

We created this Guide for Visitors because we know that visits from friends and family are important to our patients and, at the same time, our patients need ample time to heal and rest.

Please help us maintain the welfare of our patients – your family members and loved ones.

GUIDELINES

**Standard Visiting Hours
Monday–Sunday
(including Bank Holidays)
3pm–4pm and 6pm–8pm**


Children under 12 should not visit unless express permission has been obtained from the Clinical Nurse Manager / Nurse in charge of the ward.


Each patient may have no more than two visitors at a time. Please talk to your relatives and co-ordinate your visits.


Visitors should stay no longer than 20 minutes at a time. Patients need to rest to aid their recovery.


Specific arrangements are in place for the General Intensive Therapy Unit, Richmond Intensive Care Unit, St. Raphael's Childrens Ward, Emergency Department, and St. Michael's Ward. Please ring ahead for visiting hours.


In addition...


 **Please do not visit if...** you are suffering from colds, flu, diarrhoea, vomiting or other infections.

 **Smoking and alcohol are prohibited on Hospital grounds.**

 **Do not bring in food / beverages for patients** without prior consultation. Do not store food in or on lockers unless the food is in airtight containers.

 **Do not bring in flowers** unless the Clinical Nurse Manager / Nurse in charge of the ward has granted permission.


 **Mobile Phones may be used only where signage dictates.** The use of mobile phones can cause life support and diagnostic equipment to malfunction.

 **Photographs / videos may not be taken in the Hospital** without permission of the CEO Office. This includes photographs or videos taken with camera phones.

Please wash your hands, and use the hand gels before and after contact with a patient.


Services


Please see the map on the back of this leaflet for the location of the following services.


 **Bakery**
A bakery is located just inside the Hospital's main entrance.
Monday-Friday 9.00am-6.00pm
Closed Bank Holidays


 **Restaurant**
A restaurant is located on the main corridor.
Monday-Friday: 8.15am-7.30pm
Saturday-Sunday: 11.00am-5.30pm
Closed Bank Holidays

 **Hospital Shop**
The Hospital shop is located on the main corridor.
Monday-Friday: 8.00am-9.00pm
Saturday 10.00am-6.00pm
Sunday 10.30am-6.00pm
Closed bank holidays.

 **Bank and Cash Machine**
A Bank of Ireland sub-office is located on the main corridor. A cash machine is next to the bank. Monday–Friday:
10.00am-12.30pm and 1.30pm-4.00pm

 **Postal Service**
Letters and parcels are delivered to the Wards daily. Postage stamps are available from the shop. Stamped letters may be posted in the letterbox on the main foyer. This post leaves the Hospital daily at 3.45pm.

 **Telephones (public)**
Public pay phones and card phones are located throughout Beaumont Hospital for the use of patients and visitors. Phone cards are available in the Hospital shop.

 **Internet**
Two Internet access points are on the main concourse, across from the Security Office. One Internet access point is in the Emergency Department waiting area. There are charges for Internet access.

Car parking

Visitors are advised to use the Multistorey car park.
Clamping is in operation on the Hospital grounds.

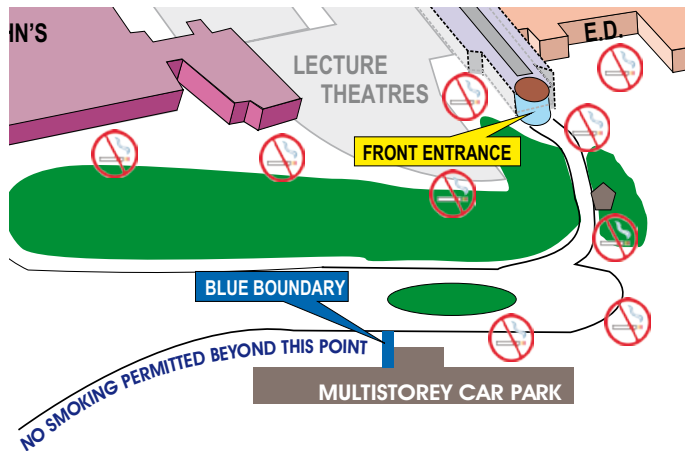
Local Facilities

Three shopping centres are nearby:

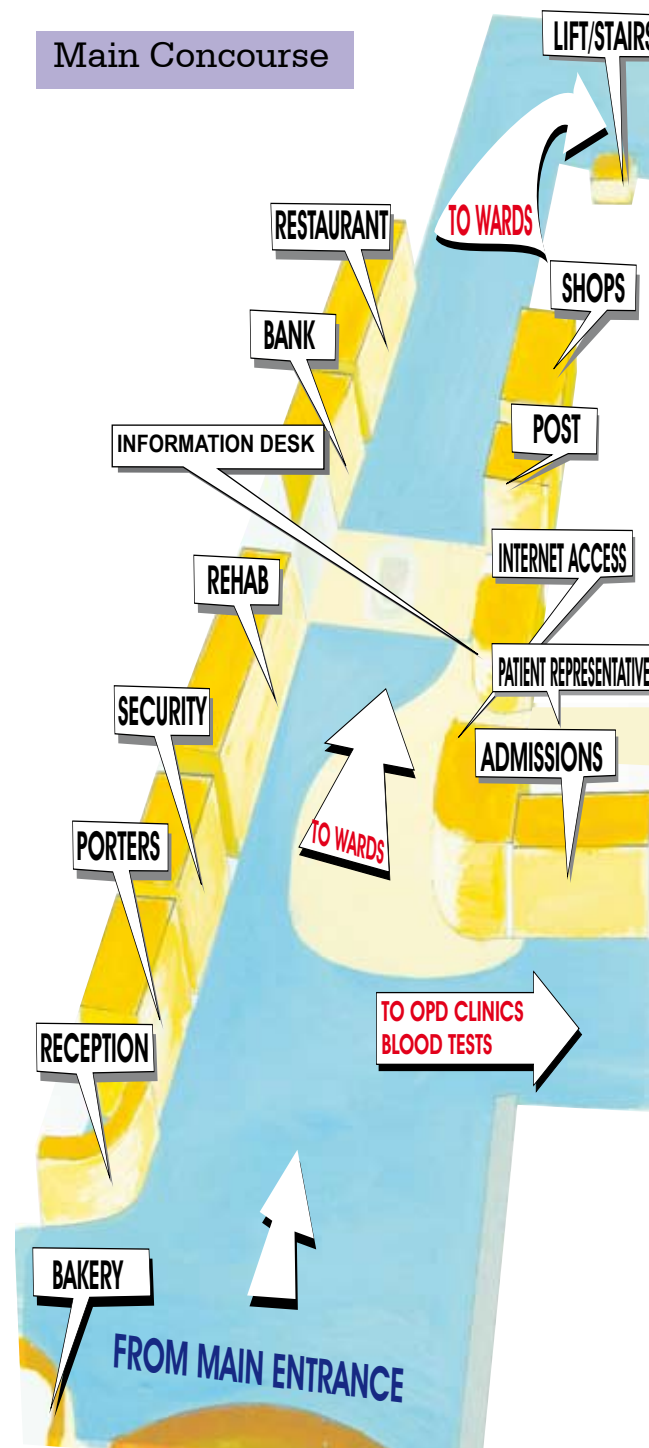
- Northside Shopping Centre is on Oscar Traynor Road.
- Omni Shopping Centre is on Swords Road.
- Artane Castle Shopping Centre is on Kilmore Road.

A petrol station and some smaller shops are near the Hospital's front gate (on Beaumont Road). Please see our website www.beaumont.ie for more information.

Please help keep Beaumont Hospital smoke-free. Smoking is prohibited beyond the blue line.



Thank you for your co-operation and understanding.



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