

Important message for our Patients about Face coverings

In accordance with the new guidance issued by the government this week we are now asking all our patients to wear a face covering if you come to the surgery for an appointment or for any other reason.

This will protect other patients in the waiting area and our staff. All our staff will continue to wear PPE including fluid resistant masks for all patient face to face appointments.

Wearing a face covering

A cloth face covering should cover your mouth and nose while allowing you to breathe comfortably. It can be as simple as a scarf or bandana that ties behind the head.

Wash your hands or use hand sanitiser before putting it on and after taking it off. Avoid touching your eyes, nose, or mouth at all times and store used face coverings in a plastic bag until you have an opportunity to wash them.

Do not touch the front of the face covering, or the part of the face covering that has been in contact with your mouth and nose. Once removed, make sure you clean any surfaces the face covering has touched.

You should wash a face covering regularly. It can go in with other laundry, using your normal detergent.

When wearing a face covering, take care to tuck away any loose ends.