

Extended hours to general practice in Western Cheshire ROUTINE PRE-BOOKABLE APPOINTMENTS Wrenbury Medical Centre

- **Service**

Western Cheshire Primary Care Trust has developed a primary care book-ahead service that will offer **all patients**, registered with a Western Cheshire GP practice, the opportunity to book a **routine** appointment with a GP or a Practice Nurse outside of usual GP practice opening hours.

Appointments will be bookable up to two weeks in advance.

Patients are able to ring to book an appointment on 01244 385422 between 8:00am-6:00pm.

The service will be provided by local GPs and Practice Nurses, many of whom may already work for the Out of Hours service.

- **Clinics**

The clinics will operate between:

6:30pm-8:00pm Monday to Friday
10:00am-12:00noon Saturdays

The clinics will operate from:

St Martin's clinic, Chester
Ellesmere Port Hospital
Helsby health centre (Mon-Tue only)
The Rookery, Tattenhall (Wed-Sat only)

- **Records and information**

The clinicians providing the service will have access to the clinical summaries on the Primary Care Trust shared electronic health record (Graphnet). Information regarding the consultation with patients will be transferred back to the practice via Adastra. The clinicians will also have access to Choose and Book to make referrals.

- **Exclusions**

This service will **not** provide:

- chronic disease annual reviews.
- childhood vaccinations/immunisations.
- IUD fitting