

# Ecclesfield Group Practice

## Practice Newsletter

Welcome to the latest issue of our Practice newsletter.

**Help us, help you!**

Community pharmacies can offer treatment for seven common conditions without patients needing to see a GP, as part of a major transformation in the way the NHS delivers care.

Highly trained pharmacists at more than nine in ten pharmacies can now assess and treat patients for **earache, impetigo, infected insect bites, shingles, sinusitis, sore throat, urinary tract infections (UTIs) for women aged 16-64** - without the need for a GP appointment.

Available on the high-street, community pharmacy teams have the right clinical training to give people the health advice they need, with no appointment necessary and private consultations available. Community pharmacists will signpost patients to other local services where necessary.

By expanding the services community pharmacies offer, the NHS is aiming to help free up GP appointments and give people more choice in how and where they access care.

Don't wait for minor health concerns to get worse – **THINK PHARMACY FIRST** and get seen by your local pharmacy team.

**For more information, visit [nhs.uk/thinkpharmacyfirst](https://www.nhs.uk/thinkpharmacyfirst)**



**March 2024**

[www.ecclesfieldgp.co.uk](http://www.ecclesfieldgp.co.uk)

### Useful Numbers

Northern General Hospital (0114) 243 4343  
 Royal Hallamshire Hospital (0114) 271 1900  
 Sheffield Children's Hospital (0114) 271 7000  
 Weston Park Hospital (0114) 226 5000  
 Charles Clifford Dental Hosp (0114) 271 7800

### Pharmacies

LO's Pharmacy (Mill Road)	(0114) 246 9383
LO's Pharmacy (Margetson)	(0114) 232 1741
Asda Pharmacy (Chapelton)	(0114) 246 1146
The Wicker Pharmacy (Wicker)	(0114) 272 7676
Boots (Meadowhall)	(0114) 256 8011
Co-op Pharmacy (Thorpe Hesley)	(0114) 257 1557
LO Pharmacy (Chapelton)	(0114) 246 7320
Morrison's Pharmacy (Ecclesfield)	(0114) 246 6874
Rowlands Pharmacy (Bevan Way)	(0114) 246 2636
Well Pharmacy (Grenoside)	(0114) 245 0021
Seven Hills (Wincobank)	(0114) 242 5785
Pharmacy to U (Patient Line)	(0113) 265 02 22

## STAFF TRAINING

The practice will be closed for staff training one afternoon a month from 1.00pm. Should you need a doctor during this time, please telephone the surgery number and your call will be dealt with by the GP collaborative.

The next PLI date is: **Wed 6th March**



### LONG TERM CONDITION REVIEWS

If you are invited by the practice to book in for a review of your long term condition, please book in and ensure you attend this appointment

Thank you

## Ecclesfield Group Practice

Appointment Report for: **February 2024**



Total Number of patients registered at Ecclesfield Group Practice & Margetson Surgery

8649



Patients seen by the GP, practice nurse, health care assistant and other health care professionals at the surgery

4673



Total calls answered by the reception team

3200+



Patients who were seen at home

89



Patients who did not attend their appointments

154

We also provide appointments to patients via the Sheffield GP Hubs. The hub appointments are in addition to the appointments provided at the practice and are not included in the above figures.

If you are unable to attend an appointment, please remember to cancel it. Thank you



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### Margetson Surgery

(Branch site)  
 1 Remington Avenue,  
 Parson Cross,  
 Sheffield S5 9PA  
 (Same number as above)