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Dear Patient

Re: Changes at Langstone Way Surgery

Dr Ruben has approached North Central London (NCL) Integrated Care Board (ICB) to formally merge his GP contract with Wentworth Medical Practice GP contract, a merger means joining two practices together to form one GP contract. This request is in response to changes Dr Ruben has identified are needed to improve patient access and services in the practice.

Dr Ruben has asked the ICB to add three GPs, partners from the Wentworth Medical Practice, onto his contract. These GPs will then be responsible for services and care provided to patients at Langstone Way Surgery.

You will therefore start seeing new doctors at the practice from September 2025, with the formal merger occurring at a later date.

Wentworth Medical Practice located at 38 Wentworth Avenue, Finchley, London, N3 1YL is 1.4 miles from Langstone Way Surgery and is managed by three GP partners, details on the practice can be found here https://www.wentworthmedical.nhs.uk/ .

Before this change occurs, we need to seek your views on merging Langstone Way Surgery and Wentworth Medical Practice. Your views will be referred to the ICBs Primary Care Committee in October 2025, who make decisions on general practice contracts.

What does this mean for patients?

You do not need to do anything as you will continue to be registered with the Langstone Way Surgery. There will be no change to the practice opening hours and the surgery telephone number will remain the same.

How can I share my thoughts?

Please complete the patient survey by the deadline of 28 September 2025, you can do this online or get a copy of the survey from the practice reception. If you need any help to complete the survey, you can call the surgery on 0208 343 2401 and a member of the team will go through it with you.

North Central London ICB Chair: Paul Najsarek
North Central London ICB Chief Executive Officer: Frances O'Callaghan

The survey can be accessed via the below link: https://feedback.northcentrallondon.icb.nhs.uk/primary-care/copy-of-ic-rw-proposed-merger or you can scan the QR code at the top of this letter on your mobile phone. The deadline to complete the questions is by 28 September 2025.

If you have any queries, comments, or concerns please feel free to contact us on the following email: nclicb.nclprimarycare@nhs.net or by telephone 0203 965 9658

Yours faithfully,



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