

## DR LYON & PARTNERS

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## PRACTICE NEWS JUNE 2017



**Are you looking after someone? Do you care for a family member who is elderly, ill or who has a disability? Who looks after you?**

**Dr Lyon & Partners** is asking all carers registered at the practice to let the practice know if they are a carer - just let **our receptionists know or ask for Natasha our carers lead** that you are a carer and you will receive information on the free support and advice available to you in Bolton.

Caring for a family member can be very rewarding and satisfying. At times though, it can be exhausting and stressful. Many carers have little time to themselves. Carers are therefore prone to poor health, which can become worse due to lack of time available to see a doctor or pharmacist.

**Our practice offers carers an Annual Health & Wellbeing check, please book an appointment at reception.**



## ONLINE SERVICES

Did you know that Dr Lyon & Partners provides the following online services?

### **Prescriptions**

Order a repeat prescription

### **Appointments**

Access the Appointment System to book and cancel appointments

### **About You**

Let us know if your name or contact details have changed  
Help us to keep your clinical record up to date e.g. smoking status.  
Take our latest patient surveys

### **Staying Informed**

Sign up for our practice newsletter

To use these services you will need to register for online services. If you wish to register for online services and have not already done so, please ask one of our receptionists who will be happy to help you.



## HAVE WE GOT YOUR CORRECT CONTACT DETAILS?

**We are currently updating our records. We may need to contact you in an emergency regarding test results, cancellation of an appointment, or about your medication. To ensure we have the correct contact details for you, we would be grateful if you could inform reception of any changes to your address, home telephone number or mobile number. This will ensure that your records are up to date.**

### New Patient Registration

Please call into the surgery, with your medical card or complete a registration form. Identification is required to register e.g. passport, drivers licence, proof of address (letter, utility bill) within the last 3 months to confirm your address.

### Registration Form

You may print off a registration form, fill it out and bring it in with you on your first visit to the practice.

Registration Form is available online at:

[www.mysurgerywebsite.co.uk/regforms/gpregistration1.pdf](http://www.mysurgerywebsite.co.uk/regforms/gpregistration1.pdf)



**If you are in Bolton and would like to talk about cancer you're not alone**

Bolton Macmillan Cancer Information & Support Service provides free and confidential information and support to people living with cancer and their families. We can signpost to benefits advice and other sources of support.

#### We offer:

- Cancer information materials
- Cancer information materials in other languages
- Telephone helpline
- Benefits Advice
- Look Good, Feel Better
- Outreach
- Self Help & Support Groups
- User groups

#### Location:

Macmillan Cancer Information and Support Service, Giles House, 43 Chorley New Road, Bolton, BL1 4QR

#### Opening times:

Tuesday 10.00 - 16.00 and Thursday 10.00 - 16.00

#### Carers Café:

**Do you look after someone with cancer?** We welcome anyone who supports someone with cancer, to come along to have a break, share experiences or just to come and have a cup of tea and a chat. We know that without the right support, providing care can have a big impact on you, physically, emotionally and financially why not come and join us? The coffee mornings are held on the first Tuesday of the month 10:30am – 12:30pm at Giles House

#### To find out more:

Contact Sue, Kelly or Jodie on 01204 663059