

A quick, free and  
painless scan for  
all men aged

65+



## Did you know?

Around 1 in 80 men screened in Northern Ireland at age 65 has an abdominal aortic aneurysm (AAA). Men aged over 65 who have never been screened are at greater risk.

All men in Northern Ireland in their 65<sup>th</sup> year will receive an invitation for an ultrasound scan that looks for swelling in the aorta. AAAs can be life-threatening if left untreated. Look out for your invite in the post. Men aged over 65 can request a scan through the screening programme office on **028 9615 1212**.

For further information, call the screening programme office, speak to your GP or visit: **[www.nidirect.gov.uk/aaa](http://www.nidirect.gov.uk/aaa)**