

# GREENBANK SURGERY

By the Partners.... for the Patients 1/3/2015

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## GP Appointments

Do you struggle to get an appointment with the GP?

You are not alone – this is unfortunately a national problem. We are making every effort to attempt to try and keep up with demand.

We ask that you as a patient consider self help/pharmacy advice/over the counter medication for minor ailments prior to seeking advice or an appointment with a GP.

If you do book an appointment and cannot attend please ring the surgery 01925 631132 or text to cancel 07729459804 so we can offer the appointment to someone else.

Why not visit our Website [www.Greenbanksurgery.com](http://www.Greenbanksurgery.com) has lots of useful minor ailment and self help information.

## Evenings & Weekend Appointments

Additional routine non urgent GP appointments are now available at Bath Street Health & Wellbeing Centre are now available between 6pm-8pm weekdays and 8am-8pm at weekends.

If you are unable to book an appointment or one at a time convenient to you please ask the receptionist about these additional appointments at Bath Street.

For all urgent problems we offer the 8-10am daily drop in (except Thursdays) and telephone triage advice throughout the week.



## Want to Stop Smoking?

Make a positive change to your Health and Financial Wellbeing and stop smoking in 2015.

Smoking 20/day means you will smoke 7300 cigarettes/year

That's around £3000/year

A friendly Lifestyle Team Advisor can help you achieve your goals - contacted them on Freephone 03000030818

Or visit

[www.quitnow.smokefree.nhs.uk](http://www.quitnow.smokefree.nhs.uk)

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