**Newsletter template: Manage your health from your mobile, 24/7**

GP online services is a quick, easy and a secure way to book GP appointments, order repeat prescriptions and view GP records. This means that you can now access your GP practice and manage your health online in the same way you manage other areas of your life such as shopping and banking.

1.7 million Londoners are now using GP services online to manage their health with 89% of patients saying registering online is simple.

GP online services are available at surgeries across XXX [insert CCG/BOROUGH] to help people better manage their health. These services enable patients to book GP appointments and request repeat prescriptions via their computer, smartphone or tablet at a time that suits them, anywhere, anytime – 24 hours a day, seven days a week.

Patients who require repeat prescriptions can request these from the comfort of their own home. You will also be able to review which medication you should be taking, the dosage and when it should be taken – helping to improve your understanding of your medication.

If you want to register for GP online services you will need to fill out a form at the surgery and show two forms of ID one of which should have a photo (such as a UK passport or driving licence) and the other should have your address (such as a council tax bill). If you don’t have photo ID or anything with your address on it, it doesn’t mean you will not be able to use online services, our practice staff may be able to help.

To register for GP online services, drop in and ask your GP practice, or to find out more visit the NHS Choices website at www.nhs.uk/GPonlineservices.