

Parkinson's and movement disorders

Specialist nursing service



Information for patients

Neurology



PROUD TO MAKE A DIFFERENCE

SHEFFIELD TEACHING HOSPITALS NHS FOUNDATION TRUST



What is the Parkinson's and Movement Disorders Specialist Nursing Service?

The specialist nurses play a key role in helping people with Parkinson's and movement disorders to manage their condition. They work both within the hospital and community setting. The service was set up to provide you, and the people close to you, with the help, support and advice you need. This service will be ongoing and is not short-term.

The team

The service comprises the following members of staff:

- Clinical Nurse Specialists
- 1 Personal Secretary

How can we help?

We can help by:

- Listening to any problems and answering your questions about Parkinson's and movement disorders
- Liaising with others to make sure you get the best service available
- Giving you, and those around you, ongoing support as and when you need it
- Educating other health professionals to increase their understanding of Parkinson's and movement disorders

Do we offer any other services?

Yes, we are also able to offer:

- Nurse-led clinic appointments
- Home visits (depending on circumstances)
- A telephone advice clinic

Who can use the service?

In order for you, your family or carers to use this service, you must be under the care of a Consultant Neurologist within the Sheffield Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust.

How to contact us

If you would like help and support please telephone us on:

- 0114 271 1704

Our working hours are Monday to Friday 8.30am to 4.30pm (except bank holidays)

At busy times calls may go to answerphone but please leave a message and we will get back to you as soon as we can, although this may be the next working day. If it is an emergency please contact your GP.

You can write to us at:

Parkinson's & Movement Disorders Nursing Service
Neurosciences
Royal Hallamshire Hospital
12 Claremont Crescent
Sheffield S10 2JF

Our aims

The diagnosis of Parkinson's and movement disorders may be a shock to you and those around you but:

- We are here to help and support you through any difficulties that you may have.
- Our aim is to enable you to live as normal a life as possible.
- We aim to be accesible and would encourage you to ring us as needed as we are there to help.

Please allow extra time when attending the hospital as parking spaces are limited and parking can be difficult.

Where can I find further information?

Parkinson's UK can provide further information and support and details of local support. They can be contacted on the phone number or email address below.

- Helpline number: 0808 800 0303
- Email: enquiries@parkinsons.org.uk



Sheffield
Hospitals
Charity

To help support your local hospitals visit
sheffieldhospitalscharity.org.uk

Registered Charity No. 1165762



Yes I donate
ORGAN DONATION

Alternative formats can be available on request.
Please email: sth.alternativeformats@nhs.net

© Sheffield Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust 2019

Re-use of all or any part of this document is governed by copyright and the "Re-use of Public Sector Information Regulations 2005" SI 2005 No. 1515. Information on re-use can be obtained from the Information Governance Department, Sheffield Teaching Hospitals. Email sth.infogov@nhs.net