

Patient information

Colorectal information - record of consultation

Date

The purpose of this leaflet is to ensure that you have a permanent record of the information the Doctor has given you today.

You were seen by Dr / Mr
Chest Consultant / Registrar / other

The problem we have identified is

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The plan of management is

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A multidisciplinary team meeting (MDT) is held on a weekly basis. This is where a group of professionals, involved in your care and treatment, discuss your case. If you have any concerns about your care being discussed at an MDT meeting, please contact your Clinical Nurse Specialist (key worker) or another member of the team looking after you.

Your GP will be informed of your diagnosis and the management plan today

Your next appointment will be at West Suffolk / Addenbrooke's Hospital

Date

To see

In the **clinic**

You have been given a booklet containing information about your condition however when you get home you may find that you or your relatives have unanswered questions or concerns. If so, please telephone the Colorectal Specialist Nurses between 9.00am and 4.00 pm Monday to Friday.

Telephone: 01284 712697 or 01284 713000 and ask for bleep 705 or 723.

Alternatively contact the Colorectal Nurses secretary on 01284 712697 or you may prefer to discuss your concerns with your GP

Helpful contacts

Information booklets to help you understand more about your condition and treatment are available free of charge from BACUP. This is a registered charity, which offers information, advice and emotional support to people who have cancer, and their families.

For further information and free booklets call 0808 800 1234.

Macmillan Cancer Information and Support Centre

The Macmillan Cancer Information and Support Centre is situated in the Macmillan Outpatients area at the rear of the West Suffolk Hospital. The centre offers support, advice and information for anyone affected by cancer. It is staffed by a Macmillan Information and Support Specialist and trained volunteers and has literature on cancer, including specific tumour sites, treatments, side effects and the emotional impact of a cancer diagnosis.

The Centre offers assistance with blue badge applications, hair loss services, contact with local support groups and self-management courses.

The Centre also helps with grant applications and referrals to benefits advice.

Anybody can drop in, Monday to Friday 9.00am to 4.30pm (no appointment necessary) or telephone 01284 713023 or direct email: cancer.infocentre@wsh.nhs.uk.

If you would like further information please contact the Colorectal Specialist Nurses (telephone number overleaf), your local Citizens Advice Bureau or the Disability Benefits Advice Line on 0800 88 2200.

If you would like any information regarding access to the West Suffolk Hospital and its facilities please visit the website for AccessAble (the new name for DisabledGo) <https://www.accessable.co.uk>



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