

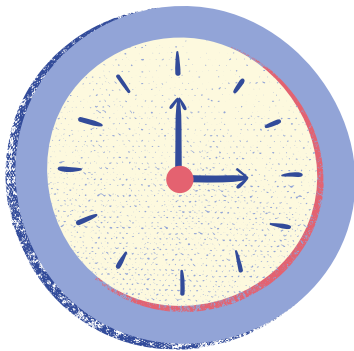


Strike action at WSFT



What is happening?

Some members of the British Medical Association will be taking part in national strikes this month.



How long will services be affected?

Two sets of doctors' strikes will take place from Thursday 13 July to Saturday 22 July 2023



Patients need to be aware that it may take slightly longer for services to return to normal.



It is really important that you still go to any appointments you have planned on the strike days.



We will contact you directly if your appointment needs to be changed due to the strike action.



This is likely to be a letter or a phonecall.



If we have not contacted you, please go to your appointment as normal.



What if I need urgent or emergency care?

Our accident and emergency services are open over the strikes. In a serious or life-threatening emergency call 999 or come to our emergency department.



If you feel ill, but it is not an emergency, please call 111 and someone will be able to help you.



If my appointment is changed, will I be put back to the bottom of the waiting list?

Any appointments that need to be changed will be done so as a priority.