

Welcome to the Ancora Medical Practice Newsletter

We're excited to bring you, our newsletter! Whether you're a long-time patient or have recently joined our practice, this newsletter is a great way to keep informed with our most recent information.

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North Lincolnshire Primary Care Awards 2026

We are incredibly proud to celebrate the achievements of two of our colleagues at the **North Lincolnshire Primary Care Awards 2026**.

🏆 **Dr Al-Hattami** has been awarded **GP Trainee of the Year** in recognition of their dedication, compassion, and commitment to delivering excellent patient care.

🏆 **Dr Anam Abrar** has received the **Clinical Improvement Award: Public Health and Prevention**, recognising her outstanding work in improving health outcomes and promoting preventative care within our community.

We are delighted to see their contributions recognised and know our patients will join us in congratulating them on these well-deserved achievements.

Please join us in saying a huge **congratulations** to Dr Anam Abrar and Dr Al-Hattami! 🙌



We've Achieved Active Practice Status!

We are delighted to announce that Ancora Medical Practice has been awarded Active Practice Status through the Active Practice Charter, an accreditation developed by the Royal College of General Practitioners and Sport England.

This prestigious recognition celebrates GP practices that actively promote movement, reduce sedentary behaviour, and encourage physical activity among both patients and staff.

We are especially proud to be the **first practice in North Lincolnshire** to achieve Active Practice Status. This fantastic milestone reflects our ongoing commitment to promoting physical activity, preventive healthcare, and supporting the wellbeing of both our patients and our team.

At Ancora Medical Practice, we understand that moving more can have a positive impact on both physical and mental wellbeing. Achieving Active Practice Status reflects our commitment to supporting healthier lifestyles and helping our community make physical activity a part of everyday life.



Friends and Family Feedback for June 2026



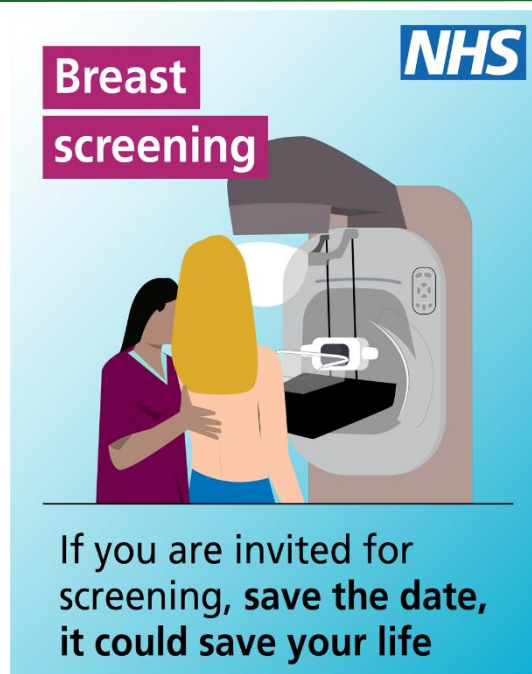
Breast Screening Invitations from July 2026

Eligible patients registered with Ancora Medical Practice will begin receiving invitations from 24 July to arrange their breast screening appointment.

Screening appointments will take place at the Breast Screening Unit located in the Morrisons Car Park, Lakeside Retail Park, Scunthorpe.

Breast screening is an important way to help detect breast cancer at an early stage, often before any symptoms are noticed. If you receive an invitation, please make every effort to attend your appointment.

For more information about breast screening, please visit the NHS website - <https://www.nhs.uk/tests-and.../breast-screening-mammogram/>



Welcoming New Patients and Clinical Staff

Since April, we have introduced our new triage system, making it easier than ever for patients to access the right care at the right time.

Patients can now request an appointment through:

- ✓ Our online consultation form
- ✓ Telephone contact
- ✓ Walking into the practice

Thanks to these improvements, we are currently achieving 95%+ same-day appointments where there is a clinically urgent need. Appointments may be with the most appropriate member of our clinical team, including a GP, Practice Nurse, First Contact Physiotherapist, or many other healthcare professionals.

To further enhance our service, over the next two months we will be welcoming six new clinical team members, including:

- 2 General Practitioners
- 1 Paramedic
- 3 Practice Nurses

Over the coming weeks, we will introduce each member of our clinical team and explain how they can help you. This will help patients understand which clinician is best placed to meet their healthcare needs.

Our increased clinical capacity will allow us to maximise same-day access and continue providing excellent care to our community.

☀️ We are currently accepting new patients and would be delighted to welcome you to Ancora Medical Practice.

Visit this website to register <https://gp-registration.nhs.uk/B81026/gpregistration/landing>

or scan the QR code.



Join us and experience accessible, high-quality patient care from a dedicated and growing clinical team.