

## **Simple Wound Care**

### What is this service:

Most cuts and grazes can be treated at home and will start to heal in a few days. But some wounds may need to be treated by a medical professional if there's a risk of infection, if the injury is serious, or if you have recently had an operation.

Simple wound care services are available to all patients over the age of 16 who are registered with a GP practice in Barking & Dagenham, Havering or Redbridge. The services support patients with managing wounds such as skin ulcers, first degree burns, post-surgical sutures, clips removal and routine dressings.

#### How does it work?

You will be advised to book an appointment by your doctor or a nurse if you have a wound that needs to be cared for with a dressing.

You can book an appointment seven days a week at a time convenient to you.

Appointments are available Monday to Friday from 8am-6.30pm and on Saturday and Sunday between 9am-5pm.

### How can I make an appointment?

You will be able to book and cancel online, via the following links:

Barking and Dagenham: <a href="https://app.10to8.com/book/swcbarkingdagenham/">https://app.10to8.com/book/swcbarkingdagenham/</a>

Havering: <a href="https://app.10to8.com/book/swchavering/">https://app.10to8.com/book/swchavering/</a>
Redbridge: <a href="https://app.10to8.com/book/redbridgeswc/">https://app.10to8.com/book/swchavering/</a>

A phone booking system will be available shortly.

### Where will I need to go for my appointment?

You can book an appointment at a site close to you, meaning you no longer need to visit A&E or an Urgent Treatment Centre to have your wound dressed. You will need to book into a site connected to your GP Practice and the booking system will guide you through this. The full list of sites is available on the other side of this leaflet.

# What do I need for my appointment?

Remember to bring with you the discharge letter from your operation / procedure / appointment, as it will contain important information about your wound the service will need to know at your first appointment.

Borough	Site 1	Site 2
Barking and Dagenham -	Barking Hospital	Broad Street Medical Centre, Morland Road,
Weekdays	Upney Lane,	Dagenham RM10 9HU
	Barking IG11 9LX	
Parking	Yes	Yes
Barking and Dagenham -	Barking Hospital	
Saturday and Sunday	Upney Lane,	
	Barking IG11 9LX	
Parking	Yes	
Havering - Weekdays	Rosewood Medical Centre	Petersfield Surgery
	30 Astra Close	70 Petersfield Avenue
	Hornchurch RM12 5NJ	Romford RM3 9PD
Parking	Yes	Off street parking
Redbridge - Weekdays	The Loxford Practice	Gants Hill Medical Centre
	417 Ilford Lane,	63-65 Ethelbert Gardens, Gants Hill, Ilford IG2
	llford IG1 2SN	6UP
Parking	Yes	None
Redbridge- Weekdays	Newbury Group Practice	Fullwell Cross Medical Centre
	40 Perrymans Farm Rd, Ilford IG2 7LE	1 Tomswood Hill, Fullwell Cross, Ilford IG6 2HG
Parking	Yes / Off street parking	Disabled badge holders only