

Covid-19 Visitor Information- Update- 2 November 2020

In order to protect you and our staff, we have taken the difficult to decision to limit footfall within the hospital, and observe social distancing on the Kensington Wing from 5th November.

For antenatal appointments including scans, no visitor or support person can be present. We encourage and welcome their virtual presence by phone/tablet.

For antenatal inpatient, labour and elective admissions, one supporter may be present.

We require:

- Your supporter to remain outside the ward until you have 'checked in' independently at reception. Your supporter will be invited in by our reception team when safe to do so.
- Temperature check/ face covering on arrival in hospital.
- Temperature check/health declaration form to be completed by your supporter for every entry onto Kensington Wing.
- Face mask on at all times when staff members are in your room providing care.
- Remain within your allocated room at all times.
- Supporters can choose the time frame they stay with us during a 24 hour period, and are, for example, permitted home at night to return the next day as needed. We ask that you stay within your allocated room whilst you are here with us, and once you leave our ward, you will be readmitted the next day. Coming and going from Kensington Wing more than once in a day is not permitted.
- Partners will be submitted to temperature checks daily, if opting to go home.
- Single named supporter throughout (no tagging in and out of other visitors).

We thank you for your continued support and understanding during this challenging time.

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