



# CORNBROOK MEDICAL PRACTICE

Your Manchester GP Care Provider

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## WELCOME TO THE PPG

- Hello, this is the June issue of Cornbrook's PPG newsletter
- We will be updating you on changes to the practice
- There will be an accompanying survey so you can give feedback on these issues
- If you have any suggestions for the PPG then please let me know

## APPOINTMENTS AND ACCESS

We have opened our third site!

This is in New Jackson Medical Centre, which is a few minutes away from the City Road site, just off the Mancunian Way, Chester Road, Roundabout.

Appointments are available to book now, Faith Pharmacy are also able to see patients there

## ONLINE SERVICES

Our website provides lots of information on our services and links to online consultation - if you have internet access this may be the best way to contact us

<https://www.online-consult.co.uk/org/cornbrook-medical-practice>

We have aimed to make the website as accessible as possible and have the option of changing language, text size etc through userway.

## GROUND RULES

- The PPG is not a forum for complaints and personal issues
- Open and honest communication applies at all time
- Respect for the practice and patient confidentiality must be held at all time
- Discrimination on any ground will not be tolerated

## STAFF UPDATES

Dennis has joined our reception team. Shahana and Abi have sadly left the practice.

Nursing associate Alexa Harrison has now gone on maternity leave.

## CORNBROOK WELLBEING GARDEN

Gardening sessions Fridays 1-3, all welcome to attend!

Lots of fruit and vegetables now growing including tomatoes, pumpkins, beetroot, strawberries, raspberries and redcurrants.



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## BOWEL CANCER SCREENING

- NHS bowel cancer screening checks if you could have bowel cancer. It's available to everyone aged 60 to 74 years.
- The programme is expanding to make it available to everyone aged 50 to 59 years. This is happening gradually over 4 years and started in April 2021.
- You use a home test kit, called a faecal immunochemical test (FIT), to collect a small sample of poo and send it to a lab. This is checked for tiny amounts of blood.
- While this is not something that is managed by the practice we want to know if people are experiencing barriers to this and if there is anything we could do to improve uptake
- If you are eligible for this and have not taken up the offer, please can you me know why

## CORN BROOK COMMUNITY

Manchester Central South Foodbank - The Wesley Centre 07842 093922 / 0161 226 3413  
Community Grocers  
The Aquarius Centre 07305 325 369

We are going to be arranging for the local councillor Annette to have surgeries at the practice, this will allow her to speak to more people in the community. This is likely to start after the summer.

Please send me information of any interesting events/ services.

The NHS is promoting the NHS app which gives you more information and control of your healthcare and records, for example to order prescriptions. Please can you let me know your experiences of using this as we understand it isn't accessible for everyone.

- Phone 0161 872 8129
  - for the PPG gmicb-mh.ppg.cornbrookmedicalpractice@nhs.net
  - practice email gmicb-mh.cornbrookmedicalpractice@nhs.net
  - referrals gmicb-mh.referralscornbrookmedicalpractice@nhs.net

You are no longer able to request prescriptions via email, please do this via the NHS app or your pharmacy unless otherwise arranged.