Cookies

We use cookies on our website to make your experience as easy and simple as possible. Cookies are small data files that we place on your computer. They improve your experience by remembering site related settings and information in addition to measuring how you use the website so we can make sure it meets your needs.

Cookies do not identify you personally. Please see Healthwatch Portsmouth's Privacy Policy

Types of cookies and how we use them:

First party cookies

First party cookies are our own. We control them and use them to provide information about the way you use our website.

a11y-high-contrast
Used to specify a higher contrast colour scheme to aid people with sight difficulties.

a11y-larger-fontsize
Used to specify larger fonts throughout the site to aid people with sight difficulties.

Third party cookies

Third party cookies are set by other websites. We use their online tools to make our website work better for you.

We use Google Analytics to view statistics on the way you use our website. We can check:
- how many people have visited our website and what content they look at.
- how many times documents have been downloaded.
- what people are looking for on our website.

We use the following third party cookies set by Google Analytics.

_ga
Used to distinguish users and expires after two years.

_gid
Used to distinguish users and expires after 24 hours.

_gat
Used to affect the speed of data transfer and expires after one minute.

For more information, please read Google's Privacy Policy at www.google.com/policies/privacy

Managing the cookies on your computer

You can restrict or block cookies set by our website and others by changing the settings in your browser. Doing this however may impact the way our website works for you in the future.

Visit the About Cookies website at www.aboutcookies.org.uk to find out more about restricting or blocking cookies in different browsers.

You can also learn more about cookies at www.gov.uk/support/cookies on the DirectGov website.

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