



PATIENT PARENT/GUARDIAN NOTIFICATION

Following a review of patient services at the practice we have decided to make the following change.

CHANGE IN PROCESS

Cedar Cross Medical Centre will no longer be providing babies 6-8 week health checks as part of the Child Health Surveillance services.

Cedar Cross will offer an alternative Healthcare Provider for this service.

Aston Healthcare will be the new provider of the Child Health Surveillance services on behalf of Cedar Cross Medical Centre.

Aston Healthcare Whiston PCRC Old Colliery Road Whiston L35 3SX

Telephone: **0151 426 6288**

This change has been approved by Knowsley CCG and necessary agreements are in place in regards to sharing necessary information between both Healthcare providers.

DATE CHANGE STARTS

The change will commence as from 1st April 2018.

WHO WILL THE CHANGE AFFECT?

- ✓ 6-8 week old patients and their parent/guardian.

Child Health Surveillance Services will send an invite letter to the parents/guardians for the baby's six week development assessment check. The invite shall advise the parents/guardians to contact their surgery to arrange an appointment.

You can also contact Aston Healthcare Whiston PCRC directly on: **0151 426 6288**



WHAT INFORMATION WILL BE SHARED?

- ✓ Patient name
- ✓ Address
- ✓ DOB
- ✓ NHS number
- ✓ Examination findings
- ✓ Follow up recommendations
- ✓ Safeguarding concerns – if any, known or suspected
- ✓ Parent/guardian contact number

WHO WILL INFORMATION BE SHARED WITH?

The above information will only be shared with Aston Healthcare Whiston PCRC

CONSENT

Information will be shared securely and will only be shared subject to explicit patient (parent or guardian of patient) consent; or in the event that the patient is unable to provide informed consent, subject to the consent of a person legally able to act on behalf of the patient or to other relevant legal provisions.

Patient's parent/guardian will be asked for their consent for the treating clinician to view their health record; patient's parent/guardians consent will be recorded. Consent can be withdrawn at any stage.

Parents/guardians have the right to opt out of this process and find their own alternative Health Provider.

Should you have any concerns or further questions regarding this service change please speak to a member of the team or request to speak to our **Practice Manager Heather Baker on: 0151 426 5569**

Please see our Practice Privacy Notice for more detailed information regarding how we share your information this can be seen either on the practice website : cedarcrossmedicalcentre.co.uk or on the surgery noticeboard in the waiting area.