

To all GP Colleagues,

**Temporary Closure of X-Ray Service at Barking Community Hospital**

As part of our continued commitment to modernisation and the replacement of our X-Ray equipment at our satellite sites we will be replacing the X-Ray equipment at Barking Community Hospital.

**There will be no X-Ray services at Barking Community Hospital from  
Monday 24 November 2025**

This is to allow for the removal of the old equipment and start the construction work for the replacement equipment and the refurbishment of the new X-Ray room.

The contingency plan is to transfer X-Rays services to King George Hospital whilst the essential work is being completed.

Some of the advantages will be;

- Reduced risks of equipment breakdowns and prolonged downtimes
- Better image quality and faster processing times
- Avoiding long examination delays
- Improved experience for patients and staff

We apologise in advance for any inconvenience whilst this essential replacement work takes place.

We aim to have the works completed by the end of January 2026, but we will keep you updated.

Thank you for your understanding and cooperation during this transition.

**Radiology Department**

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