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PRESS RELEASE

Trust opens sexual health clinic on a Saturday

The Dudley Group of Hospitals is offering sexual health clinics on a Saturday morning for people who do not have time to attend during the week.

The nurse-led drop-in clinics are for people of any age or gender who are sexually active and who are starting or ending a relationship, exposed to infection, worried about sexually transmitted infections and have no symptoms but want peace of mind.

“We have listened to our patients and they have asked us to open on a Saturday,” said Jo Millichip, lead nurse for The Dudley Group Sexual Health Service.

“The clinics are for people not showing symptoms but if they do need a follow up we will offer a guaranteed appointment the following Monday.”

Specialist nurses are available to carry out a number of common tests for sexually transmitted infections.

The clinics, run by our new Dudley Group Sexual Health Service in the Genito-Urinary Medicine Department at Russells Hall Hospital, are open between 10.00am and 1.00pm (doors close at 12.30pm).

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NOTES TO EDITOR

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