FREE ENTRY

# SPANISH FLU

## and the Nightingale nursing legacy

## EXHIBITION

**Special Event Open Day, Saturday 12th October 2019**

Doors Open 10.30am - 4.30pm. Free Admittance, All Welcome, Booking Not Required

## MAIN EXHIBITION OPEN 10.30am – 4.30pm Sat 12th October

COUNCIL ROOM (Suitable for all ages). Find out some astounding and disturbing facts about this deadly epidemic, see displays, collections of historic medical instruments, and influenza themed art display"Quarantine Boxes" by Helen Birnbaum.

## CONTAGION CONTROL (Activity/Demonstration):

### Demonstrations run at 11am -12 noon, 1pm - 2pm and 3.15pm - 4.15pm

LIBRARY (Suitable for all ages). Watch how doctors and nurses don (put on) and doff (take off) specialist personal protective equipment to care for highly infectious patients today. Try the doctor's wellies for size!

## SPANISH FLU, SOLDIERS AND THE FIRST WORLD WAR

### (Spoken Word & Performance): Hannah Mawdsley & Company

### Talk & Readings start at 12.00 noon, 45 minutes followed by questions

LECTURE THEATRE (Suitable for all ages). Hear about the experiences of soldiers and nurses that battled the Spanish Flu, in their own amazing and poignant words.

## MESSY MONSTER GERMS (Craft Activity): Juliet Staines 1pm - 3pm

MAIN HALL (Suitable for ages 3+). Create your own mini box of monster germs to take home! Using the technique of blow painting participants will decorate their own mini box and learn about how germs are spread in the human body.

## CHILDRENS' EXPERIENCE OF THE SPANISH FLU

### (Spoken Word & Performance): Hannah Mawdsley & Company

### Talk & Readings start at 2.15pm, 45 minutes followed by questions

LECTURE THEATRE (Suitable for all ages). Hear incredible first-hand, eyewitness accounts from children and young people who were affected by the devastating 1918-1919 pandemic.

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