

The haematology multidisciplinary team

Patient Information Leaflet

You are under the care of the haematology department and your care is managed by the haematology multidisciplinary team (MDT). The team consists of:

- haematology consultants
- a haematology clinical nurse specialist
- a stem cell transplantation specialist nurse
- a consultant histopathologist (who interprets biopsies)
- a consultant radiologist (who interprets X-rays and scans)
- a consultant clinical oncologist (who provides radiotherapy treatment)
- an MDT coordinator

The team meets weekly to discuss the most appropriate care for all new patients and those patients whose condition has changed, based on the information from doctors' examinations, bone marrow tests, biopsies, blood tests, scans and X-rays. Once these meetings have been held, an appointment will be made for you with your consultant to discuss suitable treatments.

If you would like a permanent record of your consultation such as a copy of the letter sent to your GP, please ask when you see your doctor or nurse.

If you require any more information, or wish to contact a member of the team, your first point of contact should be a clinical nurse specialist (CNS) or your consultant's secretary.

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