York and Scarborough Teaching Hospitals
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# Macmillan Gynaecology Nursing Service

Information for patients, relatives and carers


ⓘ For more information, please contact:

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## Who are your clinical nurse specialists?

Clinical nurse specialists work as part of a wider healthcare team and can be found on the ward and outpatients department at York Hospital. We specialise in the care of women with gynaecological cancers and supporting their families.

## How can you contact us?

A key member of the team responsible for your care will enter the most appropriate contact number below:

Your contact is: …….

Telephone number: ……..

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If you are in clinic or are in hospital and would like to speak to us, just ask a nurse or doctor to contact us on ext. 6478.

## What can we offer?

- Time to discuss your diagnosis.
- Information and advice about all aspects of gynaecological cancers.
- Emotional support through diagnosis and referral for treatment.
- Contact with other staff and services involved in your care.
- Available to discuss any aspect of your care and management.

## Macmillan Cancer Support

Macmillan works with a range of agencies and professionals to provide better services for people affected by cancer.

In partnership with the NHS they aim to deliver care from the point of diagnosis in a variety of settings.

Macmillan nurses work as part of a Multi-Disciplinary Team (MDT) to co-ordinate care and provide continuity between hospital and home. Macmillan works with York and Scarborough Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust to support women with gynaecological cancers.

# Useful contacts and support

**The Cancer Care Centre**
01904 721166
At York Hospital, open weekdays
9am – 4.30pm. Information, support and services for anyone affected by cancer.

**Jo's Cervical Cancer Trust**
0808 802 8000
www.jostrust.org.uk
Information, support and friendship for women about cervical screening and cervical cancer diagnosis.

**Ovacome**
Information, support and advice for women affected by ovarian cancer.
0800 008 7054, Monday - Thursday 9am – 1pm.
www.ovacome.org.uk

**Macmillan Cancer Support Information Line**
0808 808 00 00
Monday – Friday 9am – 8pm.
www.macmillan.org.uk

## Tell us what you think of this leaflet

We hope that you found this leaflet helpful. If you would like to tell us what you think, please contact the Clinical Nurse Specialists.

## Teaching, training and research

Our Trust is committed to teaching, training and research to support the development of health and healthcare in our community. Healthcare students may observe consultations for this purpose. You can opt out if you do not want students to observe. We may also ask you if you would like to be involved in our research.

## Patient Advice and Liaison Service (PALS)

PALS offers impartial advice and assistance to patients, their relatives, friends and carers. We can listen to feedback (positive or negative), answer questions and help resolve any concerns about Trust services.

PALS can be contacted on 01904 726262, or email yhs-tr.patientexperienceteam@nhs.net.

An answer phone is available out of hours.

## Leaflets in alternative languages or formats

If you would like this information in a different format, including braille or easy read, or translated into a different language, please speak to a member of staff in the ward or department providing your care.

Patient Information Leaflets can be accessed via the Trust's Patient Information Leaflet website: www.yorkhospitals.nhs.uk/your-visit/patient-information-leaflets/


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