**COVID-19 update**

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[Using Text/SMS – to Urgently Contact Community Pharmacies](https://www.valeofyorkccg.nhs.uk/seecmsfile/?id=3726&inline=1)

[Dispensing under regulation 61](https://www.valeofyorkccg.nhs.uk/seecmsfile/?id=3727&inline=1)  [Safeguarding key messages for Primary Care practitioners during Covid-19: April](https://www.valeofyorkccg.nhs.uk/seecmsfile/?id=3725&inline=1)

**Update on services to be provided off main York Hospital NHS site**

Please be aware that some services that provide urgent and on-going care and treatment will continue to be delivered, but these may be from alternative locations to main hospital sites.

Patients already receiving on-going care from hospital services will be notified of any change to the location of their next visit by their hospital teams directly and all patient and referrer correspondence will retain the same NHS organisation logo and Consultant/ service contact information, so this is to keep you informed of some of those changes, should patients contact you directly to discuss. The services changing location are:

**Nuffield Health**

**Haxby Road, Clifton, York, YO31 8TA (01904 715000)**

* Breast, Skin, Gynaecological, Urological cancer day case surgery
* Some Urological non cancer surgery (i.e. ureteroscopy, insertion of ureteric stents and laser lithotripsy)
* Some Pain service injections
* Oncology, Chemotherapy and Haematology Outpatients
* Medical Elective Service/Phlebotomy
* Stroke Rehabilitation in patient care(date to be confirmed)
* Discussions on going re: provision of MRI/CT and US.

**Ramsay Healthcare**

**Clifton Park Hospital (Blue Beck Drive, Shipton Road, Rawcliffe, York, YO30 5RA – 01904 464550) and Equinox House, (Shipton Road, Clifton Park Avenue, York, YO30 5PB – 01904 464550)**

* Fracture neck of femur and post-operative trauma cases
* Orthopaedic Fracture and Plaster Clinics
* Cystic Fibrosis Service and high risk asthma patients

**The Chapel, York Teaching Hospital NHS Trust site**

* Heart Failure and ECHO services

**Cancer Research UK Cancer Helpline**

CRUK’s Cancer Helpline for people with cancer and their families provides general information about coronavirus and cancer.  The information is available at <https://about-cancer.cancerresearchuk.org/about-cancer/cancer-in-general/coronavirus-and-cancer>