

Chemotherapy

Leeds Cancer Centre

Please carry this card with you and show it to the doctor or nurse if you need medical attention so they can ensure you get the most appropriate care

Patient details
Name:
Treatment Regimen:
Consultant:
D.O.B:/
Init Number:

Treatment Area:

Contact Leeds Cancer Centre immediately if you experience any of the following: • Temperature of 38°C or above

- Feeling very unwell
- Having the shivers
 Any symptoms of an infection, for example, pain when passing urine, coughing green/yellow phlegm, sore treatment line, rash
- Being sick and not being able to keep any fluids down
 Severe diarrhoea
- Spontaneous bleeding or bruising
 Sore mouth that is painful
 Inability to eat or drink
- Shortness of breath or cough

If you have any of the above symptoms, or are feeling seriously unwell, during treatment and for up to six weeks after receiving treatment please contact the numbers overleaf for advice.

If you have a rash or have come into contact with chicken pox or shingles please inform a member of staff before entering the ward or waiting area as you could be an infection risk to other patients.

General enquiries or concerns should be directed to the appropriate department or your CNS. For advice regarding medical issues not related directly to your treatment, you should contact your GP.

If you have received your treatment on: J80 Day Case Unit: call (0113) 206 9180 Mon to Fri 8am - 6.30pm. Overnight, weekends and bank

holidays contact St James's University Hospital on

(0113) 243 3144 - ask for the Oncology Bleepholder. If you are receiving **oral chemotherapy** or if you have received your treatment on **Ward J97**, please contact the Oncology Bleepholder as stated above.

If you received **inpatient treatment** please contact the relevant ward: J88: (0113) 206 9188,

J89: (0113) 206 9189 J94: (0113) 206 9194

Important

If your closest hospital is **not** St James's you may be advised to attend your local hospital emergency department for urgent treatment. Please ensure that on arrival you show the staff this card so they are aware you are at risk of chemotherapy toxicities.

Important information for health professionals
This patient may be at risk of neutropenic sepsis or other serious complications of systemic anti-cancer treatment - please ensure appropriate management is started promptly.
Contact St James's Hospital on the numbers above for advice.