

Welcome to Bridge and Monkseaton Medical Practice. **Please fill in this questionnaire as carefully as possible and hand it to the receptionist.** This information is in addition to the *Register with a GP Surgery* form included in this pack, please complete both with as much detail as possible.

**Please tick a box below to indicate your 'preferred site':**

Monkseaton Medical  
Centre  
Cauldwell Avenue  
Whitley Bay  
Tyne & Wear  
NE25 9PH  
**0191 252 1616**

Bridge Medical  
Shiremoor Resource  
Centre  
Earsdon Road  
Shiremoor  
NE27 0HJ  
**0191 253 2578**

You will be seen at your preferred Practice. Some Health Care Professionals work across both sites and some clinics may be offered at the other Practice (i.e., minor surgery, women's health clinics, mental health and wellbeing coordinators).

The information in this form is part of your STRICTLY CONFIDENTIAL medical records.

**If you take medication regularly, please ensure that you have at least 1 months' supply of your medication from your previous GP practice.** It can take a while for your medical records to be transferred to your new GP practice.

If you have an ongoing disease or are at risk of heart problems and eligible for a NHS Health Check, our nursing team will contact you and invite you for an appointment.

We would like to register you for online services to enable you to order prescriptions online and book appointments online. You will need to show photographic ID to a member of staff if you wish to do this.

### Controlled Drugs Policy

Please note it is the policy of this practice not to prescribe high doses of morphine or opiates and issue repeat prescriptions for medicines which can be addictive. Examples of these drugs have CD after their name, but also include benzodiazepines, 'z' drugs, painkillers and gabapentin. Patients taking these medicines will be contacted by a member of the pharmacy team to discuss reducing and stopping these medicines.

### Visits Policy

We encourage patients to attend the surgery whenever possible as home visits, whilst convenient, offer a poorer standard of care compared to surgery consultations (see the practice leaflet or website for more information). However, GPs do offer visits for:

**Terminally ill patients** – we have no problems at all seeing those who are at most clinical need

**Truly bedbound patients** – we have no problems seeing those who are confined to bed

**So poorly would be harmed if moved** - we have no problems at all seeing those who are at most clinical need.

Please tick here to say that you have understood the visit policy Yes [ ]

Electronic Data Sharing (please refer to the patients guide in your welcome pack)

If you choose to decline electronic data sharing, you can opt out at [www.nhs.uk/your-nhs-data-matters](http://www.nhs.uk/your-nhs-data-matters)

## Personal Details

Title: \_\_\_\_\_ Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

## Personal History

Who else is living in your household now? (e.g. wife, children, elderly relatives):

\_\_\_\_\_

In your household, are there any:

Foster children? [ ]

Adopted children? [ ]

Children subject to a special guardianship order? [ ]

If yes, please provide Names and DOBs below:

\_\_\_\_\_

What is/was your occupation? \_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever lived outside of the UK? Yes [ ] No [ ]

If yes, what time periods were you out of the UK? \_\_\_\_\_

Refugees, asylum seekers and other migrants can register with the practice. Those patients with no fixed abode can temporarily register with us for 3 months.

Are you a refugee, asylum seeker or other migrants? Yes [ ] No [ ]

Are you currently pregnant? [ ] [ ]

If yes, please see our reception team for a pregnancy pack.

Admin: Pregnancy pack given? [ ] [ ]