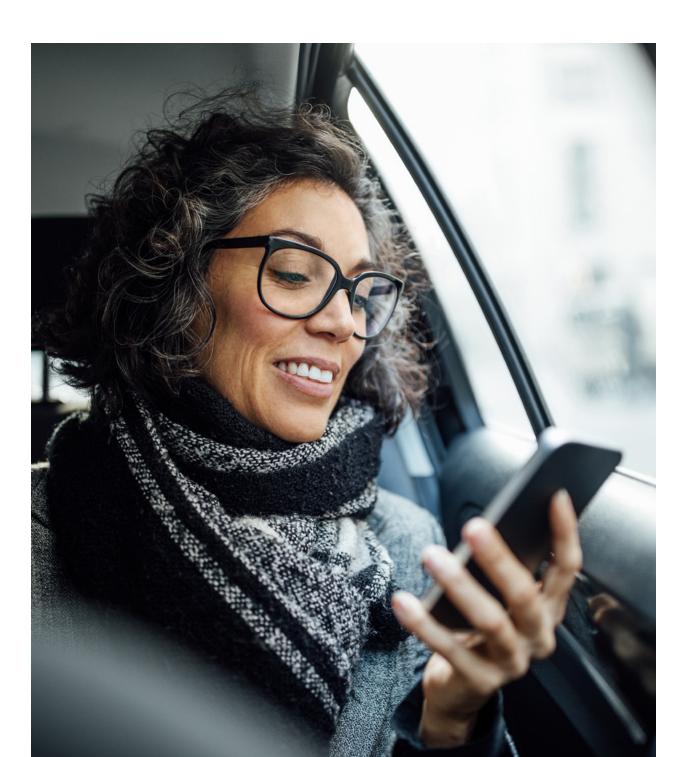
# Virtual GP Service

## Guide for employees









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## Welcome to the Virtual GP Service

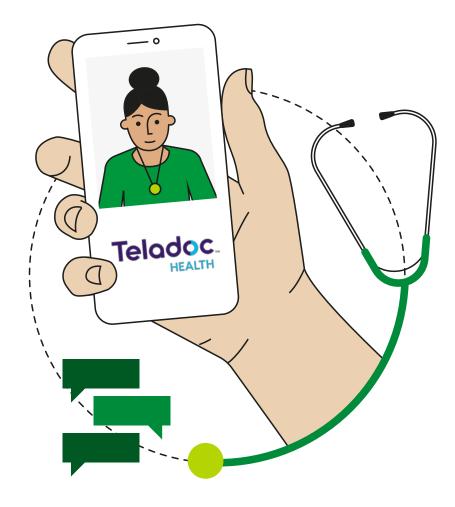
The Health365 app from Teladoc Health is designed to help you manage your health by providing fast and direct access to a Virtual GP, Mental Health and Physiotherapy service.

Available 24/7, 365 days a year, you and your immediate family<sup>\*</sup> will have access to medical and wellbeing support in the moments that matter. Health365 gives you access to mental health services through targeted single session therapy, as well as your children through child mental health consultations.

The remote Physiotherapy service also offers quick and easy access to a highly qualified Physiotherapist by video or over the phone, without the need for a referral from a GP.

### **About Teladoc Health**

Teladoc Health is a global virtual care leader, with over 76 million members and 12,000 clients throughout the world.



\*Immediate family includes your partner, spouse, or registered civil partner and children under 18 where you are the parent or legal guardian.

## Virtual GP Service

### App: Health365

Booking a GP appointment when you need it and at a time that fits around you isn't always easy but Virtual GP lets you do just that.

Virtual GP doesn't replace your registered GP. Instead, it's there when you need fast answers and peace of mind for a medical problem that isn't an emergency. Virtual GP can provide support for a range of concerns through phone or video – it can be just as effective as a traditional face-to-face appointment.

The GPs can help you in several ways, including:

- Writing same day private prescriptions
- Issuing sick notes
- Offering private specialist referrals

## **Benefits of Virtual GP**



**24/7/365 access** to a team of GPs including those with an extended specialist role.



You have the option to request a female or male GP



Prescription service – free same day/next day delivery, available 7 days a week



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Sick Notes at no cost

#### GPs have time to listen

and focus on health needs during each video or phone consultation that can last up to 30 minutes.





## Mental Health Services

## App: Health365

Good health starts with positive mental wellbeing.

Wellbeing is primarily centred in the mind, but is inextricably linked with physical health, financial health and social health. The comprehensive wellbeing support is designed with mental wellbeing at its core, to help when you or your immediate family need it most. Whether it's you or another member of your immediate family, the individual is put at the heart of the care package, making sure that expert support is available in the moments that really matter.

We've partnered with Teladoc Health to help provide access to mental wellbeing support for you and your immediate family. $^{*}$ 

### Single session therapy for adults

Single session therapy is provided by Teladoc Health's clinical Psychologists with specific training in this practice.

How the service works (for over 18s)

- You're encouraged to prepare for the session by focusing on your goals.
- You and the therapist agree to deal with their nominated concern in a session that could last up to 50 minutes.
- The session has a purpose and further help is available if needed.
- You'll receive bespoke self-help material to achieve the agreed goals after the consultation.
- A follow-up session can be organised to check on progress and offer further advice.



### Good to know

- Virtual GP and Mental Health services can be accessed through the Health365 app and portal from Teladoc Health.
- All GPs are NHS-trained and registered with the General Medical Council
- The service is available to you and your immediate family\*
- No personal or medical information is shared with Legal & General or your employer

### **Child Mental Health Consultations**

A service that enables family members to express and explore difficult thoughts and emotions safely. Tailored support on treatment, resources and self-help management is provided.

#### How does it work?

#### **Consultation request:**

You can request a mental health assessment for your child on the Health 365 app, portal or by contacting customer services on the phone.

#### Parental consultation:

A Psychologist will contact you for an initial consultation which may take up to 30 minutes. They aim to develop a more detailed understanding of your child's needs and conduct an initial assessment of suitability for the service.

#### Child consultation:

A scheduled consultation which could last up to 90 minutes is conducted by a Psychologist with you and your child (where appropriate). This session aims to explore the child's relationships at home, school and social networks, and to formulate an in-depth assessment of the child's needs.

#### Outcome:

The Psychologist will offer advice and guidance during the session which may include:

- Behavioural techniques for you and your child
- Support to gain a better psychological understanding of your child's experience
- Guidance to you on managing your child's needs within the family structure
- Information on how to navigate support systems for you, your child and family unit
- A summary report of the assessment and recommendations, along with supportive materials and resources is sent to you after the consultation.



## Online Physiotherapy Service

## App: Health365

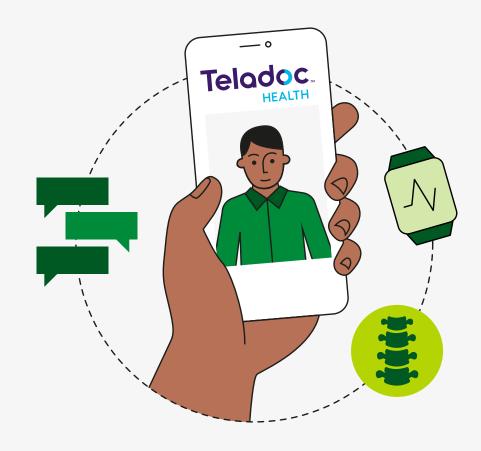
The online Physiotherapy offers quick and easy access to a highly qualified Physiotherapist through a video link or over the phone if preferred, without the need for a referral from a GP.

You can request an appointment through the app or the portal.You'll receive a link by email and SMS to complete a brief pre-screening questionnaire about your symptoms. You can then book an appointment with the Physiotherapist of your choice by the email ans SMS link sent, choosing between a phone or a video consultation, at a time that's convenient for you.

The first appointment is a detailed assessment to identify your condition to formulate a diagnosis and your goals for recovery. A treatment plan is then formulated including advice, a link to the appropriate exercise videos, and further follow-up sessions depending on the clinical need. You will have access to expert advice, guidance and evidence, with a clear rehabilitation plan based on your individual needs.

### **Benefits of online Physiotherapy**

- Access to a specialist Physiotherapist, providing a seamless customer journey.
- No delay in starting treatment with most appointments arranged within 48 hours.
- Direct access to a Physiotherapist without the need to speak to a GP first, saving unnecessary time and potential delay.
- A thorough and holistic initial consultation is accessible at your convenience, which could last up to 45 minutes to assess and diagnose your issue and begin your treatment plan. Please note for less complex conditions 45 minutes may not be required.
- Remote access to your rehabilitative program at any time.
- Where appropriate, an onward referral can be arranged at any time during treatment.



## Good to know

- No need for over the phone triage or pre-appointment authorisation which can often delay access to care.
- Where appropriate, up to six sessions are provided per condition, without an additional charge.
- Further treatment sessions can be requested for an additional condition, without charge.
- All Physiotherapists are at least three years post qualification, with extensive experience in the assessment and management of musculoskeletal problems.
- All Physiotherapists are also registered and regulated by the Health and Care Professions Council (HCPC).

## How to get set up with Health365

We recommend you download and set up your account as soon as your employer launches the service. This ensures everything is ready for you to use in case you need it in future. You can also scan the QR below.



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## **Registering for an account**



1.

Download the **Health365** app in the Apple App Store or Google Play store.



Once you click on the app icon you'll be asked to create a profile, **2.** if using the service for the first time. Click on **'create a profile'**.



This takes you to the **'Register for the Health-365'** page. Click on **'continue'**.



You will be asked to complete your personal details, including your name, email address, date of birth, gender, preferred language, and contact telephone number. The app detects your country location and this field is automatically completed. Press **'continue'**.



Once completed you will enter your company's membership/customer number. Please speak to your employer to find out your company's
5. membership/customer number. It should be a letter followed by a series of numbers. For example, G0070596. You will need to set up a password and confirm that you have read and agreed to the terms and conditions and privacy policy. Once you have completed this, select 'register'.

6. You will then receive a **"Thank you for registering"** notification through the app.

To access the full range of clinical services, your employee will be asked

- 7• for some personal details. At this point, they will also be requested to verify their ID by providing a suitable form of documentation, such as passport or driving licence.
- 8. You are now able to log in and use the service. You can also access the Teladoc Health services by using their portal at www.health-365.co.uk.

If you are under 18, a parent or legal guardian will need to set up a profile in your name so you can access the services. This is due to clinical governance restrictions.

## Find out more

For more information, please speak to your HR representative.

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