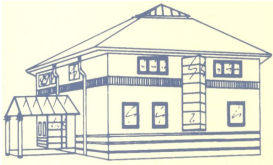


Garden Lane Medical Centre

Patient Newsletter

GLMC



TRAINING DAYS

Tuesday 27th
June

Tuesday 27th
July

Tuesday 22nd
August

The Medical Centre will be closed to allow protected time for staff training
In an emergency please telephone NHS 111

*Hayley Pashley
Practice Manager
June 2017*



HELP US REACH 100!

Help us to reach 100 Likes on our Facebook page.

We feel this is a fantastic platform for communicating regularly with our patients.

We publish various notifications weekly about practice news, local campaigns and other updates.

Please view our Facebook page and 'like' us.

We also have a Twitter Account @GardenLaneMC.

Please follow us.



ELECTRONIC PRESCRIPTIONS DIRECT.

There are numerous ways that we at the practice try to quickly & efficiently provide services to our patients. One way is to eliminate the need for paper prescriptions to be printed and instead they go Electronically direct to your local pharmacy. This is often a much quicker way of getting your prescription to the pharmacy rather than relying on pharmacies coming to collect paper scripts.

If you would like more information regarding this or would like us to set up for your prescriptions to go electronically in the future please enquire with one of the receptionists.

PATIENT ONLINE ACCESS

BOOKING APPOINTMENTS

The practice has appointments reserved for patients to book themselves online. This includes Doctors, Nurse (including Asthma & Smear Appointments as well as Phlebotomy appointments.

REQUESTING PRESCRIPTIONS

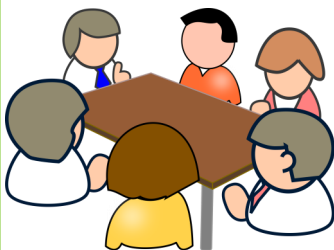
Rather than having to make special trips to the surgery just to request your prescription did you know you can request them online at home. It is a very straight forward service to use once set up. You may be asked to verify your identity when you sign up and you will need your own email address.

To sign up to either of the above services please speak to Reception who will happily assist.

PATIENT
GROUP
MEETING

The next PPG meeting will be held on **Wednesday 21st June**

The Patient participation group allows patients to engage with the practice and become more involved. If you would like to join please contact the surgery for more details.



E-CONSULT

eConsult is an increasingly popular alternative way of accessing the doctor or our administration team.

You can access this through the surgery website using your computer, tablet or mobile phone.

You fill in a simple online questionnaire and we will get back to you within 48 hours. We have had some fantastic patient feedback regarding this since it started.

To sign up to receive our Patient Newsletter by email each time it is published, simply go onto our website (as below), click on the icon 'subscribe to the email edition of our practice newsletter'. You will be asked to provide your email address and will then receive a confirmation email validating your registration. Each time a new Patient Newsletter is published you will then automatically be sent a copy via your email.