

The Hungerford Surgery

NEWSLETTER
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SURGERY NOTICES

HAVE YOU HAD YOUR FLU JAB?

Book in today if you are:

- **Over 65**
- **Pregnant**
- **A carer (please see overleaf)**
- **Have certain medical conditions (speak to a member of our team if you are unsure)**

Please note: We are now open from 8AM-6.30PM

QOF Update

Have you recently had a review for your long term condition?

*It is extremely important that you have regular reviews for diseases such as **Asthma, Diabetes, COPD, Hypertension** etc. so if you haven't seen the nurse or the GP for a recent check-up, please call the surgery to book or book with our receptionists now.*



labelling appointments

Please can you ensure to contact the surgery on **01488 682507 option 5** if you cannot attend.

Appointments are very precious to us as and it is crucial these are cancelled.

In December we had 99 appointments wasted!!

Please cancel

ONLINE SERVICES

Have you registered for our online services?

Its easy!!

Please come to the surgery and collect a form, it takes minutes to fill in. It will give you the access to make online appointments with your GP, request your repeat medication, add or change contact details and send queries to our reception team.

You will need: Passport **OR** Driving Licence to sign up.



Updating your Smoking Status

Please give the surgery a call on 01488 682507 to update us with your smoking status or there is a form on reception that you can fill in and hand to one of our reception team.

It is very important that we hold up to date information on your records.

ARE YOU DUE A SMEAR TEST?

IF YOU THINK YOU ARE DUE A SMEAR TEST PLEASE GIVE THE SURGERY A CALL ON 01488 682507 AND BOOK IN.

AVERIL IS HOLDING 2 CLINICS ON THE FOLLOWING SATURDAYS:

SATURDAY 9TH FEBRUARY (9AM-11AM)

IT IS VERY IMPORTANT YOU BOOK AN APPOINTMENT TO HAVE YOUR SMEAR AS AROUND 1 IN 20 WOMEN THE TEST SHOWS SOME ABNORMAL CHANGES IN THE CELLS OF THE CERVIX.

FULL STAFF MEETINGS

Please note that we have full staff meetings on the following dates:

Monday 4th February

Monday 4th March

Monday 1st April

1 pm—2 pm CLOSED

During this time kindly note there will be NO STAFF at reception.

CANCER SUPPORT GROUP

For people affected by cancer and/ or their carers and loved ones, past or present.

WHEN?

2-4PM

On the last Tuesday of the month

WHERE?

The Riverside Suit

Bear Hotel

Hungerford

RG17 0EL

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