If you would like to receive a copy of this Newsletter direct to your email account, then please sign up by accessing our website at:

www.abbottwoodmedicalcentre.co.uk

and clicking on the 'subscribe to newsletter' button.

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Tea and Talk

The surgery runs a monthly group for patients to get together for a chat with tea, coffee and biscuits supplied. We would like more patients to join us.

Perhaps you are new to the area or would like to meet new people?

Our meetings from October will start at 11am and will typically be on the 4th Thursday of the month. They are held at the Sports Club on Defford Road.

If you would like to join us, please come along to our next meeting on the 25th October or ask at reception for more information.



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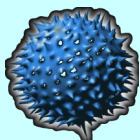
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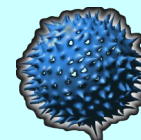
BECAUSE THERE'S ONLY
ONE YOU

Come in We're **OPEN**

We are pleased to say that our front doors are now fixed and therefore access to the surgery is back to normal. Thank you for your patience over recent weeks



FLU CLINICS 2018 - DATES/TIMES



(subject to vaccine delivery)

THESE WILL BE DROP IN CLINICS AT THE SURGERY - NO APPOINTMENT IS
NECESSARY

ALL ELIGIBLE PATIENTS PLEASE COME TO ANY OF THE CLINICS

Tuesday 2 nd October	12.00pm - 1.00pm
Friday 5 th October	5.00pm - 6.00pm
Tuesday 9 th October	12.00pm - 1.00pm
Thursday 11 th October	5.00pm - 6.00pm
Saturday 13 th October	9.00am -11.30am
Tuesday 16 th October	12.00pm - 1.00pm
Thursday 18 th October	5.00pm - 6.00pm
Tuesday 23 rd October	12.00pm - 1.00pm
Thursday 25 th October	12.00pm - 1.00pm
Saturday 27 th October	9.00am -11.30am
Tuesday 30 th October	5.00pm - 6.00pm

This year there are different vaccines for different age-groups, and this will mean that you will be asked which age-group you fit into when you attend the drop-in sessions. Thank you for your co-operation and understanding.

You are invited to a

free open afternoon

12 noon – 3pm on Sunday, 21st October, 2018

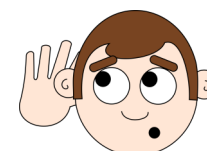
at St Richard's Hospice, Wildwood Drive, Worcester WR5 2QT (free parking on-site)

Walk around our homely hospice and beautiful grounds and find out about our free care and support. View progress to date on our Build 2020 expansion and redevelopment.

Tea and cake will be served along with information on volunteering and fundraising.



**St. Richard's
Hospice**
CARING FOR LIFE



When calling to book an appointment for ear-syringing, we are now able to book into specific clinics with the HCA for this to take place. Before booking into the clinic our reception staff will give you advice on how to prepare for the appointment and alternatives to ear syringing that may be available from your local chemist.

Please be aware that our appointments are limited and there may be several weeks wait before we are able to offer you one within a clinic.



Please book via
www.strichards.org.uk/event/srhopenafternoon
or call Isobel Mathews on 01905 763963 to reserve your space.
We look forward to welcoming you. www.strichards.org.uk
Registered charity No. 515668

**DO YOU HAVE A NEW MOBILE PHONE? HAVE YOU RECENTLY MOVED HOUSE? PLEASE UPDATE US
WITH YOUR NEW CONTACT INFORMATION AS SOON AS POSSIBLE**