

# Children's Oncology Shared Care

Information for children and their families



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Horton General Hospital**

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Telephone: **01295 229 001** or **01295 229 002**

For now, you are having your treatment on Kamran's Ward at the John Radcliffe Hospital, with the Paediatric Haematology and Oncology Team.

We are here to make some of your treatment a little easier and closer to home for you.

The team at the John Radcliffe Hospital has given us some information about **you** and **your treatment**.

# Here is some information about our team

## Paediatricians

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## Ward Manager

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## Senior Nurses

- You will meet our senior nurses when you come for a visit or if you are admitted

## Paediatric Oncology Outreach Nurse Specialists (POONS)

- Charlie Rogers
- Amy Gale
- Melissa Burton

## Play Therapists

- Dee Lodge
- Hannah Gilkes



The first people you meet will probably be our Paediatric Oncology Outreach Nurse Specialists (POONS).

They will come to your house and tell you who to contact if you are worried or have questions. They can also contact your school to explain what is happening.

You will be given **open access** to the Children's Ward at the Horton General Hospital. This means that if you become unwell, or have a temperature of 38 degrees C or over, you should call the Ward.

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**After calling you must go to the Ward immediately:  
please bring all your medicines with you.**

If your parents are very worried about you, they should call an ambulance to take you to the Horton General Hospital  
**Emergency Department.**

## **While you are in hospital**

While you are in hospital our on-call paediatric team will look after you. The Horton General Hospital and the John Radcliffe Hospital are both part of Oxford University Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust, so we will contact Kamran's Ward when we admit you, and they will be able to see all your electronic records, including blood results and X-rays.

We can look after you when you are unwell, give you blood and platelet transfusions if needed, and treatment if you have contact with chickenpox, but you will have your chemotherapy at the John Radcliffe Hospital.

You will have your own room, and one parent or carer can stay with you overnight on a sofa bed. We will clean your room every day.

If you are neutropenic you will not be able to use the playroom, but our play therapists can bring fun things into your room for you to do.

## Meals

- Breakfast 8.00am
- Lunch 12.30pm
- Dinner 4.30pm

We can give you a snack between mealtimes if you like.

## Visiting

Your parents, grandparents and siblings can visit at any time, but friends and other family members should come between 11.00am and 8.00pm.

If you would like to come and look around, please call Pippa or Anna, to arrange a visit.

## And finally...

Please let us know if there is anything else we can do to help:

Email: [\*\*tania.davison@ouh.nhs.uk\*\*](mailto:tania.davison@ouh.nhs.uk)

For more information about the Horton General Hospital, please visit:

Website: [\*\*www.ouh.nhs.uk/hospitals/horton\*\*](http://www.ouh.nhs.uk/hospitals/horton)



## Further information

If you would like an interpreter, please speak to the department where you are being seen.

Please also tell them if you would like this information in another format, such as:

- Easy Read
- large print
- braille
- audio
- electronic
- another language.

We have tried to make the information in this leaflet meet your needs. If it does not meet your individual needs or situation, please speak to your healthcare team. They are happy to help.

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