

BROOM LEYS SURGERY

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ABOUT US

Broom Leys surgery is in the town of Coalville in North West Leicestershire and has over 8000 registered patients. Sole Practitioner surgery with 13 clinical staff, 8 reception staff, 3 Administrators and 3 house keepers. We are a small practice with great communication and inclusion of all staff at it's heart. We are also committed to 'going GREEN'.



SALAMOL

Gurjit our pharmacist will discuss the great Salamol switch in more detail shortly. However a lot of planning was involved to make the switch a success. This came at a cost to the practice with Gurjit having protected time to facilitate the switch and to discuss at an extended practice meeting. This time was invaluable, the time used to plan and communicate to staff and patient's has resulted in fewer patient queries post switch.

All staff were aware of the switch before it was implemented and this required involvement from all clinicians, admin and reception staff. It was a team effort.



RECYCLING

WASTE

New bins in the kitchen. This is a small gesture however a highly visible daily reminder to all staff to recycle where possible. Currently staff are taking the recycling home to dispose of correctly as we have no facility to have our own recycling bins at the moment. This is in the process of being changed.

BATTERIES AND PRINTER CARTRIDGES

We recycle batteries and printer cartridges and encourage all staff and patients to do this with us.

VACCINATION CLINICS

Separate waste as we go- cardboard/paper, plastic and clinical waste. This increases recyclable waste, decreases the amount of clinical waste produced and therefore reduces cost.

GREEN THINGS WE DO

PAPERLESS PRINTING

Nearly all prescriptions are sent EPS, patient leaflets are sent via ACCURX. FIT notes are sent electronically.

CARBON FOOT PRINT

We have completed our carbon footprint which shows us as a practice the areas we need to improve on.

LIGHTING

We are changing all the lighting in the building to ensure that it's more energy efficient.

GREEN TEAM

We have a dedicated 'Green Team' to discuss ideas and to implement changes however big or small.

PATIENT PARTICIPATION GROUP (PPG)

We are lucky to have a highly involved group of patients who are keen for us to go green. They provide invaluable feedback and support.

SOCIAL PRESCRIBERS

We champion our social prescribers. They offer non medical community based activities and a holistic approach to patient care. They improve mental health, health inequalities and loneliness therefore reducing GP consultations and medical interventions.



FUTURE PLANS

BUILDING

We are keen to make our building as energy efficient as possible. As this is leased we are having some difficulties implementing the changes we would like in a timely manner.

MORE RECYCLING

We would like to create a 'one stop recycling shop' for our patients to dispose of inhalers, insulin/diabetic devices and Epi pens. To simplify the process of recycling these devices and encourage patient engagement and participation.

THANK YOU

