# 5 Reasons why your GP is so busy



# **Funding**

Declining share of the NHS budget over the past 20 years



#### **GP** numbers

Whole time equivalent GP numbers have fallen over the past 10 years



### **Patient numbers**

450,000 more patients registered in GP practices in the last 12 years



### **Complex Care**

More elderly patients and people with long term illnesses to care for



## **GP Premises**

Lack of investment in GP premises needed to deliver the right care

Support your GP practice <u>Write to your MSPs</u>

