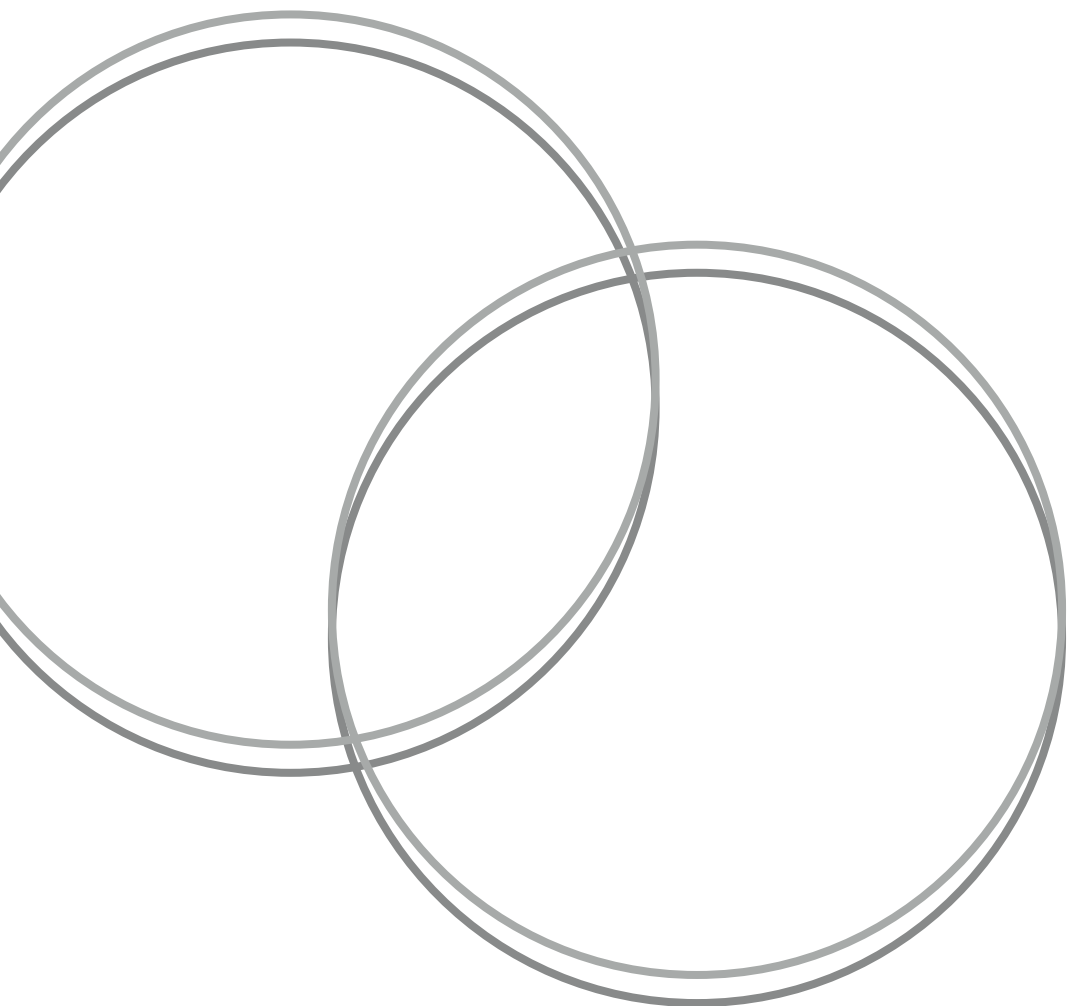




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Orthotics

Information for inpatients



What is Orthotics?

The Orthotics service provides a wide range of devices which are designed to align, prevent and improve deformities as well as improving the function of joints in the body.

What your orthosis is called

What to do after you are discharged

Once you have been discharged, if you are still using the Orthosis then please contact the Orthotics Department if any problems arise. If you do not have any issues, then you do not need to get in contact.

Even though you have been discharged from the hospital, you remain on a 5 year open review with the Orthotics Department in Oxford, which means that you have not been discharged from our service.

If you are from outside the Oxfordshire area, it is likely more convenient for you to see an Orthotics service closer to you, for this you would need a new referral to be seen. However, you can still be seen by our department as you will be on an open review.

Your Orthotist is

Contact details

Orthotics Department

Tebbit Centre
Nuffield Orthopaedic Centre
Windmill Road
Oxford
OX3 7HE

Call us using the following telephone numbers:

01865 227 570

01865 227 575

01865 227 707

01865 227 760

01865 227 604

Telephones will be answered from 8.30am to 3.00pm.

E-mail: orthotics.department@ouh.nhs.uk

Website: www.ouh.nhs.uk/orthotics

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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