

# FRESSINGFIELD & STRADBROKE MEDICAL CENTRES

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FILL OUT YOUR INFORMATION BELOW	
FULL NAME	
ADDRESS	
DATE OF BIRTH	

EMIS Number: \_\_\_\_\_ (OFFICE USE ONLY)

We are writing to you to invite you to have a vaccination against influenza, as you may be at greater risk of the serious complications of flu.

## FLU CLINICS FOR OVER 65's ONLY (or if you turn 65 before 31/3/2022)

LOCATION: STRADBROKE COMMUNITY CENTRE, WILBY ROAD, STRADBROKE, IP21 5JN  
(OPPOSITE STRADBROKE MEDICAL CENTRE)

DATE: SATURDAY 25<sup>th</sup> SEPTEMBER 2021

TIME: DEPENDENT ON YOUR SURNAME – PLEASE SEE BELOW

ATTEND BETWEEN	FOR SURNAMES BETWEEN	ATTEND BETWEEN	FOR SURNAMES BETWEEN
8:30 - 8:45am	AA – AL	8:45 - 9:00am	AM – AZ
9:00 - 9:15am	BA	9:15 - 9:30am	BB – BI
9:30 - 9:45am	BJ - BO	9:45 - 10:00am	BP - BR
10:00 - 10:15am	BS - BZ	10:15 - 10:30am	CA - CG
10:30 - 10:45am	CH - CK	10:45am to 11am	CL - CN
11:00 - 11:15am	CO - CQ	11:15am to 11:30am	CR - CZ
11:30 - 11:45am	DA - DE	11:45 - 12noon	DF - DZ
12 - 12:15pm	EA - EL	12:15 - 12:30pm	EM - FO
1 - 1:15pm	FP - FZ	1:15 - 1:30pm	GA - GO
1:30 - 1:45pm	GP - GZ	1:45 - 2pm	HA - HAN
2 - 2:15pm	HAO - HAY	2:15 - 2:30pm	HB - HN
2:30 - 2:45pm	HO - HT	2:45 - 3pm	HU - HZ
3 - 3:15pm	I & J		

**WE CAN ONLY VACCINATE IF YOU BRING THIS LETTER WITH YOU  
PLEASE WEAR A FACE MASK/FACE COVERING**

## FLU CLINIC - FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

**Why is the flu clinic only available at Stradbroke?** Many practices are using Community Centres for this years' flu clinics as practice's own premises do not allow enough space for social distancing. We needed a venue that had; car parking with two lanes for cars to enter and exit safely, was near a Medical Centre to allow access to the vaccines (which are temperature controlled). Stradbroke Community Centre was the only venue that could offer all of this.

**What time should I attend the clinic?** It is against your surname; i.e. if it alphabetically falls between Abbott & Alner you would attend the time slot for AA-AL or between Harbottle & Haywood you would attend the time slot for HAO – HAY and so on.

**Someone is bringing me to the clinic but they have a different surname - can I attend the clinic at a different time than the time slot allocated to me?** Yes, but where possible please try to attend the time slot that pertains to your surname.

**Why haven't those patients aged under 65 been invited to these clinics?** Eligible patients aged under 65 receive a different type of flu vaccine so we run separate clinics for these patients. We will contact all eligible patients inviting them to a clinic for their age group.

**I hear that those patients aged 50 to 64 without an underlying health condition are eligible for a free flu vaccination again this year?** Practices are receiving the vaccines for this cohort later in October. We will contact these patients in October to invite them to a clinic.

**I have heard there will be a Covid Booster jab?** The Government have not yet confirmed their plans for this.

**If you have any difficulties with mobility and need assistance please speak to the car park attendants when you arrive**

**I am unable to make the flu clinic** - Please ring us in the week commencing the 4<sup>th</sup> October. We are expecting high demand for the vaccine this year and need to wait until after the flu clinics to determine how many vaccines we have left. We will not be able to arrange an alternative appointment until then.

**To ensure the clinic runs smoothly, please wear a short sleeve top under your outer clothes.**

## **CONSENT FORM – YOU MUST SIGN THE BELOW AND BRING THIS LETTER WITH YOU TO THE FLU CLINIC.**

I agree to receive the flu vaccine and I confirm:

- I am not unwell and do not have a raised temperature or any other symptoms of Covid19
- I am not allergic to eggs, albumin or feathers.
- I have not had any previous reactions to the flu vaccine
- I have not already had a vaccination against the flu since the 1<sup>st</sup> September 2021
- If I am on Warfarin, Phenytoin or Theophylline I will tell the nurse before they vaccinate me.

**PATIENT SIGNATURE:**

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Date & Time of Vaccine:

Site Given (Please tick box\*):  Left OR  Right Deltoid Muscle

Patients Temperature

Signature of vaccinator:

PLACE STICKER FROM VACCINE BELOW: