

Midwife-led Care Price List

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1st February 2020

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Key:

included

not included

| | Vaginal Delivery Package | Emergency Caesarian Section Package | Platinum Vaginal Delivery Package | Platinum Emergency Caesarian Section Package |
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| The Kensington Wing hospital fees <i>(excludes consultant and anaesthetist fees)</i> | £8,500 | £9,325 <i>(excludes consultant fee £4,000)</i> | £9,325 | £10,550 |
| Midwife booking appointment | | | | |
| Routine hospital blood tests at booking appointment | | | | |
| Midwife antenatal appointments | | | | |
| Water birth workshops | | | | |
| Vaginal delivery | | | | |
| Caesarean section delivery (including theatre fees) | | | | |
| 1-2-1 midwifery care in labour | | | | |
| On-site 24/7 consultant anaesthetist | | | | |
| Postnatal room for first night post delivery | | | | |
| Kensington Wing Suite reserved for first night post delivery | | | | |
| Midwifery care throughout postnatal stay | | | | |
| Postnatal care | | | | |
| Accommodation for partner | | | | |
| Complimentary meals for partner | | | | |
| Infant feeding support throughout postnatal stay | | | | |
| Baby care throughout your stay | | | | |
| Postnatal physiotherapy | | | | |
| Six week follow up appointment | | | | |
| Baby check | £250 | £250 | £250 | £250 |
| 34 week consultant appointment | £250 | £250 | £250 | £250 |

Exclusions

The following items are not included in the midwife-led packages and are subject to additional fees:

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| Blood Tests and diagnostics | Dressings |
| Ultrasound scans | Blood products |
| Harmony Test | Histopathology |
| Antenatal ward admissions | Additional procedures including surgical removal of placenta, tube tying etc. |
| Drugs (including vaccinations) | Interpreters |

| Additional Services at The Kensington Wing | Price |
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| Midwife appointments | £180 |
| Individual blood tests | from £24 |
| Harmony test | £375 |
| Obstetric ultrasound by sonographer | £180 - £220 |
| Ward attendance (less than three hours, e.g. CTG) | £226 |
| Ward attendance, day case (e.g suture/stitch removal) | £490 |
| Antenatal admission per night | £1,230 |
| Antenatal class (5 class package) | £375 |
| Antenatal class (per class) | £80 |
| Water birth workshop | £80 |
| External cephalic version (ECV) | £512 |
| Surgical delivery of placenta | £1,485 |
| Instrumental delivery | £500 |
| Anaesthetic drug charges | £250 |
| Dressings | from £50 |
| Drugs | from £9 |
| Histopathology | from £120/sample |
| Cervical or Abdominal suture | £870 |
| Blood products | Cost plus handling fee of £30/unit |
| Paediatrician fee (additional baby) | £250 |
| Additional Night in postnatal room | £1,230 |
| Additional Night in postnatal suite | £1,950 |
| Postnatal Community Package (includes up to 5 visits) | £1,550 |
| Additional postnatal visits | £310 |

Additional Services

Antenatal Classes

Antenatal classes are offered by The Kensington Wing Midwifery Led Care team. Call 020 3315 3372.

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| 1 class | £80 |
| Full set of 5 classes | £375 |

Transfer to Consultant Care

If you choose midwifery-led care and need to transfer to a consultant during delivery, you will be charged an additional fee of £4,000. This will be invoiced directly to you by your consultant. If you transfer to your link consultant prior to 34 weeks then you will be invoiced in line with consultant-led care prices.

Link Consultant Obstetrician Appointment

All midwifery-led care patients have a named consultant who will be on call during delivery. We ask that you meet your consultant at a 34 week appointment; this appointment is chargeable and will be invoiced directly by the consultant.

Care Outside of Pathway

In the rare event that a patient requires a transfer to another speciality for care during their stay, they will be charged additional rates. This includes admission to Intensive Care or the High Dependency Unit.

Specialist Care For Your Baby

If your baby requires transfer to the Neonatal Unit or is receiving intervention under the instruction of the Neonatal Team at The Kensington Wing, this will be charged at additional rates unless you are entitled to NHS care and elect to use the NHS service within Chelsea and Westminster Hospital.

Instrumental Delivery

Intrumental deliveries are carried out by a consultant obstetrician through use of forceps or ventouse at an additional charge of £500 to The Kensington Wing plus consultant obstetrician fees and anaesthetic charges associated with this type of delivery.

Induction of Labour

If you require an induction of labour, a charge of £512 will be applied.

Anaesthetic Fees

The following hospital fees apply if you have an anaesthetic intervention. Your consultant anaesthetist will charge you directly for their services:

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| Epidural pain relief in labour | £850 |
| Anaesthesia for Caesarean Section | £750 |
| Top-up of existing epidural for Caesarean Section | £500 |
| Top-up of existing epidural for instrumental delivery | £400 |
| Anaesthesia for insertion of cervical suture | £300 |

N.B. Professional fees may not be fully covered by medical insurance, in which case you would be liable for any short-fall. Additionally, if you have an epidural in labour, the hospital will charge £250 for drugs and equipment used.

Kensington Wing Suite

All patients have a private postnatal room. There is the option to upgrade to The Kensington Suite, if available. Call 020 3315 3372 for further information.

Booking the Kensington Suite prior to admission: To book and guarantee The Kensington Suite in advance of your stay, we require a deposit covering the number of nights you choose to stay (minimum of 1 night).

Booking the Kensington Suite after admission: We will reserve and invoice you for the suite from the time of admission. You will be admitted to the room postnatally.

Admission and Discharge Times

We are pleased to offer flexible check-in and check-out times subject to availability. Please discuss with the patient liaison team to confirm times. Note that those who leave after the discharge time will be charged The Kensington Wing day rate.

Loyalty Births

For mothers who choose to have subsequent births at The Kensington Wing, we are delighted to offer a 10% loyalty discount off standard delivery packages. This discount does not apply to third party cover.

Booking your Maternity Care

If you have chosen midwife-led care and are ready to start your pregnancy journey with us, simply follow the steps below:

1. We advise patients to check the following criteria or speak to our midwives prior to booking.
2. Optional – attend a free 1-2-1 meet the midwife session with a midwife
3. You will be asked to complete and return forms from the booking pack
4. In order to secure your booking, you will be required to pay your deposit (£8,700)
5. Once your forms and deposit payment are complete, you will be ready to start your pregnancy journey at The Kensington Wing and start your antenatal classes and additional services

Guaranteeing your Booking

Private patient agreement form must be completed and submitted; and deposit must be paid in full to secure booking. Deposit must be received no later than 28 days after receiving the booking pack and prior to booking your booking appointment with the Kensington Wing midwife.

Insurance

Most insurance companies do not cover maternity care. If your insurance company is willing to cover your maternity care, we require a Guarantee of Payment from them before booking your appointment at The Kensington Wing. This must state your policy/membership number, limit of cover, authorised length of stay and authorisation code.

If your insurance is subject to a policy excess, this must be paid in full prior to discharge from The Kensington Wing. If this information is not received in advance of your admission, you are liable to pay the full amount of the treatment and additional services you have received under our care prior to discharge, then settle your insurance claim directly with your insurer.

Cancellation

If for any reason you cancel after booking a £560 cancellation fee will be charged to cover administrative costs. Your account remains your responsibility throughout your stay, and we will ask for payment at the time of discharge except if we have received a Letter of Guarantee in advance from your insurer.



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