**Sexual Health**

**AXESS Sexual Health is the free contraception and sexual health service for Halton, and Warrington, provided by Liverpool University Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust**.

The service offers a wide range of confidential services, including STI testing, treatment, contraception (including long-acting and emergency), pregnancy testing, PEP, and specialist young people’s services.

A postal STI testing and treatment service is offered through the digital partner, SH:24.

For more information and to check clinic availability, please call or visit the service website.

0300 323 1300

<https://www.axess.clinic/>

**Information for partners**

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**Information for Partners and Public**

As of Monday 16th March the service is continuously under review in respect to Government and PHE / NHS guidance on the coronavirus pandemic and also staffing levels. The service will be offering a limited service and will need to reduce or change current operating venues/clinic offer.

All asymptomatic patients should be directed to postal testing via [www.axess.clinic](file:///C:\Users\jcarter2\AppData\Local\Microsoft\Windows\INetCache\Content.Outlook\3MSG5SSH\www.axess.clinic)

The sexual health service has moved to a telephone triage system and will offer on the day appointments where possible across its service delivery locations.

This telephone service is currently available from 8.30 open Monday to Friday

Service users/ patients are requested to visit the website for the latest information or contact the services directly before attending by phoning 0300 323 1300

Pharmacy Provision – will continue to offer EHC where possible via triage system and provide telephone support. Again patients are encouraged to ring pharmacy to check current offer.

Patients who need specialist and HIV Treatment should also contact the triage telephone service.

The service will operate between Warrington and Halton.