

MICKLEOVER SURGERY

SUMMER 2023 NEWSLETTER

ANNUAL FLU VACCINATION CLINICS

Annual Flu Vaccination clinics will be held at the practice from September 2023 onwards for those eligible for the annual influenza vaccine. Patients who are eligible will be notified nearer the time of the clinics. Eligible patients include:

- Those aged 65 years and over
- Those aged 6 months to under 65 years in clinical risk groups
- Pregnant women
- Those in long-stay residential care homes
- Carers
- Close contacts of immunocompromised individuals

REPEAT PRESCRIPTIONS

There are 2 ways to order your repeat prescriptions: -

1 – Telephone the Medicines Order Line (MOL) on 01158 550 260

2- Sign up for Patient Online Access and order them online

We do not accept requests for medication over the telephone or in person at the surgery.

When you are due for a medication review you will be asked to book an appointment with the practice pharmacist before you order your next prescription.

APPOINTMENTS

Alongside the 30 plus on the day triage appointments offered, the practice now increased its appointment capacity by introducing routine telephone appointments, which can be pre-booked up to 2 weeks ahead.

BANK HOLIDAY CLOSURE

The practice will be closed on Monday 28th August. If you need medical assistance whilst the practice is closed please ring NHS 111

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PRACTICE WEBSITE

The address for the practice website is <https://www.mickleoversurgery.co.uk>

Our website can be used to contact us for several things, which may save you a phone call or visit to the practice, including:

- Requesting a sick note
- Ordering a prescription
- Updating your contact details
- Direct link to Swiftqueue to book a blood test appointment

Our website also includes information and advise on how to treat some minor illnesses and injuries, please see the Treatment Centre tab.

The Wellbeing Centre tab gives links to help with several things including stopping smoking and weight management.

Please have a look at our website as it does contain lots of useful information.

NHS HEALTH CHECKS

The NHS Health Check is a check-up for adults in England aged 40 to 74 who do not have a pre-existing health condition. It can help spot early signs of stroke, kidney disease, type 2 diabetes or dementia.

Further information on the NHS Health Check can be found at <https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/nhs-health-check/> Please contact us to book an appointment with the Health Care Assistant.

CONTACT DETAILS

Are your details still up to date? If you have changed your address or phone number recently please remember to inform us. You can do this via our practice website or alternatively ask at the reception desk for a form to update your details