

Lung Clinical Nurse Specialists - here to help

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Pilgrim Hospital

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Who are we?

The Lung Clinical Nurse Specialists are experienced registered nurses who are part of the Lung team and are your **key workers** within the hospital setting.

We work closely with the doctors and nurses, both in hospital and in the community, including the Macmillan team.

We are here to offer you and your family/loved ones advice, support and information during investigation, whether the result is cancer or not.

How can we help?

- We are a point of contact whether you are at home or in hospital
- We can provide information on investigations and treatment
- We can discuss worries or fears
- We can give advice if you have any troublesome symptoms
- We can provide basic guidance on financial benefits and refer to our welfare team as required
- We can arrange appointments to see the doctor in the Clinic if needed
- We can make referrals to appropriate services if needed, eg, the District Nurse, Community Macmillan nurse or Dietitian

Follow-up appointments

You may need regular appointments to the Lung Clinic. In some cases the doctor will discuss with you what follow-up you would prefer, eg, doctor in clinic, GP, lung clinical nurse specialist in clinic, or telephone follow-up from the lung clinical nurse specialist.

Contact details for key workers

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