



# HEALTH MATTERS

## COVID SPRING BOOSTERS

### CLINIC DATES FOR NORTHLANDS PATIENTS

Sat, 22nd April 8.30 am-1.30 pm  
Sat, 13th May 8.30 am-1.30 pm

#### WHO CAN HAVE THE COVID SPRING BOOSTER?

COVID-19 is more serious in older people and in people with certain underlying health conditions. For these reasons, people aged 75 years and over, those in care homes, and those aged 5 years and over with a weakened immune system are being offered a spring booster of COVID-19 vaccine.

#### BOOKING YOUR APPOINTMENT

All patients registered with a mobile number will be sent an invite via our clinical system (Systmone) which invites you to book your appointment by clicking on a link and inputting your date of birth. This is a trusted link being sent by the surgery. Please do not worry if you do not have or do not regularly use a mobile; we will call you. You can also book by calling the surgery on 01249 812141 or email [wccg.northlandscovidvac@nhs.net](mailto:wccg.northlandscovidvac@nhs.net)

You should have your booster at least 6 months after your last dose of vaccine.

If you have recently had Covid, please allow 28 days before your Covid booster.

#### ATTENDING YOUR APPOINTMENT

Please only attend if you feel well.

Please avoid parking at the surgery.



Patients are kindly requested to come 'jab-ready!', ie to ensure your time in the surgery is as brief as possible, please arrive on-time and wear a sleeveless or loose-fitting top. We will have a one-way system through the surgery in operation - our wonderful volunteer marshals will help direct you to the right place.

North Street  
Calne  
Wiltshire SN11 0HH  
Tel: 01249 812141  
[www.northlands-surgery.co.uk](http://www.northlands-surgery.co.uk)

#### Covid Working:

We continue to ask patients to wear face masks to protect themselves and others when attending for appointments at the surgery. We are unable to supply these and ask that you bring your own.

#### Opening Times:

Visit the Surgery Monday - Friday:  
8.30am - 6.00pm

Or telephone between:

8.30am - 5.30pm

Or 24/7 via Online Access to make/cancel appointments, order repeat prescriptions, access your medical record etc at a time to suit you.

#### Surgery Times (by appointment):

Monday - Thursday

8.30am - 12.30pm

2.00pm - 6.00pm

6.30pm - 8.00pm

Friday

8.30am - 12.30pm

2.00pm - 6.00pm

#### Out of Hours Service: I I I

#### Our Doctors:

Dr R Leach MA BM BCh MRCPG DRCOG

Dr E Tully MB BCh BAO DFRSH MRCPG

Dr N Ware MB BS BSc DRCOG MRCPG

Dr J Dalton BM MRCPG DFRSH DCH

Dr N Abel BM BS MRCPG

Dr T Chambers BSc MBChB DRCOG MRCPG

Dr L Garnham MB ChB

Dr J Burton MB ChB

#### Trainees:

Dr E Burke MB BCh

Dr I Pierry MB ChB

Dr C Isaac MB MS

Dr K Chatar MD

#### Our Nurse Practitioners:

Advanced Nurse Practitioner: Anita Peake

Advanced Nurse Practitioner: Charlotte King

Nurse Practitioner: Kathy Lenehan

#### Our Pharmacy Techs:

Katy Griffin Sharon Hunt

#### Our Care-Coordinator:

Steph Coulson

#### Our Community Connectors:

Liz Denbury Veronica Shaw

#### Our First Contact Physios:

Tom Hirst

#### POD

(Prescription Ordering Direct)

tel: 0300 3035090 or email:

[bswccg.podemergency@nhs.net](mailto:bswccg.podemergency@nhs.net)

When you have finished reading the Newsletter, please leave it in the Waiting Room for others to read. Thank you.

## Are you #Easterready?



GP surgeries will be closed over the Easter weekend and some pharmacies will have reduced opening hours. Make sure you order and collect your repeat prescriptions in plenty of time



If you need health advice or treatment over Easter, remember you can visit a local pharmacy for advice on minor health problems, visit NHS Choices online or call 111 if you're unsure where to go for help



You don't have to visit A&E for minor sprains, burns or cuts. Go to your nearest Minor Injuries Unit instead, or call 111 if you're unsure where to go for help



Call 999 for all emergency conditions but for less serious ailments consider visiting your local pharmacy, Minor Injury Unit, NHS Choices online or dial 111

**EASTER CLOSURE TIMES**  
Fri, 7th April - Closed  
Mon, 10th Apr - Closed