

# GILBERDYKE HEALTH CENTRE NEWSLETTER



December 2025



## Christmas and New Year Closures

**The surgery will close for Christmas at 6.30pm on Wednesday 24 December 2025 and reopen at 8am on Monday 29 December 2025. We will close on at 6.30pm on Wednesday 31 December 2025 for the New Year bank holiday and reopen at 8am on Friday 2 January 2026.**

The Doctors and staff would like to wish all patients a Happy Christmas and a safe and healthy New Year.

FOR URGENT **MEDICAL ADVICE** PHONE **111**  
FOR **MEDICAL EMERGENCIES** PHONE **999**

### Dispensary

Please do not request medication early for Christmas unless your collection date falls on Christmas Day, Boxing Day or New Years Day. If you request extra medication – your request may well be refused (unless genuine reason). The extra requests cause additional pressure on both our team and stock levels. Please allow 7 days for collection.

### Online prescription requests

We have noticed that more patients are ordering their medication using the online prescription ordering service. This is the best way to order as minimises any errors. However, please do not use this facility for anything other than the ordering of medication. This will ensure your query is not missed and is dealt with more efficiently.

### Contact Phone Numbers

Please could we remind patients to update any phone numbers that have recently changed. It is important to keep patient records up to date.

### Flu Vaccinations

The Doctors would like to thank all patients that supported the surgery by having their flu vaccinations with us. Not only does it help to keep you healthy, but it also generates funding for the practice, so we are able to offer more clinics to vaccinate the elderly population that are unable to travel elsewhere to get vaccinated. Please contact the surgery if you would still like to have your flu vaccination (Eligibility restrictions apply)