



Survey – Tell us what you think

Providing general practice (GP) services in Norwich

Survey ends:

March





Welcome to our survey



NHS Norfolk and Waveney Integrated Care Board (ICB)

is the local NHS body that plans resources and services in Norfolk and Waveney.



We want to make some changes to how people get medical treatment in Norwich city centre.



We want to know what you think about our ideas.

What currently happens at Norwich Walk-In Centre?



Norwich Walk-in Centre is a primary care medical centre.

People can come here to be seen by a doctor or nurse for medical treatment.



People can get help for injuries without having to go to the hospital.



People can come here to get medical help when they can't see their regular doctor, or if they don't have a doctor.

What currently happens at Norwich Walk-In Centre?



You can choose if you make an appointment to see a doctor or nurse.

Or you can just show up and wait to be seen.





Right now, most people use the Norwich Walk-In Centre because they can get medical help without having to make an appointment with their regular doctor.

What currently happens at the GP Practice on Rouen Road?



The GP practice at Rouen Road is a doctor's surgery

People can come here to be seen by a doctor or nurse for medical treatment.



People can come here to get medical help from their regular doctor.

There are 10,300 patients registered at this practice. It serves all of Norwich.



You must make an appointment to see a doctor or nurse at this surgery.

What currently happens at the Vulnerable Adults Service?







The **Vulnerable Adult Service** provides specialist medical care to help people that need extra help and support.

These may be people who don't have a home to live in, people who can't make or keep appointments, or people who can't speak English.

Why do we need to change things?



We think we can make some changes to use the money for health better.



We want to make it easier for everyone to get medical help no matter who they are or where they live in Norwich.

We want to improve access to GP services and improve the quality of care you receive.



There are other services we pay for around Norwich that people can use when they need medical help.

Some examples of these are **Enhanced Access**, the **GP Out of Hours service**, care home visits, and home visits.

Why do we need to change things?



Enhanced Access and **GP Out of Hours** are services that help you get a doctor's appointment during early mornings, evenings, and weekends.

This might not be at your regular doctor's surgery, but at another one in the Norwich area.



We should be in line with national NHS policy and local priorities.

These priorities are about making sure everyone can get medical help when they need it, no matter who they are or where they live.

How can you help?

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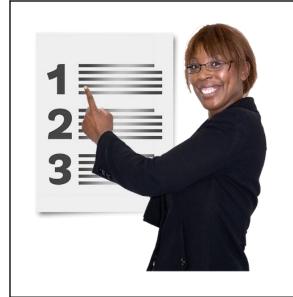
The **contract** (our agreement for working together) for the Walk in Centre, the GP Practice on Rouen Road, and the Vulnerable Adult Service ends on 31 March 2024.

We need to continue to find ways to provide good quality GP services for people living in Norwich and surrounding area.



When we are considering making changes to how we provide GP services for patients and want to make sure we understand what impact they would have.

How can you help?



We have three ideas (Options) that we think could work.



Telling us what you think can help the NHS to make decisions about how services are provided.

The first idea we are thinking about: Option 1

Don't make any changes.
The Walk-in Centre would stay the same.
• The GP practice at Rouen Road would stay the same.
The Vulnerable Adults service would stay the same.
We think good things about this might be:
It would continue to help patients to get medical care
It would continue to help GPs meet their current demands
We think not so good things about this might be:
 It isn't in line with policies that say we shouldn't have Walk-in centres anymore
There are other services people could use to get medical care

The second idea we are thinking about: Option 2

Keep the other services, but close the Walk-in Centre
The GP practice at Rouen Road would stay the same.
The Vulnerable Adults service would stay the same.
The Walk-in Centre would close.
We think good things about this might be:
It would continue to help some patients to get medical care
 It would remove overlap of services that people can get from Enhanced Access and GP Out of Hours (see pg 8)
We think not so good things about this might be:
There would be fewer GP appointments available for everyone

The third idea we are thinking about: Option 3



Keep the money for the Walk-in Centre, but use it in a different way

- The GP practice at Rouen Road would stay the same.
- The Vulnerable Adults service would stay the same.
- The Walk-in Centre would close and we would use the money to pay for more medical help through other services.

The third idea we are thinking about: Option 3 continued



We think good things about this might be:

- It would help more people across the greater Norwich area to get medical help when they need it.
- It wouldn't overlap services provided by Enhanced Access and GP Out of Hours (see page 8)
- It would help to reduce health inequalities, meaning more people can get medical help no matter who they are or where they live



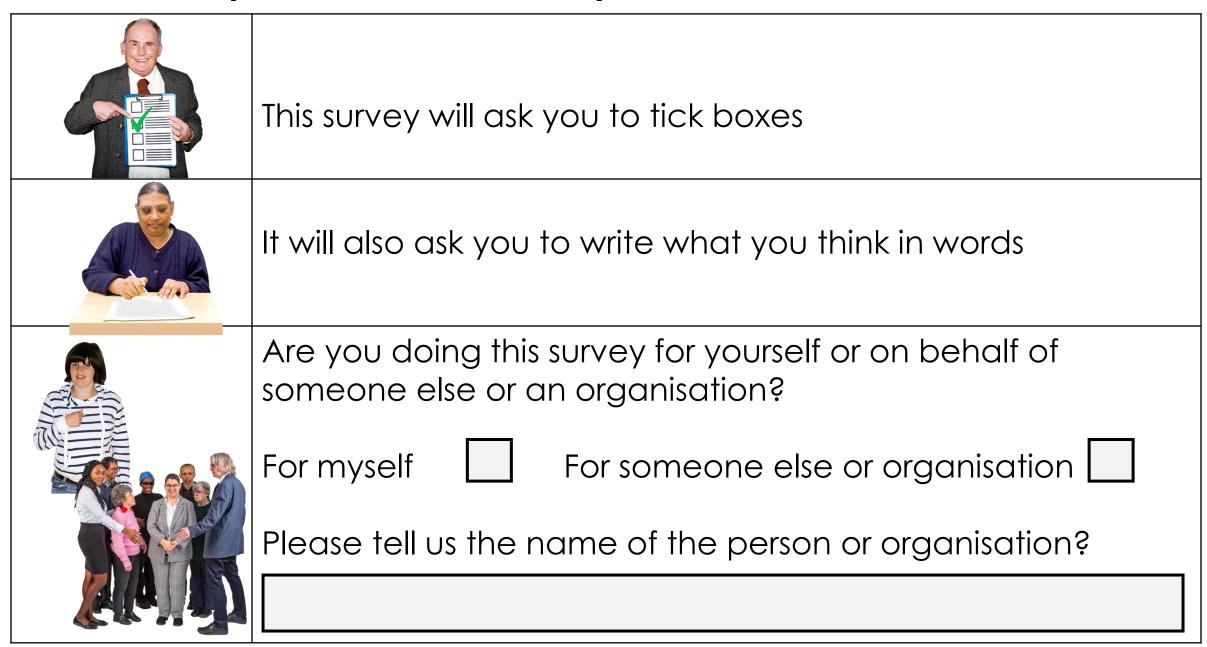
We think not so good things about this might be:

- People will need to make an appointment to get medical help
- People would have to go to other places around Norwich to get medical help, not go to Norwich city centre

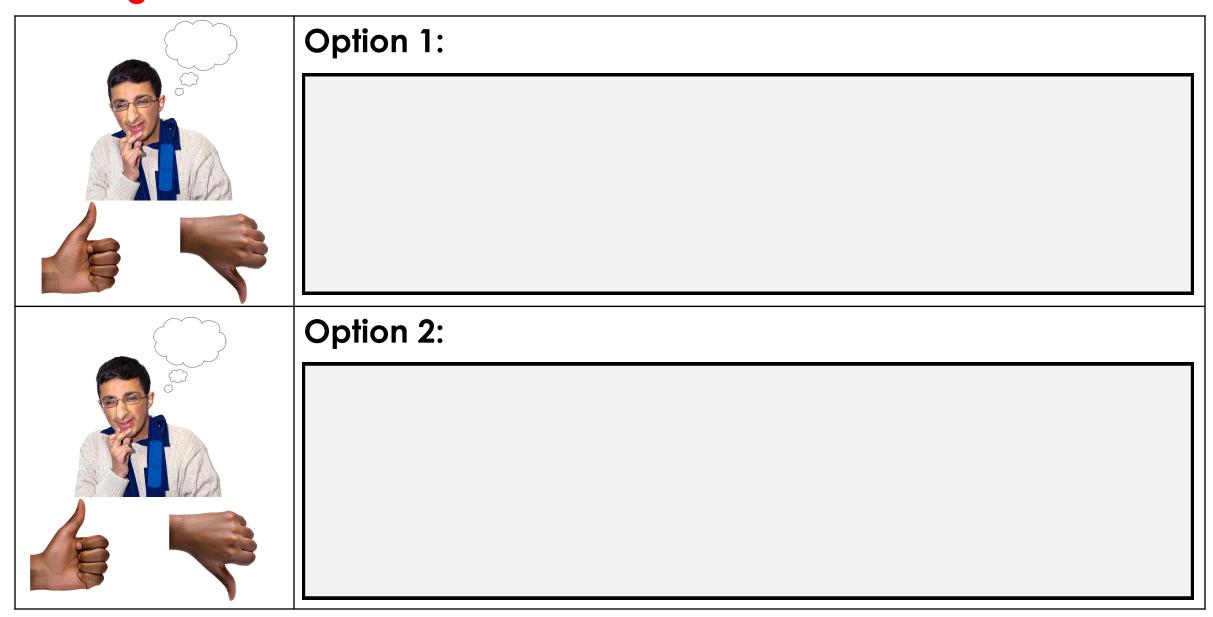
What we think about the three options:

Option 1	We don't think this is the most appropriate	
Option 2	We don't think this is the most appropriate	
Option 3	We think this is the most appropriate	

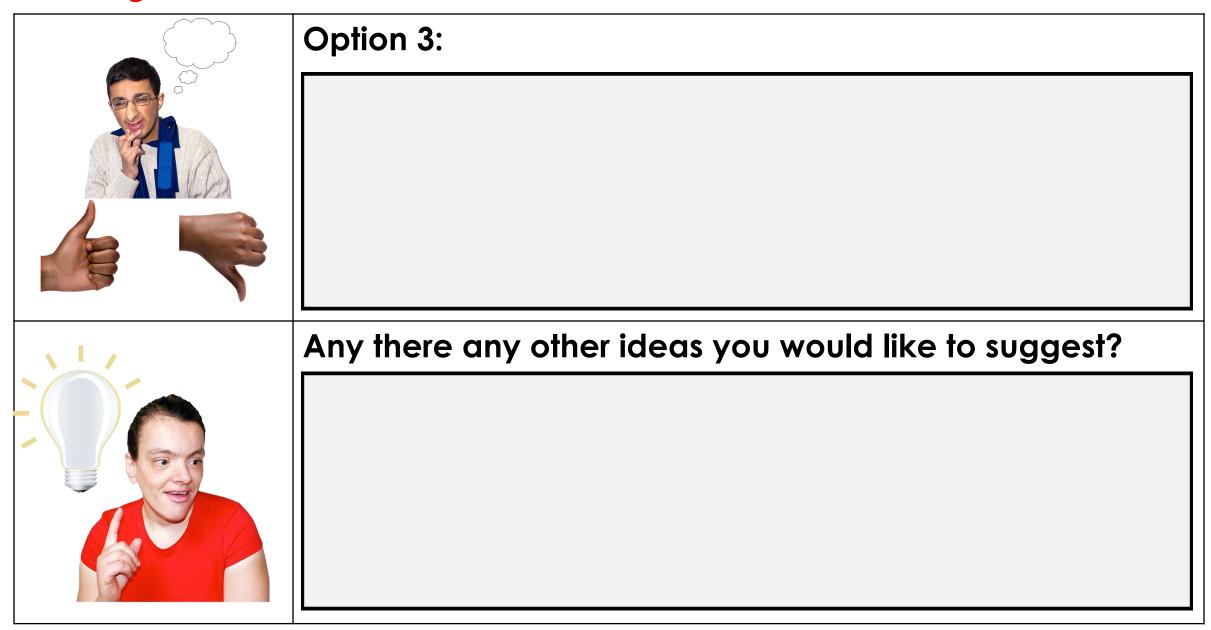
Please complete our short survey



Tell us what you think about our ideas (options) and what sounds good or not so good?



Tell us what you think about our ideas (options) and what sounds good or not so good?





Walk-in Centre



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Yes No			
If you said No, what questions do you have?			



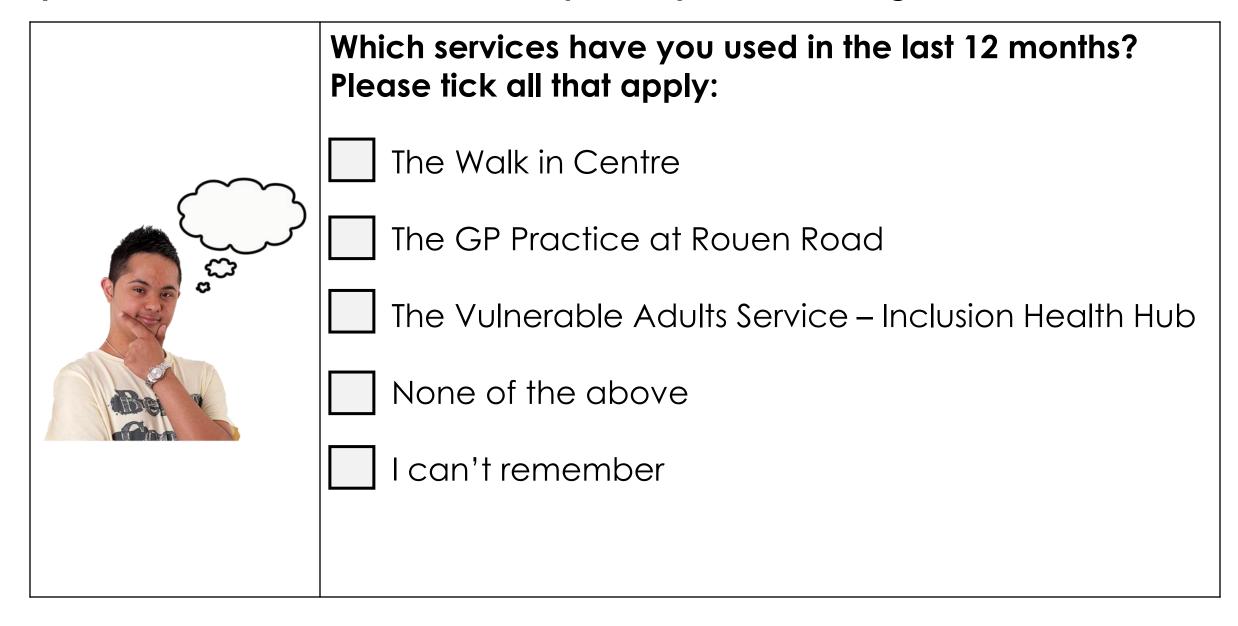
Do you think some people are going to feel the impact more than others if we go ahead with Option 3?

Yes No

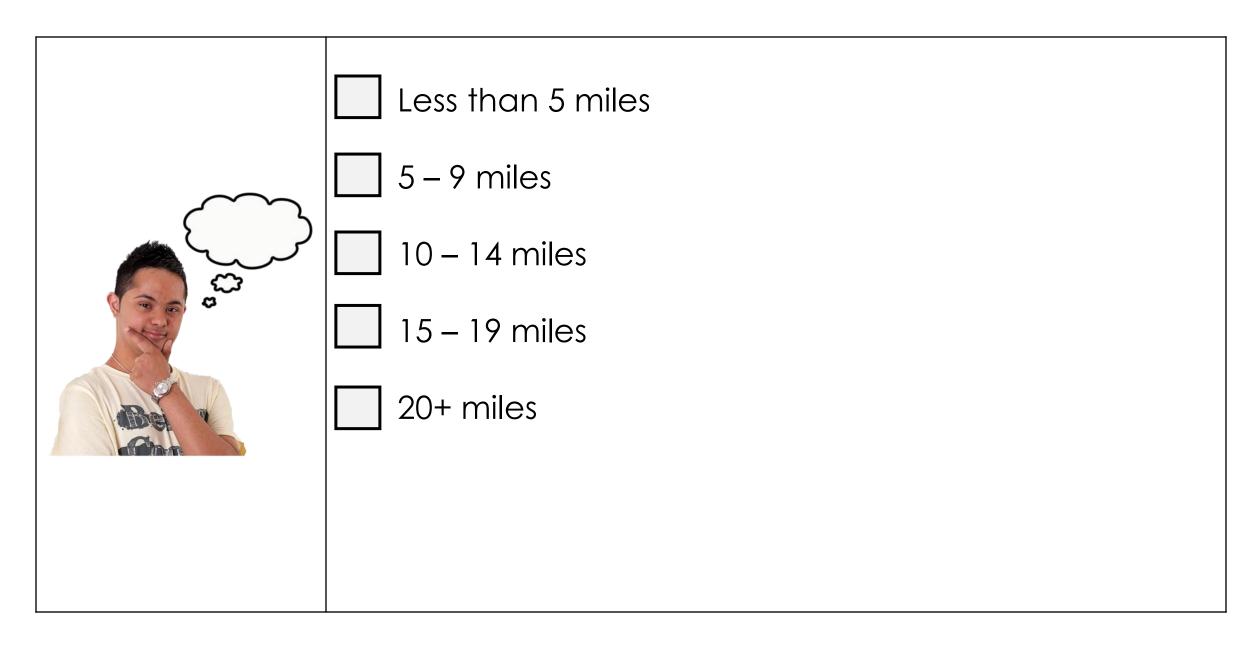
If you said Yes, please say how?



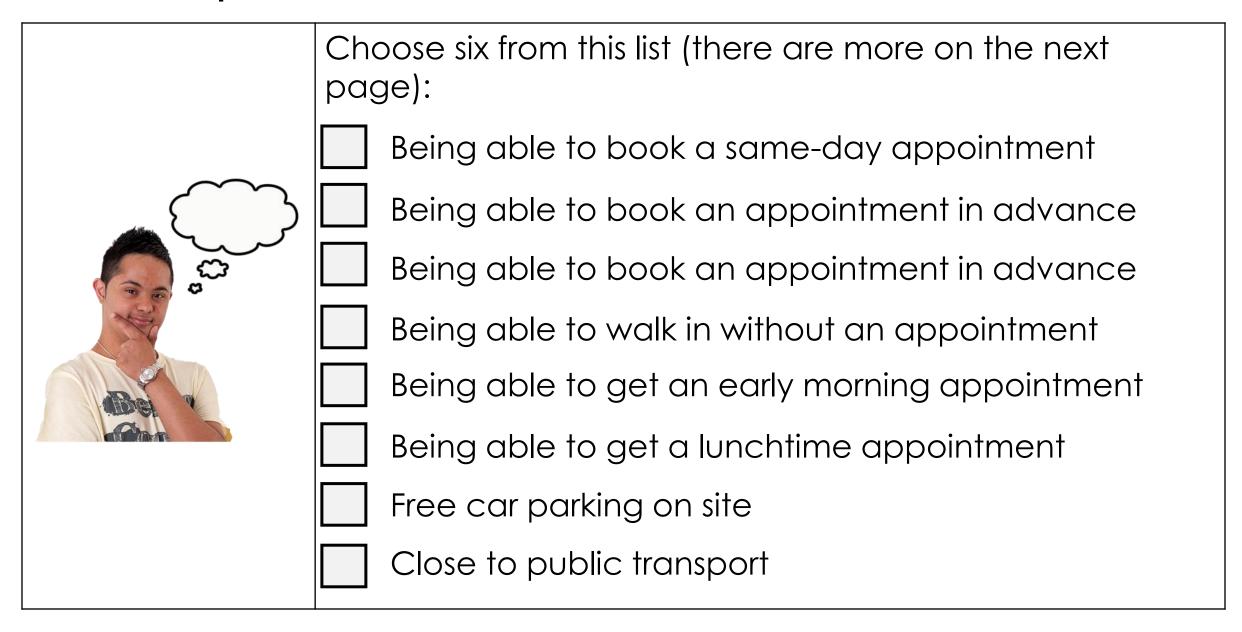
Please tell us about your experiences and what is important to you when you need GP services. This will help us to plan and design GP services.



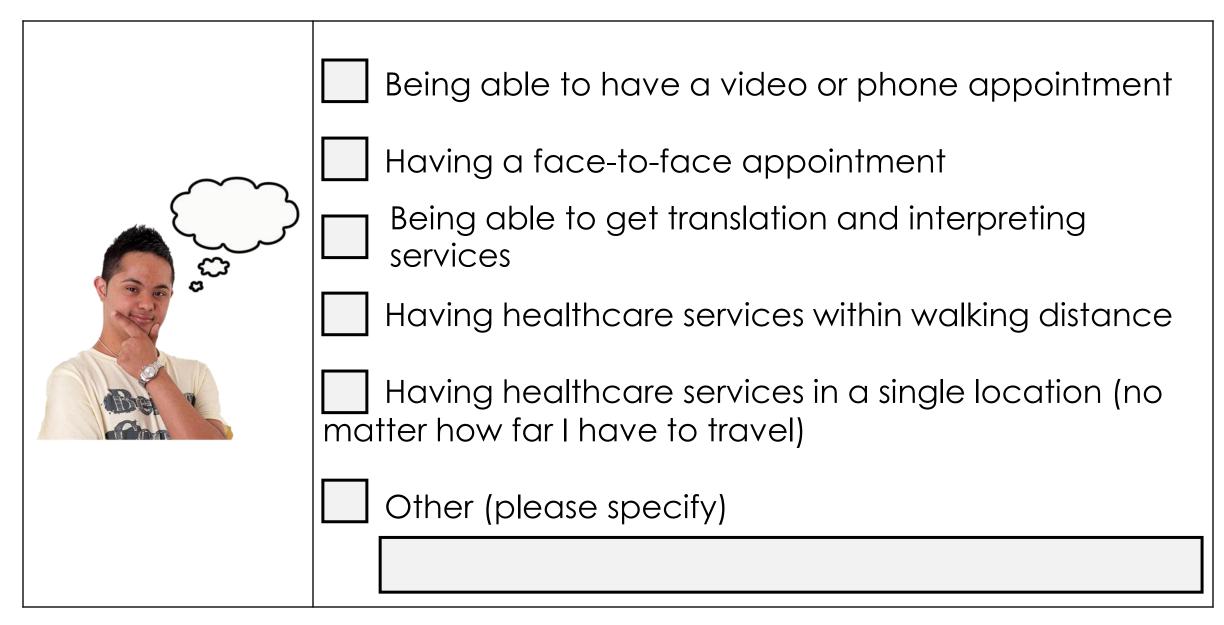
How far would you be willing to travel for a GP appointment?



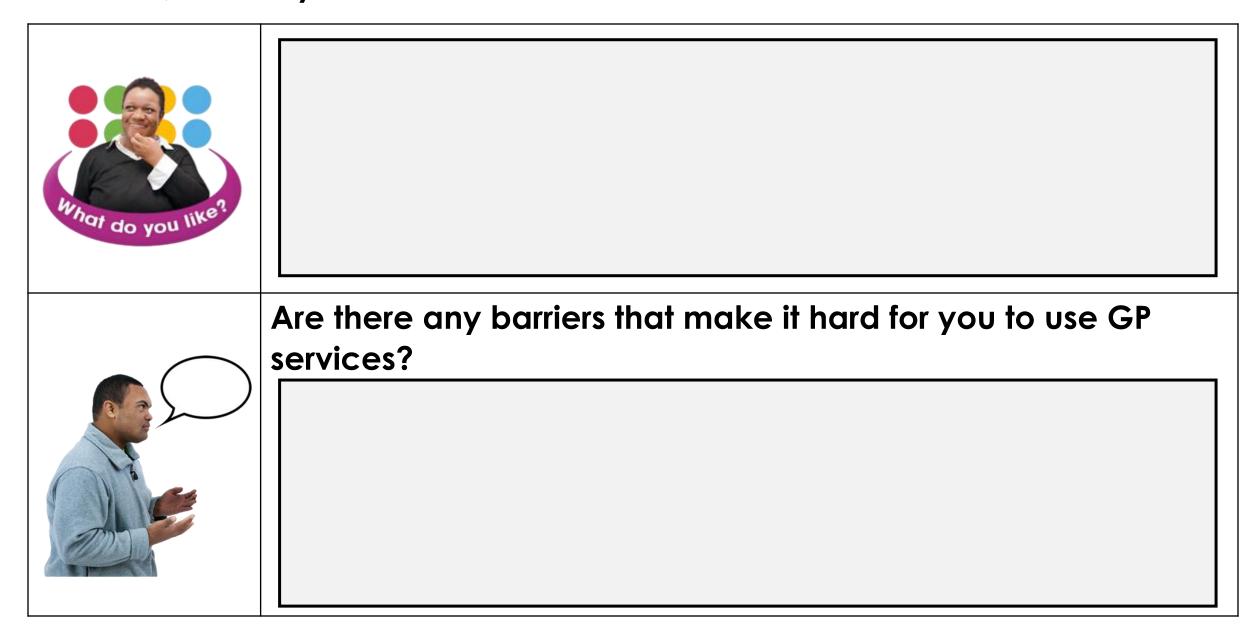
What are the six most important things for you when you need to get medical help?



What are the six most important things for you when you need to get medical help? Please choose six from this list (continued):



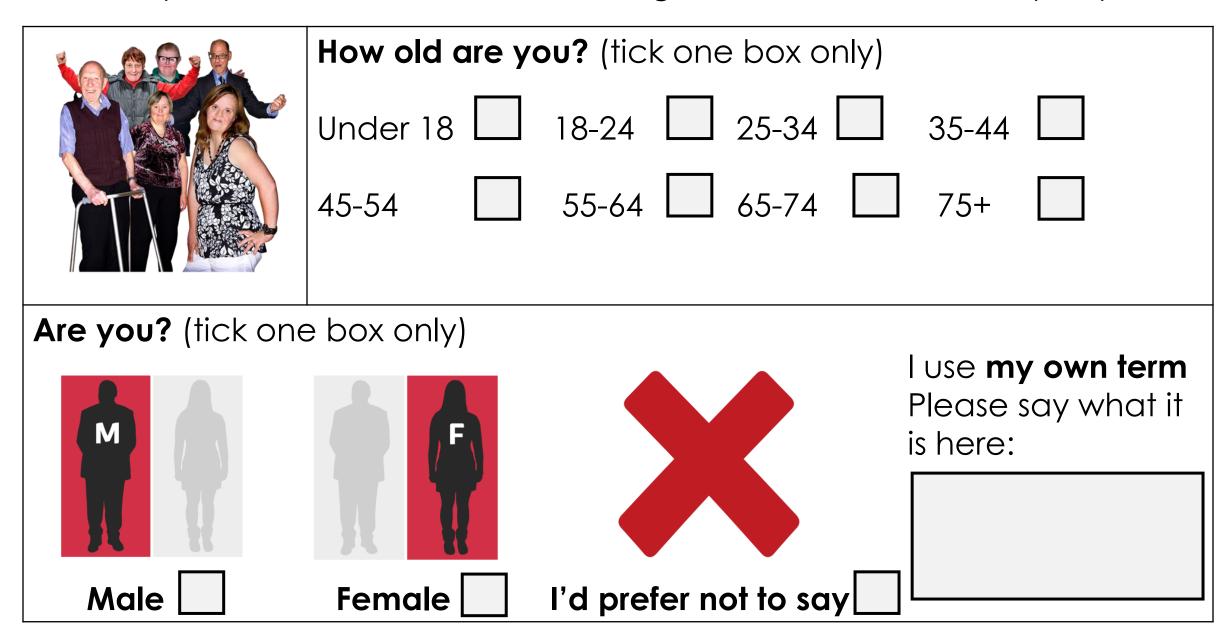
What is the most important thing for you when you need to access GP services, and why?



When you have used GP services in the past, what was good about them?



Tell us about you – you **do not** have to answer these questions but if you do it helps us make sure we are hearing from a lot of different people.



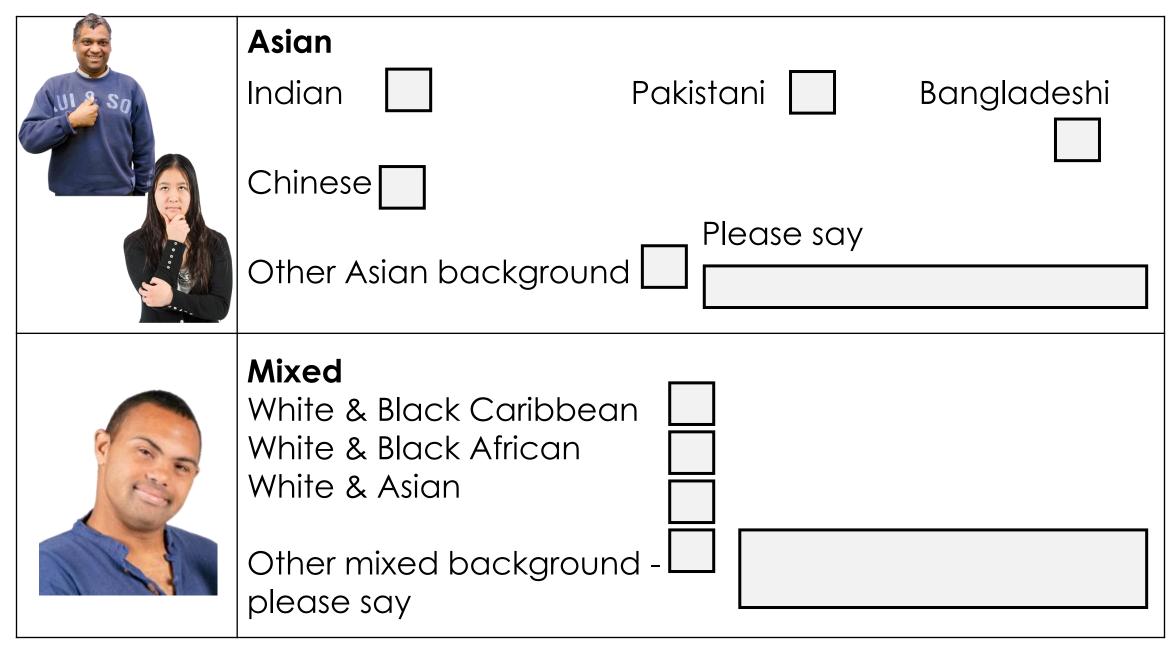
What area do you live in? (usually where you pay your council tax)



What is your ethnic group?

	White
	English, Welsh, Scottish, Northern Irish or British
	Irish Gypsy or Irish Traveller White Roma
	Other white background
	please say
	Black or Black British
	Caribbean
	African
What was	Other black background
	please say

What is your ethnic group?



Thanks for taking part in our survey



This survey closes on **26 March 2023** but we will still want to work with local people to make sure we get everything right



You can fill in the answers online.

Use this link: www.smartsurvey.co.uk/s/GP_Norwich/

You can use the QR code to open the survey



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Send an email to nwicb.haveyoursay@nhs.net

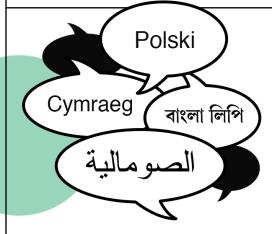


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