



Tadley Medical Partnership – Winter Newsletter December 2017

People News

We welcome Tricia, Karen and Sue to the reception team. They work at both surgeries.

Our Practice Manager, Alison Jenner, left us at the end of November after being with us for 27 years. Her wealth of experience in general practice, and previously in banking, has been a huge asset and she will be greatly missed. Her role will be covered by a management team led by Gill Herbert the Practice Business Manager. Gill has been with the Practice for 18 years and has deputised for Alison on many occasions so we shall be in safe hands.

Our opening times over Christmas and the New Year will remain unchanged apart from Christmas Day, Boxing Day and New Year's Day when both surgeries and dispensaries shall be closed.

If you need the services of a pharmacy on these days:

Christmas Day 25 December:

10.00 – 12.00

SR Pharmacy, 4 Kings Furlong Centre, Winchester Road, Basingstoke RG21 8YZ
01256 460930

14.30-16.30

Fastfare Pharmacy, Unit 3 Abbey Road, Popley, Basingstoke RG24 9ES
01256 357637

Boxing Day 26 December 10.00 – 16.00

New Year's Day 1 January 10.00 - 17.00

Lloyds in Sainsburys, Mulfords Hill, Tadley RG26 3JE
0118 9061111

Please Note - Doctor's appointments from **27 December to 5 January** will all be "book on day" only and cannot be booked in advance. There will be pre-bookable nurse and blood test appointments available during this period.

When we are closed

If you need medical assistance when we are closed please call 111. For life threatening emergencies please dial 999.

Repeat Prescription Answerphone Service

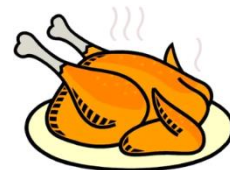
Please note that this service will be withdrawn on 1 January 2018. From that date you can order repeat prescriptions online by signing up for online access to your medical records. Not only will this enable you to order your repeat prescriptions but you will be able to book and cancel appointments, view results, allergies, immunisations, medication, letters, consultations and problems. Application forms are available on our website tadleymedical.co.uk or at either surgery. You will need to complete the form and bring in to either surgery with photo id. If you do not have internet access you can continue to order your repeat prescriptions by completing the form that is attached to your medicines and dropping it off at either surgery or posting it to us.



Staff at both surgeries have so far raised £180.00 for **Tadley First Responders** by holding two “Christmas Jumper” days and selling raffle tickets for donated prizes.

New Year’s Resolutions

If, like most of us, you overindulge over the Christmas period you might be interested in joining a local walking group. It’s a gentle way to improve your fitness, make new friends and enjoy your local open spaces. It’s totally free and you can get all the details at www.walkingforhealth.org.uk or by contacting Elinor Gold, Wellbeing Officer 01256 845284 or by email healthwalks@basingstoke.gov.uk



Dr Adler and the rest of the team at Tadley Medical Partnership send you and yours our very best wishes for Christmas and the New Year.

