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Head and Neck Oncology Key Nurse Worker

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Patient Information

Ear, Nose and Throat Services (ENT)

The Patient Information Leaflets page on the Trust website is available on the link:

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What is the role of the Head and Neck Nurse Key Worker?

The Head and Neck Nurse Key Worker provides a service for patients diagnosed with cancer. The Head and Neck Nurse works closely with the Head and Neck team involved in your care. The nurse is available to provide a point of contact from diagnosis through investigations and treatment for patients and their families affected by a life-changing diagnosis.

We can offer:

- Advice and support to you and your family.
- A link with other services and treatment centres.
- Point of contact.
- Referral to other services as required.
- Support group meeting.

How to access the Service

The Head and Neck Nurse is based at:

*Top Floor Christopher Home
Royal Albert Edward Infirmary
Wigan Lane
Wigan WN1 2NN*

Monday to Friday: 8am to 4pm

Tel Number: 01942 773144

Telephone RAEI switchboard: 01942 244000

(Answer phone service available)

If you require help or advice outside of our working hours, you can seek support from your GP or District Nurse. We welcome any comments you would like to make about the service.

Other Information

- [Cancer Backup](#)
- [Macmillan Cancer Relief](#)



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