

How well does this GP surgery meet your needs?

This questionnaire will take you just 10 minutes to complete



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For each question please tick the answer that best matches how you feel about the surgery.

There are no right or wrong answers. Please use the full range of options – it is important for the surgery to know your opinion even if it is very negative.

There is a space at the end of the questionnaire where you can write additional comments if you want to explain any of your answers in more detail, or have anything else you would like to say.

Getting an appointment

1 How easy is it for you to get in touch with the surgery to make an appointment?

- Very easy
- Quite easy
- Not very easy
- Not at all easy
- Don't know

2 How easy is it for you to get an urgent appointment on the same day?

- Very easy
- Quite easy
- Not very easy
- Not at all easy
- Don't know

3 How easy is it for you to book an appointment in advance, for a time that suits you?

- Very easy
- Quite easy
- Not very easy
- Not at all easy
- Don't know

4 How easy is it for you to get to see your preferred doctor?

- Very easy
- Quite easy
- Not very easy
- Not at all easy
- Don't know

5 How easy is it for you to get to see a doctor or nurse of your own sex, when you want to?

- Very easy
- Quite easy
- Not very easy
- Not at all easy
- Don't know

6 How easy is it for you to get to see a doctor or nurse who speaks your language, or to arrange for an interpreter?

- Very easy
- Quite easy
- Not very easy
- Not at all easy
- Don't know / not applicable

7 How easy is it for you to get a home visit, when you need one?

- Very easy
- Quite easy
- Not very easy
- Not at all easy
- Don't know

8 How easy is it for you to get a telephone consultation, when you want one?

- Very easy
- Quite easy
- Not very easy
- Not at all easy
- Don't know

How the reception staff treat you

9 Are the reception staff friendly?

- Yes, very
- Yes, to some extent
- No, not very
- No, not at all
- No opinion

10 Are the reception staff willing to try their best to help?

- Yes, very
- Yes, to some extent
- No, not very
- No, not at all
- No opinion

Using the surgery

11 How easy is it for you to get around the building?

- Very easy
- Quite easy
- Not very easy
- Not at all easy
- No opinion

12 How easy is it for you to use the facilities at the surgery (e.g. the waiting area, toilets, baby changing room)?

- Very easy
- Quite easy
- Not very easy
- Not at all easy
- No opinion

13 How easy is it for you to talk to receptionists without being overheard?

- Very easy
- Quite easy
- Not very easy
- Not at all easy
- No opinion

14 How easy is it for you to know when it is your turn to be seen by the doctor or nurse?

- Very easy
- Quite easy
- Not very easy
- Not at all easy
- No opinion

15 How good is this surgery at helping you to feel at ease while you are waiting?

- Very good
- Quite good
- Not very good
- Not at all good
- No opinion

16 How good is this surgery at providing information in a form that you can understand (e.g. translated or Easy Read information leaflets)?

- Very good
- Quite good
- Not very good
- Not at all good
- No opinion / not applicable

Helping you organise your ongoing care

17 How good is this surgery at helping you keep up-to-date with your healthcare (e.g. sending you reminders about appointments, letting you know what you need to do next)?

- Very good
- Quite good
- Not very good
- Not at all good
- Don't know / not applicable

18 How good is this surgery at making it easy for you to get repeat prescriptions?

- Very good
- Quite good
- Not very good
- Not at all good
- Don't know / not applicable

19 How good is this surgery at helping to organise your healthcare with hospitals (e.g. letting you know test results, chasing hospital letters)?

- Very good
- Quite good
- Not very good
- Not at all good
- Don't know / not applicable

20 How good is this surgery at helping you to get any other health or community services that you need (e.g. family planning, counselling, physiotherapy, social services, support for housing applications)?

- Very good
- Quite good
- Not very good
- Not at all good
- Don't know / not applicable

Providing a service that suits you

21 Thinking about your own needs and personal circumstances, do you feel that this surgery provides a service that suits you well?

- Yes, completely
- Yes, to some extent
- No, not really
- No, not at all
- No opinion

Listening to patients

22 How good is this surgery at encouraging patients to make suggestions about what the surgery could do better (e.g. a suggestion box, website feedback form)?

Very good

Quite good

Not very good

Not at all good

Don't know

23 How good is this surgery at listening to patients' suggestions and complaints?

Very good

Quite good

Not very good

Not at all good

Don't know

Please tell us about anything this surgery does particularly well to meet your needs:

Please tell us how this surgery could be better at meeting your needs. You can also use this box to explain any of your other answers in more detail:

About you

The following questions will help us to see how well the surgery meets the needs of different groups of people. This will help the surgery provide a better service for everyone.

The questionnaire is completely confidential, and the surgery will not be able to link your answers to you as an individual. **If there are any questions you would strongly prefer not to answer, please leave them blank.**

1 Would you describe yourself as:

Male

Female

2 How old are you?

Under 18

18 to 24

25 to 34

35 to 44

45 to 54

55 to 64

65 to 74

75 to 84

85 or over

3 Which of these groups do you belong to?

A White

English / Welsh / Scottish / Northern Irish / British

Irish

Gypsy or Irish Traveller

Any other White background

If other, please write in

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B Mixed / multiple ethnic groups

White and Black Caribbean

White and Black African

White and Asian

Any other mixed / multiple ethnic background

If other, please write in

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C Asian / Asian British

Indian

Bangladeshi

Pakistani

Chinese

Any other Asian background

If other, please write in

.....

D Black / African / Caribbean / Black British

African

Caribbean

Any other Black / African / Caribbean background

If other, please write in

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E Other ethnic group

Please write in

.....

4 Do you have any of the following conditions (please tick any that apply)?

Deafness or hearing impairment

Blindness or visual impairment

A condition that limits your ability to carry out basic activities, (e.g. walking, climbing stairs, lifting or carrying)

A learning disability

A long-standing mental health problem (e.g. depression, bipolar)

Any other long-standing illness (e.g. diabetes, epilepsy, cancer)

5 Which of these describes what you are doing at present?

Full-time paid or voluntary work (30 hours or more each week)

Part-time paid or voluntary work (under 30 hours each week)

Full-time education at school, college or university

Unemployed

Long-term sick or disabled

Fully retired from work

Looking after the home

Other

6 Are you a carer for anyone with an ongoing health problem or disability?

Yes

No

7 Would you consider yourself to be:

Heterosexual / straight

Gay / Lesbian

Bisexual

Other

I would prefer not to say

8 Would you say that English is your first language (please tick any that apply)?

Yes

No

Bilingual / multi-lingual

If no, what is your first language?

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9 Are you a deaf person who uses sign language?

Yes

No