**Our Nursing Team**

Our Nursing Team include:

* Practice Nurses
* Health Care Assistants
* Phlebotomist (for blood tests).
* ***PLEASE NOTE:*** *Advanced Nurse Practitioners (ANPs) and Nurse Practitioners (NPs) are NOT part of the nursing team and should NOT be booked for Nursing Team appointments.*

**About Reviews every year with the Nursing Team**

* If you have or used to have one of these conditions we will invite you to a review every year with our Nursing Team. The review will help you to stay as well as you can be.
* Please call our **Review Booking Line 01273 224685 when you are invited**.

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| Asthma |
| Cardiovascular disease / Stroke / Heart problems / Atrial Fibrillation |
| Dementia |
| Diabetes |
| HIV |
| Learning disability |
| Problems with your lung function (COPD) |
| Mental illness |

* We will contact you near your birthday.
* We may ask you to book a blood test or see a Health Care Assistant before seeing a Nurse.
* We may ask you to fill out a form or bring a sample of urine (wee).
* If you have more than one condition we may review them together.

**Other appointments to book with the Nursing Team**

• Appointments marked **\***can be booked Online and on our 24 hour Telephone Auto Attendant.

• *For all other Nursing Team appointments it is very important to speak to a Receptionist. This is because different Nursing Team appointments need different staff and different lengths of time, and may have special instructions.*

***Telephone 01273 770555. Choose Option 2 (Reception), then Option 2 (Appointments)****.*

**\***Child Immunisation – you will receive an invitation from the surgery

**\***Blood tests – only book when asked to by an NHS doctor or nurse

12 hour Blood Pressure – only book when asked to by an NHS doctor or nurse

**\***Cervical Screen – you will receive an invitation from the NHS

Contraception / Family planning including:

Long lasting Contraceptive Coil (IUS and IUD)

Long lasting Contraceptive Injection

Long lasting Contraceptive Implant

Contraceptive Pill (You do not need an appointment for a *repeat* prescription of the Pill).

Emergency contraception after unprotected sex

Cap / Diaphragm

Vaginal Ring

Condoms

Diabetes

Wound Dressings

Doppler test and Compression bandages for Legs

Ear syringe

ECG-by invitation

**\***Flu vaccine – available from September

Health check (NHS) for patients over 40 – when invited

Health check for newly registered patients

Healthy lifestyle advice

Injections & Immunisation for older children and adults (for instance ACWY, Zoladex, B12)

Ring pessary change

Sexual health advice – you may need to go to Sexual Health Clinic for a full Sexual Health Screen

Stitch / Clip removal

Stop Smoking

Spirometry (lung function check) – when asked to book

Travel advice and vaccinations (limited NHS service only, 6 weeks before travel). You may need to go to a Pharmacy for malaria pills and to a Private Travel Clinic for some vaccinations.

Vaginal swab