



The Targeted Lung Health Check programme is being offered to people in Lambeth registered with a GP between the ages of 55 to 74 years who are either current or former smokers, as they are at a greater risk of lung cancer. Those eligible will be receive a text message from their GP letting them know they have been identified and a further appointment letter will arrive at their home address inviting them for a lung health check.

**What to expect if you are invited:**

The lung health check appointment will consist of a 10-minute lung health assessment telephone call with a specialist nurse and if identified as higher risk of lung disease you will be invited for a simple CT scan in your local area. The scan will help identify any issues early before symptoms occur, when there are more treatment options available.

The CT scan is a quick, easy and judgment free service, there are nurses on board to talk through next steps and to answer any questions or concerns. Once the CT scan has been completed, you will receive your results in the post in 28 days. If any further action is needed, someone from the team will be in touch with you directly. The service will help support with travel costs, interpretative services and any access needs you have.

If you believe you are eligible for a Targeted Lung Health Check and haven't received an invite, please make sure your GP medical record is up to date and whether you have ever smoked. You can also call the booking number below if you have missed your appointment: 0330 236 8484.

**Get involved:**

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