

EMERGENCY SIT AND WAIT APPOINTMENTS

These appointments are for a single problem which is too urgent to wait until the next available appointment. You will be asked to give the reason that you need to be seen and leave a contact number so that a GP can contact you before the appointment time if necessary or give you urgent advice over the telephone.

GOOD FOR

- Patients with a genuine **urgent** medical problem, when no other appointment is available

NOT USEFUL FOR

- Patients with an emergency needing hospital treatment such as **suspected stroke or heart attack**
- Patients with an ongoing problem
- Patients with a condition that can wait for the next available routine appointment