

TEST RESULTS ON EMIS

RESULT TERMINOLOGY	EXPLANATION OF WHAT THE GP MEANS
Normal	This means that the doctor has looked at the result and deemed it to be within the normal range for the test and so no further investigation or treatment is needed.
Normal for this patient	This means that the doctor has looked at the result and deemed it to be very close to the normal range for the test and the result is not concerning. Some patients have consistently out of range results that are "normal" for them.
Satisfactory – if symptoms present contact the GP	This means that the result may be within or outside the normal range but acceptable to the doctor in the circumstances. But please contact GP if symptoms persist.
Satisfactory – no action	This means that the result may be within or outside the normal range but acceptable to the doctor in the circumstances.
Patient to telephone the GP to discuss	This is similar to the above but the doctor would like to speak to you to explain the result(s) by telephone as detailed explanations and/or further treatment or investigation(s) may be necessary.
Make appointment with GP to discuss	This is similar to the above but the doctor wishes to explain the result(s) face to face as detailed explanations and/or further treatment or investigation(s) may be necessary.
Make appointment with nurse to discuss	This is similar to the above but the doctor wishes for the nurse to explain the result(s) face to face as detailed explanations and/or further treatment or investigation(s) may be necessary.
Correct treatment	Self explanatory
Improving	Self explanatory
Hospital Bloods	These are copies of blood results sent to us from the hospital if you are under their care. It is the responsibility of the hospital to contact the patient should any action be required
Collect prescription	Self explanatory

Repeat test please	This is because the test is inconclusive therefore a second test is necessary to compare
DNA – Failed to return FOBT kit	You were sent the bowel cancer screening kit but did not return it
Already dealt with	Self explanatory
GP discussed with patient	The doctor has already discussed this result with you
Make long diabetic appointment with diabetic nurse	The doctor wishes for the nurse to explain the result(s) face to face as detailed explanations and/or further treatment or investigation(s) may be necessary.
Make short diabetic appointment with diabetic nurse	The doctor wishes for the nurse to explain the result(s) face to face as detailed explanations and/or further treatment or investigation(s) may be necessary.
<i>Stable</i>	Self Explanatory
<i>Smear borderline 4K29</i>	You will receive a letter direct from the NHS Cervical Screening Programme confirming the result of your smear test. Once you have received the letter, should you have any concerns or queries please ask for a call back with your GP.
<i>Smear inadequate 4K21</i>	
<i>Smear mild dyskaryosis 4K23</i>	
<i>Smear moderate dyskaryosis 4K28</i>	
<i>Smear negative 4K22</i>	
<i>Smear severe dyskaryosis 4K24</i>	