

Patient information

Mobile Chemotherapy Unit



The Mobile Chemotherapy Unit (MCU) provides cancer treatment closer to your home.

Not all treatments can be given on the MCU, but you may be able to have your PICC or Groshong line flushed and redressed, and also have your blood tests on board.

The MCU is managed and staffed by the nursing team from the Macmillan Unit at West Suffolk Hospital.

This means you will be treated by the same nurses you meet in the Macmillan Day Unit.

You can book your appointment in just the same way – with the receptionist on the Day Unit or with the nurse on the MCU.

If you are feeling unwell and are unable to attend your appointment, please call the Acute Oncology Service Emergency telephone numbers, and **do not** go to the Mobile Chemotherapy Unit.

The fully equipped and air conditioned treatment suite is light, peaceful and comfortable.



The Mobile Chemotherapy Unit visits:

Stowmarket on Tuesdays

Tesco Superstore
Cedars Link Road
Stowmarket
IP14 5BE

Sudbury on Thursdays

Sudbury Community Health Centre
Church Field Road
Sudbury
CO10 2DZ

Newmarket on Wednesdays

Tesco Superstore
Fordham Road
Newmarket
CB8 7AH

Thetford on Fridays

Thetford Healthy Living Centre
Croxtton Road
Thetford
IP24 1DD

Your appointments

Useful Phone Numbers

Mobile Chemotherapy Unit

07938 718324 Tuesday to Friday 10.00am to 2.00pm

Macmillan Day Unit Reception

01284 713040

24 Hour Helpline

07495 440616



‘Frisbey’ West Suffolk’s Mobile Chemotherapy Unit

Frisbey is owned and maintained by the charity “Hope for Tomorrow” and was launched into service April 2016.

Hope for Tomorrow was founded by Christine Mills MBE in 2003 after she lost her husband David to cancer.

In 2007 the charity built the world’s first Mobile Chemotherapy Unit.

Hope for Tomorrow is a national cancer charity dedicated to bringing cancer treatment closer to home. Their MCUs bring vital treatment to patients, reducing travel, waiting times and the stresses and strains of visiting busy hospitals.

Our website has all the information you need. www.hopefortomorrow.org.uk, or you can contact us on 01666 505055

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<http://www.disabledgo.com/organisations/west-suffolk-nhs-foundation-trust/main>