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VERY IMPORTANT INVITATION NEWSLETTER



November has finally arrived and we can now look back on a very busy and **fulfilling** October. We spent a lot of time out and about within the community spreading **Cervical Screening Awareness**. And even had a very fancy evening **celebrating** all our hard work over the last year...

Continuing to collaborate with the Be Well Bus in many locations across Suffolk and North East Essex.



Nurse Laura has been incredibly busy in the community. Visiting foodbanks and also with pop-ups in libraries around North East Essex. With more dates to come.



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NURSING TIMES AWARDS

On October 22nd some of the team donned their finest and attended the **Nursing Times Awards** in London at the JW Marriott Grosvenor Hotel. This year the team were shortlisted for **6 awards!!** With a record-breaking total of over **750 applications**, and an exceptionally high standard, it is an incredible and well-deserved reflection of the hard work the team have put in over the last year.

Although we did not receive an award this year, to be in a room surrounded by other healthcare professionals who have also been recognised for **nursing innovation, patient-focused and inclusive care** was inspiring.

The event brings together the nursing community, shining a light on some of the **best work in the profession.**



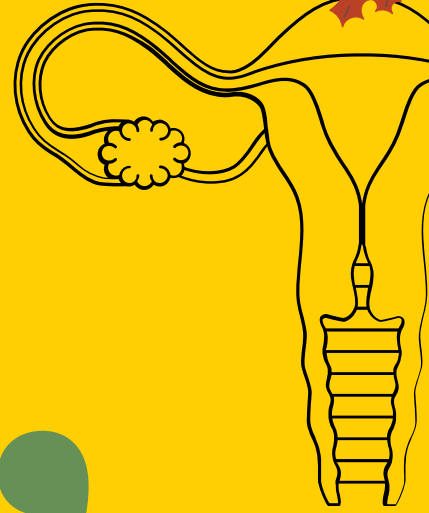
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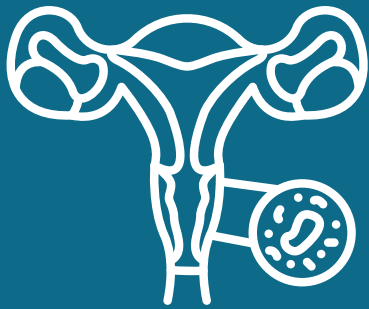
Following the awards the team enjoyed some delicious food and a silent disco. We received some amazing feedback from the judges which we will take forward for next years awards (see below) !

This application was described as an outstanding, detailed, and highly relevant project addressing barriers to cervical screening, particularly in underserved communities. Judges valued the co-production with service users and professionals, and praised the large body of supporting evidence including testimonials and intervention data.



In all it was a great event and we are very lucky we got to attend. I think the team should be so proud of the achievements from the last year and attention they have drawn to the importance of cervical screening. Through various events, such as Cara's 5k's, being on the radio and many more the team have raised awareness and help address the barriers and inequalities many people face when attending for screening.

Huge congratulations to everyone involved- being shortlisted for 6 awards is an incredible achievement! We will continue to build on this success and keep raising the bar for nursing excellence.



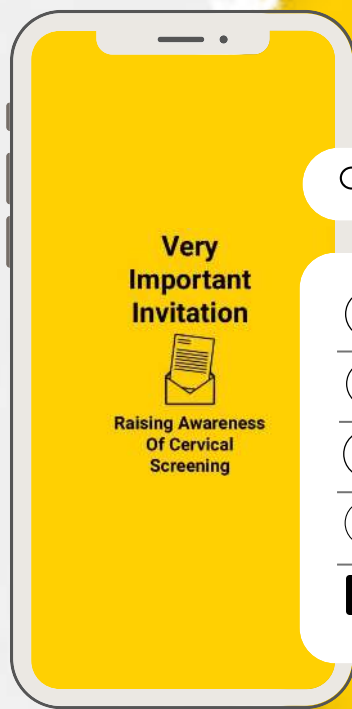
As of September 2025 NHS digital launched results via the NHS app. Here is what you need to know:

Negative results: Patients with a negative result will receive a notification in the NHS app. If the notification is not read within 72hours, a letter will be sent to the patients registered address.

Abnormal result: Patients with abnormal results will continue to receive a letter in the post.

Digital access: The NHS app is available on android and IOS and it is recommended to download the app and enable notifications to stay updated on the results.

With October been and gone we now look ahead to the more festive months. With many more community events to look forward too as well organising an upcoming clinic for the under-screened communities. Keep an eye on our socials for updates on our whereabouts!



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