Children & Young People's Health Services CAMBRIDGESHIRE

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Information Leaflet

Community Children's Nursing Team Huntingdon

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Community Children's Nursing Team

The Community Children's Nursing Team provides a range of services to support children, young people and their families at home and in the community. We aim to prevent or reduce hospital admissions.

The team comprises of Children's Nurses, Health Care Support Workers, Play Specialist, Family Support Practitioner and Administration Staff.

We are a teaching placement so students may accompany qualified staff on visits or in a clinic. If you do not wish a student to be present, then please let us know.

The team will work in partnership with families and other professionals with the aim of achieving a holistic approach to the care provided.

Please note that patient notes are stored electronically.

What we can offer:

- Administration of Intravenous, Subcutaneous and Intramuscular medication
- Gastrostomy, naso-gastric support
- Wound care
- Post surgery care
- Support, Information and Training
- Specialist Play Therapy
- Oxygen care at home
- Palliative care
- Oncology community support
- Any nursing procedure that can be safely undertaken at home
- Bereavement support

Who is eligible and how can you access the service?

Our service is open to all children up to the age of 18 within the Huntingdon area who are registered with a Cambridgeshire GP.

Referrals to this service should be made via a health professional.

Working Hours

We currently work 9am – 5pm Monday to Friday.

There is no service at weekends or Bank Holidays.

For further information about this service contact:

Children & Young People's Health Services
Community Children's Nursing Team
Children's Unit
Hinchingbrooke Hospital
Hinchingbrooke Park
Huntingdon
Cambridgeshire PE29 6NT

Tel: 01480 423159
Team mobile: 07789 946900 - for text messages only

Messages will be accessed weekdays only 9am - 5pm

If you require this information in a different format such as in large print or on audio tape, or in a different language please contact the service on the details above.

To find out how we use what we know about you (Privacy Notice) or how to access our buildings (AccessAble), please visit www.cambscommunityservices.nhs.uk and follow the links or please contact us.

If you have any compliments about this service or suggestions for improvements, contact our Patient Advice and Liaison Service on 0300 131 1000 (charges may apply depending on your network) or email: ccs-tr.pals@nhs.net.

For free, confidential health advice and information 24 hours a day, 365 days a year please contact NHS 111.

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