



Please "Be kind" to our staff. A simple thank you, or a positive review could make the world of difference.

Send any comments and feedback to Email: [roccg.swallownestcarecoordinators@nhs.net](mailto:roccg.swallownestcarecoordinators@nhs.net)



We will be closed from 12.00pm for training on Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> June 2024.

### Post Bariatric Surgery Follow-up of Private Patients

Where patients have procured their surgery in the private sector, the commissioners suggest that patients are advised of the need to ensure private follow-up.

- The first 2 years of post-operative care should be purchased in advance of having surgery, as the NHS will not provide this care.
- In addition, GPs be aware that as this is commissioned work, it potentially falls outside the cover of the Clinical Negligence Scheme for General Practice (CNSGP).
- GPs will **only** be covered for the instigation of investigations where a patient falls ill, **rather than for routine monitoring.**

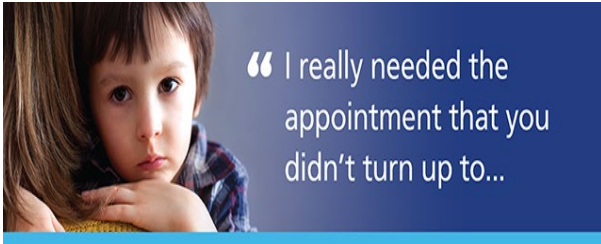


### National Cancer Survivors Day

National Cancer Survivors Day is an annual, treasured celebration of life that is held in hundreds of communities around the world on the first Sunday in June. It is a celebration for those who have survived, an inspiration for those recently diagnosed, a gathering of support for families and an outreach to the community.

Cancer survival rates in the UK are higher than they have ever before. Early diagnosis is key to improving survival rates. This is because cancer at an early stage often makes it easier to treat.





GP appointment?  
Can't make it?  
Don't need it?



## DNA's May Breakdown

255 patients did not attend their appointments last month May 2024 That's 4% of appointments which was higher than last month.

Here's the Breakdown

- GP appointments – 83
- Nurse appointments – 16
- HCA (blood/BP and other clinics) – 117
- Minor Ailments PA's – 4
- Pharmacist – 4
- Misc – 0

Appointments are valuable, and it's important that if you can't attend to let us know in plenty of time.

Did you know that the average cost of a GP appointment in the UK is £42? With 92 GP appointments missed this month that's a whopping £4032 just for missed GP appointments alone!!!

To cancel an appointment please use the following options to allow someone else to use it.

call us on 0114 433 3888 the following options appear: -

Press 1 to cancel your appointment via an auto attendant.

Press 2 to speak to a Patient Services Advisor if you also need to rebook.

You can also cancel by emailing [svicb-rotherham.swallownestnoreply@nhs.net](mailto:svicb-rotherham.swallownestnoreply@nhs.net)



While Alzheimer's disease is the most common form of dementia, there are also other common types such as vascular dementia, Lewy body dementia and Frontotemporal dementia. There are also rarer types of dementia that are caused by other diseases and conditions. Some people develop multiple types of dementia; this is known as mixed dementia. It is also possible for a younger person to develop dementia. When a person develops dementia before the age of 65, this is known as young-onset.

1 in 3 people born in the UK today will be diagnosed with dementia in their lifetime.

1.4 million people are expected to be living with dementia by 2040.

## Dementia support

**Call: 0333 150 3456**

If you are affected by dementia, worried about a diagnosis or a carer, trained staff are ready to give you the support you need. Opening hours: Mon to Weds: 9am – 8pm, Thurs and Fri: 9am – 5pm, Sat and Sun: 10am – 4pm

How are Alzheimer's and Dementia different?

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confusion with time or location

change of mood

memory loss

slurred speech

poor judgement

misplacing items

vision loss

no task completion

50 million

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