

How to: Walk in Clinics for Blood Tests

Once a GP or Hospital Consultant has decided that a blood test is needed, patients of Leigh View Medical Practice have a range of options.

- At Leigh View Medical Practice, there are early and late and everything in between appointment times for patients to attend here.
- Patients who need their bloods taken very urgently will also try to be accommodated as soon as possible.
- Patients who are medically housebound, can receive a home visit from one of the Phlebotomists or Health Care Assistants.
- Appointments for blood tests can be booked on our online system.

In addition to the Phlebotomy services available at the Doctors surgery, patients may choose to attend any of the hospital walk in clinics. The benefit of the hospital walk in clinics is that no appointment is necessary, and patients have less time to wait.

The following information is a guide only, and it is important that patients have already had a request made by a GP or Consultant. The patient must bring with them a copy of the labels or blood bag from the consultant or GP.

1. If the patient is under a Wakefield Consultant

Pinderfields Hospital - the Outpatient Phlebotomy service is open Monday to Friday, from 8am to 4.30pm.

They are closed for staff training on the third Tuesday of EVERY MONTH from 8am to 11am. Pinderfields Hospital, tel: 0844 8118110 or 01924 541440.

- The doctor should print out the ICE form and hand to the patient/parent.
- They will need to take this form with them to the hospital. Patients can collect a copy from Reception at the surgery (please come when it is quieter – lunchtime or after 5 if possible).

2. If the patient is under a Leeds Consultant

- **St. James' University Hospital:**

LOCATION	Contact Telephone	Times
Chancellor Wing (1st floor)	0113 2064712	8:30 - 5:00
Bexley Wing Oncology (1 st floor)	0013 2068256	8:30 - 5:00
Bexley Wing Haematology (3 rd floor)	0113 2067572	8:30 - 5:00 excl Tue am
Lincoln wing in Gledhow		

If a child is under 2

- it is recommended that these children attend the phlebotomy clinic at the Leeds General Infirmary rather than St James.

- **Leeds General Infirmary:**

LOCATION	Contact Telephone	Times
B-Floor Brotherton Wing	0113 3923684	8:30 - 5:00 walk in (children until 4:30pm)
A-Floor Clarendon Wing (Antenatal)	0113 3923611	8:30 - 1:00 and 14:00 - 17:00

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