

Liver Fibroscan Service

Mid Hampshire Healthcare have been commissioned by West Hampshire CCG to deliver a Liver Fibroscan diagnostic service for the patients of our Member Practices. This service is an innovative way of identifying patients who are at low, moderate or high risk of developing liver disease.



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Why do I need a liver scan?

Your GP Practice has suggested that you have a Fibroscan. Following the result of your liver function blood test (FIB4), further investigation on the health of your liver is recommended, this will show in more detail, how well your liver is working.

What is a Fibroscan?

A Fibroscan is similar to an ultrasound, it will assess how stiff the liver is without the need for an operational procedure. The stiffness of your liver can indicate how well your liver is working. It is quick, easy and painless. You may feel slight vibrations from the tip of the probe device however this is not painful and very normal.

What do I need to do before my scan?

In order to obtain an accurate result, please drink plenty of water but **do not eat anything 3 hours prior** to your appointment.

What happens after my scan?

The results are immediate. Depending on your Fibroscan results, the clinician will discuss with you what the next recommended steps are. You will be given information on other lifestyle support services.

How do I book an appointment?

Appointments can be booked with the Receptionist at your Practice. You will be asked for consent to share your full electronic medical record with our clinicians at the time of booking. You will be offered a date, time and location most suitable for you. Your appointment will last approximately 30 minutes.

How do I cancel my appointment?

Please contact your Practice Reception to cancel your appointment, if you provide your mobile number at the time of booking, you will receive a text message reminder 24 hours before your appointment where you can text back to cancel.

When and where are the clinics?

Watercress Surgery

Lymington Bottom Road, Alton GU34 5EW

Appointments are available every
Monday, all day.



St Paul's Surgery

Alison Way, Winchester SO22 5DD

Appointments are available every
Tuesday morning.

Shepherds Spring Medical Centre

Cricketers Way, Andover SP10 5DE

Appointments are available every
Wednesday, all day.



Wickham Surgery

Houghton Way, Wickham, Fareham PO17 5GU

Appointments are available every
Friday morning.

Stokewood Surgery

Fair Oak Road, Fair Oak, Eastleigh SO50 8AU

Appointments are available every
Friday afternoon.



Complaints

If you are not happy with the service provided, information about Mid Hampshire Healthcare's complaints procedure can be found on our website.



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well-being and lives of
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and Rural South GP Practices