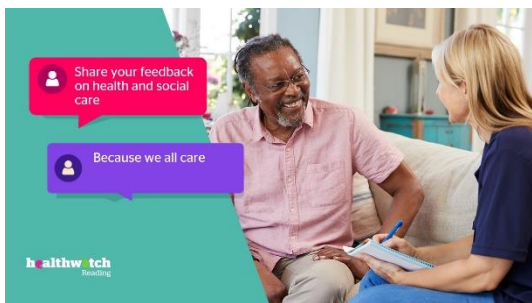


August 2020 edition of our monthly e-newsletter

[Latest rules on using the NHS](#)

Find out what's open, where you can visit and what to do differently.



[Take our Covid survey](#)

We have extended our deadline to mid-August to allow you to share your views on care during the pandemic.

[Test figures & other data](#)

Around 200 Reading people have tested positive with Covid-19 in the past month as the NHS testing scheme expands.



[Flu jab scheme extended](#)

Healthy people aged 50+ are among new groups of people eligible for immunisations on the NHS this autumn.

Reading's top doctors

University Medical Group came first in our town for overall experience in the national GP Patient Survey.



Boris outlines obesity plan

The prime minister has told the nation to take up cycling and lose weight, to have a better chance of surviving Covid and preventing disease.

Patients back merger

We ensured a patients' group got the chance to consider the merger of two GP surgeries, before it formally went ahead.



Also this month...

[Volunteers wanted for Covid trial](#)

[Young people get online counselling service](#)

[Shielding has ended - find out what it means for you](#)