Southport & Formby 7-Day GP Service

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Who are we and what do we offer?

If you're registered with a GP Practice in Southport or Formby then you have access to our 7 Day GP service. We offer routine, pre-booked appointments during the evening and weekends.

Opening Times:

- Monday Friday, 5pm-9pm, Saturday 9am-5pm and Sunday 9am-1pm.
- Address: The Family Surgery, 107 Liverpool Road, Birkdale, Southport, PR8 4DB
- Accessibility: Wheelchair access, lift, hearing-loop device and disabled parking



What types of appointments do we offer?

- GP consultations
- Advanced Nurse Practitioner consultations
- Mental Health Specialist Nurse consultations
- Physiotherapy telephone triage and face-to-face appointments
- Practice nurse chronic disease reviews:
 - Asthma checks
 - Diabetes
 - Hypertension/blood pressure checks
- Cervical screening tests
- Blood tests
- Echocardiograms (ECGs)
- Ear syringing



Key Information: How do you access this service?

- Contact your own GP Surgery and ask for an appointment with the 7-Day Service.
- You can call your practice during any opening hours and not just 8am!
- Our service offers all appointments 2 weeks in advance.
- We are not an out of hours service and do not offer emergency or walk in appointments.
- We offer appointments during bank holidays.
- We offer welcome tours.



Getting involved – how do we promote the service?

- Macmillan Health and Wellbeing events
- Macmillan coffee mornings
- Breath Easy Committee Meeting
- Practice PPG Meetings
- Ainsdale Health and Wellbeing event and Flu campaign

Do you have a community group or meeting you feel would benefit from service representative attendance? Are you part of a PPG and would like us to attend your next meeting? Contact our team on 01704 395 755



Increasing community engagement

The service has interacted with other agencies such as Healthwatch Sefton, local Patient Participation Groups and Macmillan Cancer Support who have been interested in our initiative so they can tell Southport and Formby patients that they see about the service.









Thank you Do you have any questions?

