

Wellbeing Erewash has been set up as one of a number of places around the country - known as NHS England 'vanguards' - to look at new ways of improving people's health and wellbeing.

It involves the people of Erewash, the local NHS, social care and the voluntary sector. The aim is to encourage thriving communities within Erewash, where people feel confident and supported to choose a healthier lifestyle, stay well, and know how to get help and support when needed.



Our work is making a difference. Emergency admissions to hospital from Erewash patients are currently **down about one per cent** compared to a couple of years ago. This bucks the trend seen in most other NHS communities.



Those people that are being admitted to hospital need to be there. The people being admitted tend to have more severe illness or injury. Hence, the average length of stay in hospital has **increased by 0.4%.**

The year-on-year A&E attendance from Erewash patients has stayed at **about the same level** - whereas other areas in the country have tended to see increased use of A&E.



Analysis of the type of patients attending A&E from Erewash has seen a

10% drop in those with **less complex symptoms or injuries** - suggesting we are successfully caring for these people within our community services.



There are **12 GP practices** in Erewash with a registered population of **97,000 people.**



We have two primary care hubs - in Ilkeston and Long Eaton.

The hubs provide **15-minute appointments** with an **advanced nurse practitioner.**

The extended hours hubs provided about **5,500 appointments** in 2016-17.



Savings made from running this service were about **£241,000.**



The 'on day service' has proved to be very popular since its introduction:

★ Since the service began in November 2016, **7,280 appointments** have been delivered.

★ Only **5%** of these appointments needed to be referred on to **A&E.**

★ Estimated savings generated by the service are about nearly **£350,000.**



94% of patients attending the Long Eaton 'on day service' in its first three months said their needs were met by the service.



99% of patients were either 'very happy, happy, or satisfied' with their experience at the Long Eaton one day service.



GP practices that were among the first to sign up as part of the 'on day service' are starting to see **fewer patients needing to go to accident and emergency**



The patient-facing pharmacist has provided **601** appointments since June 2016.

During 2016-17, the community GP provided **331 face-to-face contacts** and **30 non face-to-face contacts**



If GPs had seen all these patients it would have cost an estimated **£51,000.**



Erewash Time Swap has now attracted its **100th member** - with more than **70 time swaps** having taken place.



13 voluntary sector organisations have gone through the Quality For Health assurance process.

Our **Brilliant Erewash** programme has been taken up by



in the area. It is targeted at year seven students.

77 members have joined the Erewash Development Workers Network



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