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Welcome to Highfield Surgery

Please complete the Registration and Health Screening Forms as fully as possible as this information will help us with your medical care until we are able to obtain your medical records from your old GP. After completion please hand the forms to the receptionist.

### **New Patient Medical**

If you fall into one of the following categories you will be required to attend a New Patient Medical. You should make sure that you have booked an appointment for your medical within one month of completing these registration forms. You can book your appointment at reception or you can call the surgery on 01253 345328. We would appreciate it if you called between the hours of 6.00pm and 8.00pm Monday to Thursday as the phones are quietest during this time.

The groups of patients who are required to attend for a **New Patient Medical** are:

- All patients aged over 40 years
- All patients under 40 years who suffer from a Chronic Disease (i.e. Diabetes, Heart Disease, Asthma, COPD)

### **Patients on Regular Medication**

If you are on regular medication you will be required to see one of our doctors so that they can authorise the repeat prescribing of your medication. Please note that we will only supply one month's repeat medication using the old request form from your previous GP. After this no more medication will be issued until you have been seen by a doctor. Speak to the receptionist before you leave the surgery to book an appointment.

*If you fall into one of the above categories and we note that within one month of completing your registration forms you have not made an appointment for either a New Patient Medical or to see a doctor we will assume that you no longer wish to continue with your registration application and will cancel your forms.*