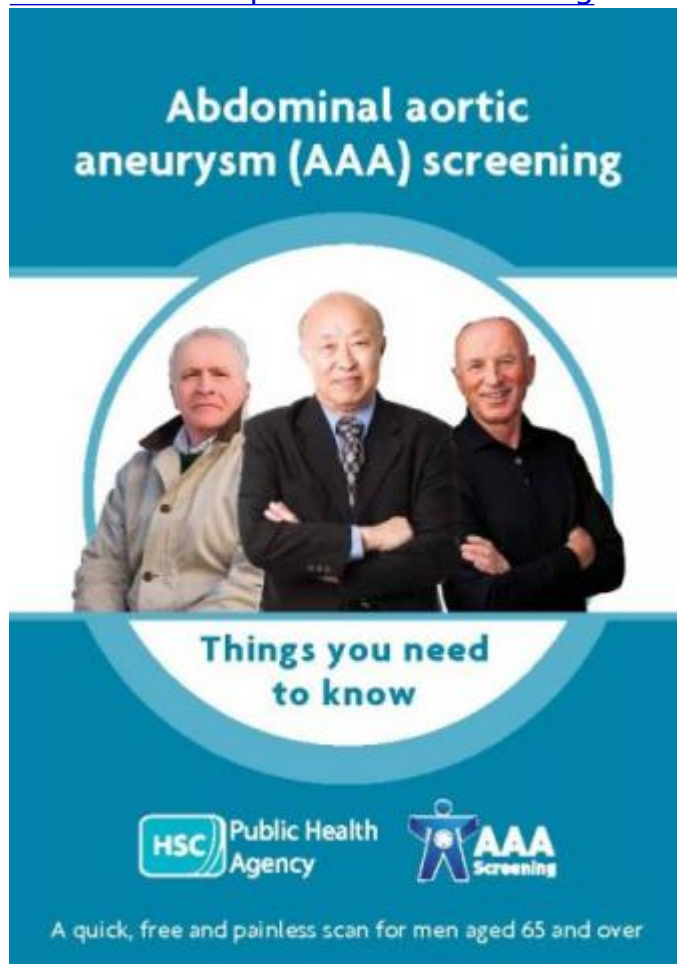


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Service Development and Screening



An abdominal aortic aneurysm (AAA) is a swelling in the abdominal aorta, which is the main artery that supplies blood to your body. As the AAA grows, the wall of the aorta stretches and becomes weaker, which can eventually lead to a significant risk of a burst AAA. This is often fatal. The aim of the AAA screening programme is to reduce AAA-related mortality by providing a systematic, population-based screening programme.

The invite leaflet is for all men invited to take part in the screening programme. Men will automatically be invited for screening in their 65th year, while men aged over 65 can request a scan through the central screening office.

It provides men with all the information they need about AAA screening prior to their appointment, including:

- the rationale behind the screening programme;
- details on the screening process;
- the different possible results from screening;

- what happens if you are diagnosed with an AAA;
- the risks associated with AAAs.

The small, medium and large AAA information leaflets are for men who have been diagnosed with an AAA through the screening programme and provide details of what happens next.

The flyer was produced to help maximise awareness of the screening programme and provides a summary of AAAs, the dangers they pose and the screening process. They are distributed to eligible men through the following channels, among others: public events (eg men's groups), Farm Families Health Checks programme; health information stands in shopping centres etc; GP practices; pharmacies.

The poster and cards support also support the programme.

An FAQs document is also available [here](#).

Translations and large print accessible Word versions of the leaflets are available below.

Details

Format

A5 leaflets, A5 flyer

Target group

Men aged 65 years and older

Downloads

Attachment	Size
AAA Invite Leaflet 2024_Final.pdf	348.63 KB
AAA Invite leaflet accessible Word version	126.99 KB
AAA A5 flyer 2024_Final.pdf	257.38 KB
AAA flyer accessible Word version	119.84 KB
AAA Large Results leaflet 2024 Final	336.63 KB
AAA Large results leaflet accessible Word version	129.17 KB
AAA Medium Results leaflet 2024 Final	351.84 KB
AAA Medium results leaflet accessible Word version	128.48 KB
AAA Small Results leaflet 2024 Final	371.63 KB
AAA Small results leaflet accessible Word version	128.6 KB

Attachment	Size
AAA Large Alert Card 2024 Final	140.7 KB
AAA Small Medium Alert Card 2024 Final	155.46 KB
AAA A3 Poster 2024_Final.pdf	178.93 KB
AAA Wallet Card 2024_Final.pdf	156.41 KB
AAA Invite Leaflet 2024 Arabic.pdf	1.63 MB
AAA Invite Leaflet 2024 Bulgarian.pdf	1.61 MB
AAA Invite Leaflet 2024 Irish.pdf	1.23 MB
AAA Invite Leaflet 2024 Lithuanian.pdf	1.12 MB
AAA Invite Leaflet 2024 Polish.pdf	1.44 MB
AAA Invite Leaflet 2024 Portuguese.pdf	1.33 MB
AAA Invite Leaflet 2024 Romanian.pdf	1.59 MB
AAA Large Leaflet 2024 Arabic.pdf	1.36 MB
AAA Large Leaflet 2024 Bulgarian.pdf	1.11 MB
AAA Large Leaflet 2024 Irish.pdf	1.03 MB
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AAA Large Leaflet 2024 Romanian.pdf	1.32 MB
AAA Medium Leaflet 2024 Arabic.pdf	1.19 MB
AAA Medium Leaflet 2024 Bulgarian.pdf	1.11 MB
AAA Medium Leaflet 2024 Irish.pdf	946.06 KB
AAA Medium Leaflet 2024 Lithuanian.pdf	1.07 MB
AAA Medium Leaflet 2024 Polish.pdf	1.1 MB
AAA Medium Leaflet 2024 Portuguese.pdf	1.11 MB
AAA Medium Leaflet 2024 Romanian.pdf	1.2 MB
AAA Small Leaflet 2024 Arabic.pdf	1.2 MB
AAA Small Leaflet 2024 Bulgarian.pdf	1.13 MB
AAA Small Leaflet 2024 Irish.pdf	958.71 KB
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