

Bwrdd Iechyd Prifysgol Aneurin Bevan University Health Board

Nurse Led Lung Cancer Telephone Review Clinic

Chest Clinic, St Woolos Hospital

You have recently attended an appointment at St Woolos Hospital, Royal Gwent Hospital or Velindre Hospital. The consultant or nurse who met you at that time has asked that you have a telephone review appointment with the Lung Cancer Specialist Nurses.

Enclosed with this information leaflet is likely to be a Chest X-ray request form (unless this was given to you at the time or you have recently had a CT scan)



Please attend your local hospital (details on the reverse of the X-ray form) 7-10 days before your appointment.

The chest X-ray will be reviewed by a consultant following your telephone consultation and the specialist nurse will discuss this further with you.

What should I discuss with the nurse?

You will have received notification from the hospital of the telephone review appointment date & time, please ensure that you are either at home or able to take a call on your mobile with a degree of privacy as we will be discussing your recent health and any concerns you have.

In preparation for your telephone consultation you should consider if you have had any new breathing symptoms, had change in appetite, or energy levels.

We will also ask you some other questions and may have sent you a Holistic Needs Assessment form to complete which we will also discuss.

If there are any concerns as a result of your chest X-ray or symptoms we will discuss suitable appointments and / or other investigations.

We may send you a patient experience questionnaire to evaluate your contact with the service, however if you have any feedback or concerns please do not hesitate to get in touch with us.

Useful contact numbers

If you have any concerns or questions prior to your appointment, please contact the following members of staff:

Tracey Davies, Lung Cancer Administrative Support: 01633 - 656149 for changing appointment date / time

Specialist Nurses Helen Howison, Sam Williams & Rebecca Weston-Thomas for clinical queries: Tel. No: 01633 – 656149 or 01633 - 238449

Dr Ian Williamson Julie Walsh Secretary: 01633 – 238196

Dr Alina Ionescu Michelle Hatch Secretary: 01633 – 656011

Caroline Dalton Clinic co-ordinator: 01633 – 656227

St David's Hospice Care: 01633 – 851051

Tenovus: 0808 808 1010

Aneurin Bevan University Health Board St Woolos Hospital Chest Clinic 129 Stow Hill, Newport NP20 4GA

http://www.wales.nhs.uk/sitesplus/866/home

Monthly Lung Cancer Support Group

Each month at the Congress Theatre in Cwmbran a group of patients attend our support group.

This meeting is supported by the specialist nurses.

We have complimentary therapies (massage, relaxation, reiki) that take place at each meeting.

You do not need to tell us in advance if you are coming.

Date & Time: 1st Wednesday of each month at 11.00am – 1:00pm

Venue: Congress Theatre, Cwmbran town centre.

Tea & coffee supplied.

The patients who attend find the less formal contact with their nurse reassuring and enjoy meeting other patients.

We also arrange annual trips and take part in fundraising for the group.

We hope to see you there.

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