Additional Notes



Have your say

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We aim to provide the excellent care we would expect for our own families.

However, on occasions you may have concerns about the level of service or care provided.

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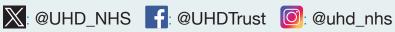
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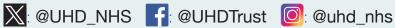
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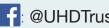






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Questions and concerns

You can raise your concerns immediately by speaking to the person in charge of your care (e.g. the doctor, nurse in charge, or head of department). Alternatively, our patient advice and liaison service (PALS) team may be able to resolve your concerns.



For full details of what the PALS team can do for you, please either use this QR link to our webpage, or visit:

www.uhd.nhs.uk/about-us/patientexperience/pals

Making a complaint

What you should do:

Your complaint should be made within 12 months of the event happening, or within 12 months of you becoming aware of the impact.

If you want independent help, you can contact The Advocacy People. Their service is free, independent, and confidential. They can be contacted by

email: info@theadvocacypeople.org.uk

or telephone: 0330 440 9000

You can make a complaint by phone, email, or in writing to the hospital. Alternatively, you can write directly to the Chief Executive.

You can ask a friend, relative, or partner to contact us on your behalf, but we must have your permission before we can discuss your personal circumstances or medical care with anyone else.



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Contact details:

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