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| “I went into my doctor’s at 10:45 in the morning, by 2:35 in the afternoon on the same day I was being treated……..Great service” | Participating practicesBeacon Medical CentreThe Avenue Medical CentreDam Head Medical CentreCharlestown Medical CentreWillowbank SurgeryValentine Medical CentreThe Singh Medical PracticeFernclough SurgeryConran Medical CentreCity Health CentreVictoria Mill Health CentreWhitley Road Medical CentreBrookdale SurgeryNewton Heath Health CentreDroylsden Road Family PracticeSt. Georges Medical CentreSimpson MemorialHazeldene Medical CentreClayton Health CentreCornerstones Health CentreFive Oaks Family practiceFlorence House Medical PracticeLime Square Medical CentreNew Islington Medical CentreUrban Village Medical Practice | North Manchester Care Organisation **STRAIGHT2PHYSIO** |
| We also have links to a number of local exercise and activity schemes which your physiotherapist can refer you to or discuss with you.These include the BUZZ and BeWell services.For simple information about a number of musculoskeletal conditions, and links to a range of exercises, why not visit our website**www.pat.nhs.uk/physio** |   PHYSIOTHERAPY DEPARTMENT ‘A NORTH MANCHESTER GENERAL HOSPITAL  DELAUNAYS ROAD  CRUMPSALL  MANCHESTER  M8 5RB  TEL: 0161 720 2321 | PHYSIOTHERAPY DEPARTMENT A NORTH MANCHESTER GENERAL HOSPITALPHYSIOTHERAPY SELF-REFERRAL SERVICEYour business tag line here.Tel: 0161 720 2321 |
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| Do you have joint, muscle or spinal pain?If you do, you can now access NHS physiotherapy without seeing your GP first, through STRAIGHT2PHYSIO, an innovative new venture between local GP practices and the Physiotherapy Department at NMGH. **If you have a GP from a practice listed overleaf** *and***You are 16 years or over**,please contact the physiotherapy department directly on :0161 720 2321(Mon-Fri 8:30-4:00)A member of our clerical team will initially take your details. A senior clinician will contact you within **24 working hours** to discuss your problem, give you appropriate advice, and where necessary, book you to come in for a face to face assessment. | PhysiotherapyPhysiotherapists are experts in musculoskeletal problems, and are skilled in the assessment, diagnosis and management of these conditions.Most musculoskeletal problems are best managed by physiotherapists and it has been shown that early intervention can stop a problem becoming a long term issue.Physiotherapists are also highly trained in dealing with persistent or recurrent musculoskeletal problems, with the aim being to promote self-management of the condition.The department has a range of condition specific groups which you can be referred to if appropriate.Illustration of a persons back showing the spine | Needle entering a bottle of liquid medicationTier 2 MSK ServiceIf your condition is not improving, or becomes worse, you can be referred to one of the Advanced Physiotherapy Practitioners within the department,who can organise tests such X-rays, ultrasound scans or MRI scans. They can also administer corticosteroid injections for a number of conditions.If you require an onward referral to a consultant in the Orthopaedic, Rheumatology or Neurosurgery departments, this can also be arranged by the Tier 2 Practitioner. |