

Radionuclide Therapy Service

Lu-177 DOTATATE (Lutathera) Therapy Radiation Protection

Information for
patients



Leeds Cancer
Centre

RADIONUCLIDE THERAPY SERVICE

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Name:

Keep card until:

- After your treatment, you will have some radioactive material left in your body. This will disappear gradually over several weeks until none is left.
- Please keep this card for 1 month or for 4 months if you travel abroad (seek advice of your doctor first).
- Take this card with you if you go to see your GP or any other hospital appointment so that they know you have had this treatment.
- Drink lots in the first 2 days after treatment to flush the drug from your body.
- Flush the toilet twice and wash hands thoroughly for 1 week after treatment.
- Avoid giving blood samples or dental extractions for 1 month (but samples taken with this treatment are ok). Call us for advice if you do need other medical procedures.
- Avoid conceiving or fathering a child for 6 months.

Please also observe the following:

- Limit close contact (less than 1 metre) with young children (under 11 years old) for _____ days after treatment.
- Avoid journeys on public transport that last over 2 hours for 9 days after treatment.
- Sleep apart from your partner for 2 weeks.
- Stay more than 1 metre away from people (age 11 and over) who live with you for 1 week.
- Stay off work for _____ days.
- Other advice: _____

Name:

NHS No..... DOB:

Address:

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Consultant:

Treatment: **Lu-177 DOTATATE for NET**

Activity: Date:



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