



## NHS SERVICES OVER CHRISTMAS & NEW YEAR

Most NHS services are open right through Christmas and New Year, including local GPs and pharmacies.

Here is a list of services that are open over the festive period:

### **GP Extended Hours:**

GP Evening and Weekend Appointment Service on 01942 482848. Appointments 6.30-8pm and on weekends and bank holidays 10am-4pm (except Christmas Day and New Year's Day).

### **GP Out of Hours:**

GP Out of Hours Service, available by calling NHS 111 is open 6.30pm - 8am and all weekend (Fridays 6.30pm-Monday 8am), including all bank holidays.

### **Pharmacies**

All local pharmacies will be on a rota basis over the Christmas period. Please check with your local pharmacy, local press or here at [www.healthierwigan.nhs.uk/services](http://www.healthierwigan.nhs.uk/services)

### **Emergency Dentist:**

Ring 0333 332 3800 for a dentist appointment 8am-10pm, including weekends and bank holidays.

### **Walk-in-Centre**

Leigh Walk-in-Centre is open 7am-9pm every day, including bank holidays, for general health advice and treatment for minor injuries and ailments. Other walk-in-centres are open too.

### **NHS 111**

If you are worried about your health and your GP or Dentist is closed, please contact NHS 111 for confidential health information and advice 24 hours a day, 7 days a week or online at [www.111.nhs.uk](http://www.111.nhs.uk)

### **Support with Mental Health**

If you are struggling with your mental health and need to speak to someone for support, please call the Wigan mental health crisis line available 24/7 on 0800 051 3253. [Click here](#) for further mental health support options.

**Please consider accessing the above services first and only use A&E if you have a life threatening or very serious illness or condition that means you need emergency care. [Click here](#) for more info.**