

# IMPORTANT CHANGES TO URGENT CARE SERVICES IN SOUTH TEES FROM 1 APRIL 2017

## Changes to opening hours at Redcar Minor Injury Unit (MIU)



Please note that, from 1 April 2017, opening times at the Minor Injury Unit here at Redcar Primary Care Hospital have changed to reflect patient demand.

### **The new opening times are:**

**8am to 9.30pm, 7 days a week** and include access to x-ray.

The service will assess and treat people with minor injuries such as:



- sprains and strains
- broken bones
- wound infections
- minor burns and scalds
- minor head injuries
- insect and animal bites
- minor eye injuries
- injuries to the back, shoulder and chest

**If your condition does not require this service, you will be directed to the most suitable service for you.**

### **What if I have an urgent need after 9.30pm?**

Simply call **111** and they will direct you to the most appropriate service. 111 is available 24 hours a day, seven days a week to help you access local urgent health services.



**when it's less urgent than 999**