## PRESS RELEASE

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"Helping parents give the best care to sick children"

Local homeopaths in the Thames Valley (TVHoms) are pleased to host an evening with London GP Dr Jayne Donegan on nursing your child supportively through acute illnesses. The event is being held at Wokingham Town Hall on the 14<sup>th</sup> March at 7:30pm.

Dr Donegan has a special interest in the promotion of children's health and the supportive treatment of infectious diseases. She qualified in 1983 at St Mary's Hospital Medical School, London and works as a freelance NHS GP and in private homeopathic practice in North London.

TVHoms' Chair Margaret Kincade said "The talk will provide information about childhood illnesses, basic strategies for coping with any acute infection, home remedies including homeopathic treatments and when to seek medical attention." Tickets cost £10 and can be booked online via the Thames Valley Homeopaths website <a href="www.tvhoms.org.uk">www.tvhoms.org.uk</a>

Thames Valley Homeopaths are experienced homeopathy practitioners who work in various towns in the region including members Niki McGlynn, Wendy Rushin, Alison Robinson, Margaret Kincade, Linda Cooke and Christine Wilson in the Wokingham and Bracknell area. All members have completed four years professional training and are registered and insured.

## Notes to editors

**Homeopathy:** is a system of medicine which involves treating the individual with highly diluted substances, given mainly in tablet form, with the aim of triggering the body's natural system of healing. Based on their specific symptoms, a homeopath will match the most appropriate medicine to each patient.

**Evidence-based**: it is often said that there is 'no scientific evidence' that homeopathy works. This is not the case. There are high-quality randomised clinical trials demonstrating that homeopathy is clinically effective beyond placebo. See the Society of Homeopaths website: <a href="https://www.homeopathy-soh.org/research/">www.homeopathy-soh.org/research/</a> for more details

**Worldwide:** over 200 million use homeopathy worldwide. In India, more than 100 million people depend solely on homeopathy.

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