

Learning Disability GP Registers - CHILD



Any child or adult with a learning disability can be on the learning disability register.

We have added your child to our learning disability register.



A person with a learning disability can get extra support from us.



These are called reasonable adjustments. Examples of these might be:

- Longer appointments
- Helping you to make an appointment
- Quiet waiting rooms
- Appointments at certain times
- Easy read information
- Access to Annual Health Checks age 14+
- Access to Flu Immunisation









To have access to these reasonable adjustments your name needs to be on our Learning Disability Register.









It also gives you and us the opportunity to build a relationship, so we get to know you and you receive better care.



This information can be shared with other doctors and nurses to help support you at other appointments.

	<p>It's really important to make sure children and young people with a learning disability are included on the GP Learning Disability Register even if their care is being looked after by a paediatrician.</p>
	<p>This allows us to know a child has a learning disability at the earliest opportunity and get to know them, invite them to their Annual Health Check at age 14+ and help support when the young person transitions into adult services. You can find out more information about why it is really important by watching this short film from GP Dr Jim Gordon here.</p>
<p>Learning Disability GP Annual Health Checks</p>	
	<p>Anybody with a learning disability age 14+ on the GP Learning Disability Register is entitled to an Annual Health Check.</p>
	<p>People with learning disabilities have poorer health outcomes. Annual Health Checks help you still well by talking about your health and checking for any problems early on.</p>
	<p>We will invite you for an Annual Health Check every year.</p>
	<p>During the Annual Health Check we will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Do a physical check up i.e your weight, blood pressure, urine sample etc • Talk to you about any medicines you take • Talk to you about any health conditions you might have

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See if your vaccinations are up to date • Talk to you about any health concerns you might of • Supporting you to keep well
	<p>You can find out more information about Annual Health Checks by looking at these short videos</p> <p>Increasing the uptake of Annual Health Checks for people with a learning disability: videos for parents/carers and people with a learning disability. - YouTube</p> <p>Here is video for young people https://superchargedme.uk/</p>
<h3>Flu Immunisation and People with a Learning Disability</h3>	
	<p>All ages of people with a learning disability are entitled to a free flu immunisation.</p>
	<p>This is because they are in at clinically at-risk group and more at risk of developing complications from a respiratory illness.</p>
	<p>The flu immunisation for children and young people is a nasal spray.</p>
	<p>Parents will need to sign the consent form. If the child or young person doesn't get immunised in school you can still ask your GP.</p>