

CLIFTON MEDICAL CENTRE NURSING TEAM LEAFLET

Our skilled nursing team covers both sites comprising Advanced Nurse Practitioners, Practice Nurses and Health Care Assistants.

Appointments will be made with a nurse with specific training to meet your needs.

Advanced Nurse Practitioners (ANP)

Provide a complimentary service to our GPs and run minor illness clinics, which also include telephone advice. Our minor illness service enables patients to be seen or have a telephone consultation without needing to see a GP first.

Advanced Nurse Practitioners will assess, diagnose, treat and refer appropriately; they can also prescribe and amend certain medication. Conditions which may be booked into minor illness clinics include: coughs, sore throat, sinusitis, ear problems, hayfever, thrush, emergency contraception, urine infection, skin problems, insect bites, diarrhoea/vomiting, eye problems.

Practice Nurses (PN)

Some Practice Nurses are qualified to give advice on the chronic disease management of Asthma, COPD, Diabetes, Heart Disease, Stroke, Anticoagulation, Hypertension and Long Term Conditions.

You will also see Practice Nurses (General) for vaccines, childhood immunisations, cervical screening, weight management, sexual health, contraception advice, injections, blood pressure checks, lifestyle advice, dressings, ear care and suture/clip removal and travel advice (you will in most instances be asked to complete a questionnaire prior to travel advice being given).

Health Care Assistants (HCA)

Are important members of the health care team who work under the supervision of a qualified nurse. You will see the Health Care Assistant for new patient medicals, lifestyle advice, blood pressure monitoring and advice, anticoagulation monitoring, ECG's, dressings, ear care and flu vaccinations.

Nurse	Qualifications	Special Interests	SITE
Rowena Clarkson Nurse Practitioner	RGN, BMedSc (Hons) ANP	Asthma, Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease (COPD), Minor Illness	Clifton and Wickersley
Gill Fawcus Nurse Practitioner	RGN, BMedSc (Hons) ANP	Diabetes, Chronic Heart Disease (CHD), Hypertension, Minor Illness	Clifton and Wickersley

Denise Hicks Nurse Practitioner	RGN, BMedSc (Hons) ANP	Diabetes, Chronic Heart Disease (CHD), Hypertension, Anticoagulation, Minor Illness	Clifton and Wickersley
Tracey Gardner Nurse Practitioner	RGN, BMedSc (Hons) ANP	Diabetes, Chronic Heart Disease (CHD), Hypertension, Anticoagulation, Minor Illness	Clifton and Wickersley
Dale Carter Practice Nurse	RGN	Obesity, Research	RIO/ Research Team
Nicola Walker Practice Nurse	BA (Hons) Adult Nursing studies	Obesity, Research	RIO/ Research Team
Helen Ireton Practice Nurse	RGN	Long term Conditions	Clifton and Wickersley
Angela Cooke Practice Nurse	RGN	Long term Conditions	Clifton and Wickersley
Clare Jones Practice Nurse	Postgraduate diploma in Adult Nursing	General	Clifton and Wickersley
Laura Scott Practice Nurse	BSc Hons in Adult Nursing	Respiratory	Clifton
Leanne Wright Practice Nurse	Diploma in nursing studies (Adult)	General	Clifton/Wickersley
Shelagh Dale HCA	NVQ Level 3	Lifestyle Advice, Blood Pressure	Clifton and Wickersley
Caroline Steele HCA	In House Training	Obesity, Research	RIO/Research team
Lindsey Harrison HCA	Diploma in Adult Nursing	Obesity, Research	RIO team/Research
Joann Barker HCA	Diploma in Adult Nursing	Obesity, Research	RIO/ Research Team