

Information for Patients

Discharge from the Domiciliary Respiratory

Physiotherapy Service

We aim to discuss and plan your discharge with you directly and your carer where appropriate, and will send a discharge summary to your referrer outlining your response to treatment.

Please keep this leaflet safe as it contains information about your discharge plan and how to contact the domiciliary respiratory physiotherapy service after your discharge if you feel we can help you further.

Your physiotherapist will complete the discharge information with you and a copy will also be kept in your physiotherapy notes.

The physiotherapy service aims to provide appropriate support which is effective, efficient and fair. Our discharge procedures aim to support you when you are no longer being reviewed by the physiotherapist.

Where clinically indicated, future advice, reviews or treatment can be provided. There are two ways you can re-access the service:

- A new referral can be made by your Respiratory Consultant.
- Or you can use the self re-referral procedure outlined below.

If you wish to self re-refer you should contact the telephone number indicated overleaf and provide the receptionist with the basic information completed on this leaflet. A physiotherapist will then contact you to discuss your concerns and decide on the most appropriate course of action.

The physiotherapist may need to seek further information before making a decision and will keep you informed. If you have any concerns about your discharge plan please discuss with your physiotherapist.

Discharge Information

Name: Date of Discharge:

Address:

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Hospital No:

Name of person who may phone us on your behalf:

Relationship to you:

Hospital: Therapist:

Physiotherapy Contact Number: 01495 768679

Advice on Discharge:

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Other relevant information, services or contact numbers:

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Completed by: Designation:

Signature: Date:

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