



NHS Health Checks

Everyone Health has been commissioned by Staffordshire County Council to provide the NHS Health Check to those aged 40-74 within community locations across Staffordshire.



The NHS Check includes a BMI and Blood pressure check, along with an instant results, finger prick cholesterol test and pre-diabetes indication test. The full check lasts 20-30 minutes.

The service is free of charge and there are regular weekly clinics taking place at numerous locations around Newcastle-under-Lyme.

Appointments can be pre-booked by contacting;

Everyone Health Staffordshire
0333 005 0095
eh.staffs@nhs.net

Carrie Stockley, the new Wolstanton Practice Manager provides us with a few words following her first few months at the practice;

"I started at Wolstanton Medical Centre on 2nd January and was very lucky to be able to have a handover with the very experienced Lynne Cooper before her retirement at the end of March. I have 10 years' experience of Practice Management, having been the Practice Manager at Rising Brook Surgery, Stafford, for 10 years and Chadsmoor Medical Practice, Cannock. I hope with my experience and listening to the voice of the patients, we can shape the practice in line with the new GP Contract, changes and challenges that we face. I welcome the opportunity to work with everyone at Wolstanton and look forward to a happy future with you all."



"We all live with the objective of being happy; our lives are all different and yet the same."

— Anne Frank



IF YOU ARE UNABLE TO MAKE THE STAIRS TO SEE A CLINICIAN, PLEASE ADVISE RECEPTION AT TIME OF BOOKING.

THANK YOU





Academic General Practice (AGP) Update

Look out for these new Research studies recruiting participants from the practice;

- 'We've got your back' – a back pain study
- Panda-S – a shoulder pain study

If you would like to know more about research, we are setting up a new Research PPG, if you are interested in joining please drop us an email to;

academicgp.wolstanton@keele.ac.uk

Thanks for your participation!



What's new?

- New door numbers have been added to all consulting rooms.
- We will soon be decorating! There will be a colour scheme for each waiting area.
- Peter Magee, a new full-time Physician Associate.
- Victoria Silverwood, an academic GP.

Physician Associates support doctors in the diagnosis and management of patients, in a similar way to the Advanced Nurse

Practitioners.

They are able to see patients and carry out home visits and have the full support of the GPs.

Why not join Wolstanton's Patient Participation Group (PPG)?



Meetings take place monthly and all welcome!

Complete a PPG Contact Slip for more info...

This season our PPG Group have been finding out about...



RESEARCHERS IN RESIDENCE

A 'Researcher in Residence' scheme is active at Wolstanton Medical Centre. This involves researchers from Keele University visiting the practice, being introduced to a 'day in the life of general practice' and shadowing various members of the healthcare team. This experience will enrich the researchers' learning and help to ensure that future research is focused and deliverable.

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