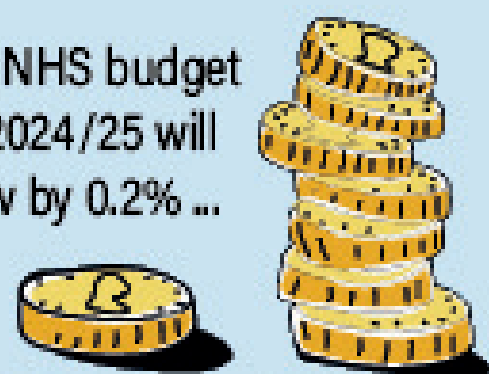


We are experiencing a significant increase in demand for appointments, queries and prescriptions. We apologise, as this can lead to delays in answering the telephone or being able to offer appointments and advice in a timely manner.

We are trying to improve access to the Surgery for you with new ways of delivering services. Unfortunately we are limited by the lack of government investment into General Practice.

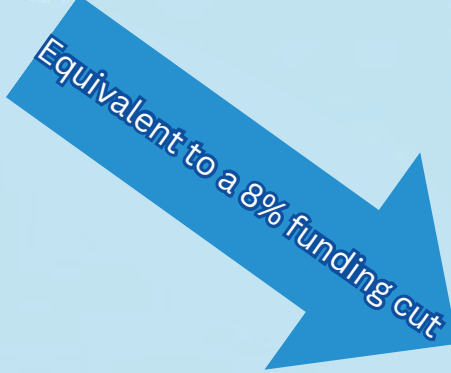
Problems facing GP Surgeries across England

The NHS budget for 2024/25 will grow by 0.2% ...



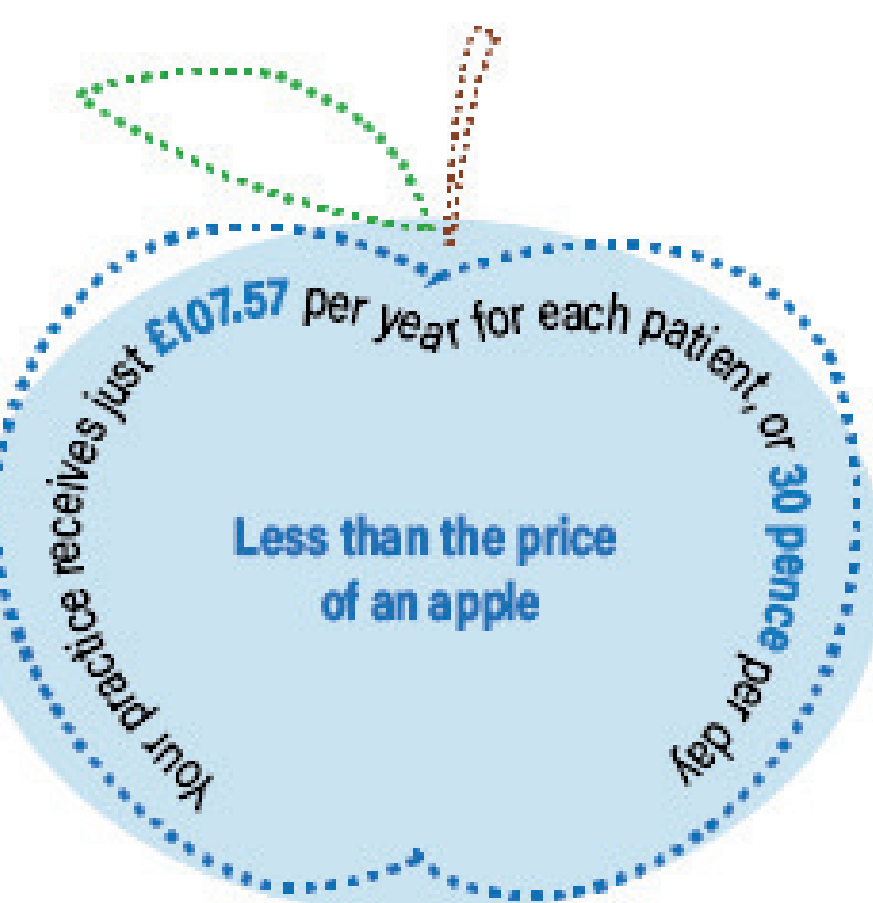
NHS: 0.2% Inflation: 2%
... well below inflation

8.9%
(2015/6)



Less than 8%
2024/5

Government investment in Primary Care has fallen



The Government and Integrated Care Boards are increasing the demand on General Practice by **moving more work** from Secondary

Care (services generally provided in hospitals and clinics) into the community.



The overall population in England is **increasing** 53.5 million in 2012 to 57.1 million in 2022

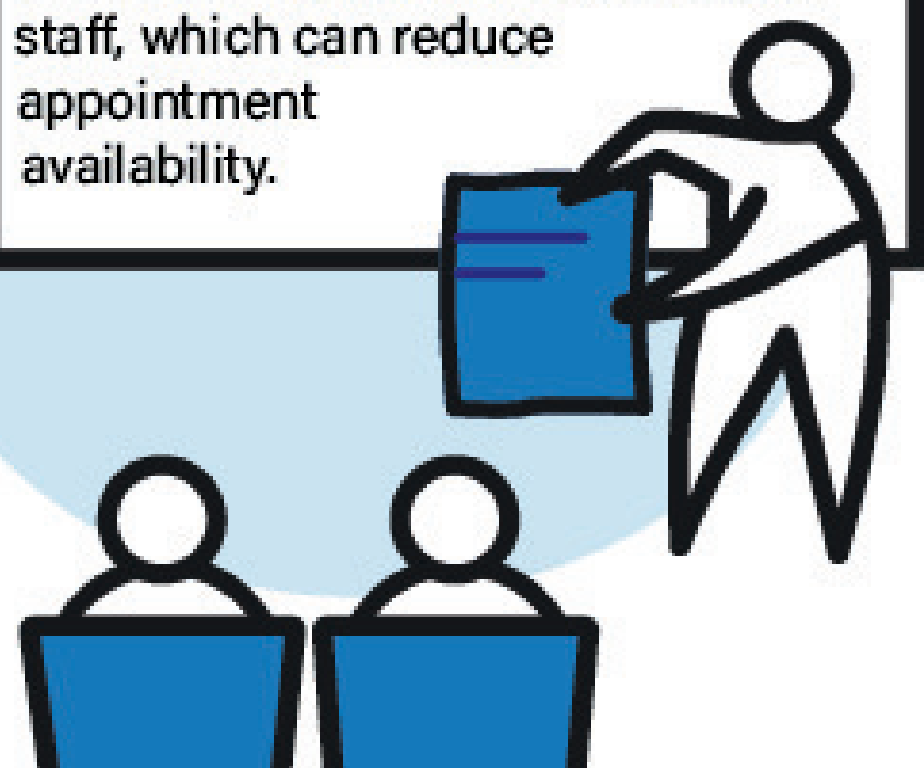


Since 2015 there are **1759 fewer** fully qualified full-time GPs



As a result, each full-time GP is responsible for **356** more patients

GPs need to **supervise** other clinical staff, which can reduce appointment availability.



People are **living longer** with **more complex** health and social care needs.



Sorry
WE'RE
CLOSED

Some GP surgeries are having to **close** or **merge** to maintain services to patients

We are trying our best to provide the service our patients need, but the current staffing and funding crisis felt across General Practice in England is severely restricting what we can offer in the timescales NHS England suggests