Ambulatory Care

Patient Information Leaflet



You are being investigated or treated for the cause of your illness and the Emergency Department team looking after you have decided that you are well enough to go home with further care as an out-patient in our *Ambulatory Care Clinic*.

- An appointment has been made for you in the Ambulatory Care
 Clinic on / /
 You will receive a phone call between 9am and 11 am on this date to
 arrange an appointment time for you to attend the clinic.
- It is likely that we will arrange to assess you in the Ambulatory Care Clinic, however it may be that you are referred elsewhere if this is felt more appropriate for your care. This will be discussed with you.

If you are asked to attend the Ambulatory Care Clinic, please report to the **Acute Medical Unit** Reception where staff will book you in. From there, you will be called for review in the clinic which is based nearby in OPD 6.

Please continue to take any other medications prescribed for you unless advised to stop them.

Please be aware that you may spend some hours in the clinic and please bring an overnight bag in case you subsequently need hospital admission.

You should attend the Emergency Department if you become more unwell after going home.

You can telephone for advice if you are unsure: Emergency Department – 0131 242 1300 Acute Medical Unit – 0131 242 1422