**Practice News:**

Swillington Health centre became an integral part of Dr Freeman and Partners on the 1st November 2018, with all services being offered to every patient at any of our 3 locations, (Oulton, Marsh Street, and Swillington)

Doctors, together with staff, now work at the 3 locations ensuring that the family GP ethos is echoed across the practice group.

**New Joiners to the Practice** (including staff transferring from Swillington)

**Doctors:** Dr Marie-Claire Van Roon

**Advanced Nurse Practitioner**: Garry Smallwood. Gary is available as an alternative to a General Practitioner and can prescribe and diagnose a variety of conditions and is able to refer to specialists.

**Nursing Team:** Sr Christine Littlewood, Kirstie Woodmansey and Vicky Hindle join our fabulous nursing team

**Reception Team**: Emma, Sarah D, Sarah H, Karen, Michelle and Bev join our dedicated reception team.

**Winter Newsletter**

**2018/2019**

**Dr Freeman & Partners**

**Oulton Medical Centre, Marsh Street Surgery**

**& Swillington Health Practice**

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**We wish each of our patients a Healthy and Happy Festive Period**

**’It is with immense sadness we pass on the following message from Dr Helen Sarveswaran, GP Partner at Oulton, Marsh Street and Swillington.**

“Our beautiful baby girl passed away in her sleep in the Autumn of 2018, aged 10 months. Martin house hospice gave us the chance to say goodbye to Juliette, offering her a resting place for a few days, in a peaceful setting surrounded by her family, photos, soft toys, and our love. We could say goodbye in our own time, after such a sudden and unexpected ending to her life. Our family were able to come and share the peaceful experience, with our own private indoor space and garden to reflect, as well as play and focus on her brother, Zachary. They also provide ongoing bereavement support & counselling. We will always be grateful to Martin House for this opportunity, words cannot express how much we appreciated it”

Please help support this charity to continue to do such amazing work, supporting children with life limiting conditions and their families, as well as bereaved families.  If you wish to donate please see the link below

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