

Ward Information Pack





Charity no: NIC 102410

Welcome to Clark Clinic



A little housekeeping...

- Handover is at 07.30am and 19.30 for 30minutes- we ask you do not disturb us at this time unless it is an emergency as it is vital that we can handover everything about your child to the nurses coming on shift- we kindly ask you refrain from ringing the ward for updates at this time too. We encourage you to stay for handover to be there with your child so we can handover effectively.
- Visiting During your child's stay, only two
 adult visitors are permitted at a bed space
 at one time, and sadly children are not able
 to visit except in exceptional circumstances.
 Each visitor must check in with the nurses at
 the nurses station to let us know who they
 are visiting and must wash their hands and
 then sanitize.
- We can facilitate one parent/carer to stay at the child's bed space overnight- and we also have accommodation in heartbeat for another parent/carer to stay.
- Toothbrushes are available for all patients on the ward so if you have forgot one please ask- as we know how important dental hygiene is.

Hello there! We are the team from Clark Clinic and we are here to help care for your child. We hope that this little welcome pack can aid in some way.

- When nurses are doing medications we kindly ask you not to interrupt as this can cause errors.
- The kitchen is off bounds for parents/carers and patients but we are happy to keep food for your child in the fridge and we will wash and sterilize bottles, dummies and breast pumps for you.
- Your child will receive a meal on the ward for breakfast, lunch, dinner and supper. We also supply meals for breastfeeding mums.
- There are Kitchen facilities in the heartbeat accommodation which you can use at any time, to cook, or simply have a coffee away from the ward environment. There are also washing facilities which can be used during your stay on Clark Clinic.
- The canteen is open daily from 08.30 to 17:30
- Anything else just let one of the team know.



Packing Lists





FOR PARENTS

- Ipad/Headphones
- Comfy clothes/ Fluffy socks
- Toiletries
- Towels
- Hair Dryer
- Laundry pods
- Microwave meals
- Mugshots/noodles/ cup of soups
- Other snacks and drinks
- Labels for food in accommodation
- Own cutlery/plates and bowls
- Own blanket/ pillow
- Extension lead for socket
- Ear plugs
- Dongle for Wifi
- Travel cup for hot drinks
- Extra long charger lead
- Espresso pods
- Jakes ladybird bag
- Personal medication if needed.



FOR OLDER CHILDREN

- Ipad/Headphones
- Pis that button up/ Short sleeved if needed
- Books
- Blanket and comforters
- Preferred toys
- Bottles
- Steriliser bags
- Comfy clothes/ fluffy socks
- Nappies
- Safe guard/safe bed if needed
- Portable dvd player
- Own pillow/duvet cover
- Sliders/Flip flops
- Wipes/Face cloths
- Feed sets if needed for NG tube
- Preferred snacks/ drinks
- Toothbrush/ toiletries



FOR BABIES

- Socks for hands and feet
- Button up onesie footless for Oxygen Monitor
- Baby hats for PICU
- Personal blanket and comforters
- Preferred toys
- Bottles
- Steriliser bags
- Formula
- Nappies, Wipes, Barrier cream, nappybags
- Own pump if breastfeeding.
- Zip up onesies
- Pictures of family
- White noise machine
- Feed sets if needed for NG tube
- Vaseline for babies lips
- Notebook and Pen



Important Phone Numbers

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Family Support Directory ...



Children's Heartbeat Trust

Office - 028 9031 2228 Family support worker - Liz Carton: 079 6023 8827

Clark Clinic Social worker

Please speak to the Clinical Nurse Specialist or staff nurses to access this service. 073 8542 2717

Clinical Psychologist

Alannah or Leanne - Please speak to your Cardiologist or Clinical Nurse Specialist to access this service.

Inspire-counselling provided through Children's Heartbeat Trust

Quote Children's Heartbeat Trust 0800 389 5362

Advice NI

028 9064 5919

Advice Space- Citizens Advice

Tel: 0800 028 1881

Parenting NI

0808 8010 722

Employers for Childcare

028 9267 8200

Family Fund-Northern Ireland

https://www.familyfund.org.uk/grants/ schemes/northern-ireland-core-programme/

Family support Hubs Northern Ireland

These are dotted all over Northern Ireland please visit this website to find the nearest one.

https://cypsp.hscni.net/family-support-hubs/

SANDS NI (Northern Ireland)

028 3839 2509

Barnardo's Child Bereavement Service - Helpline

028 9066 8333

Senac: Educational needs

ADVICE LINE - 028 9079 5779 Monday, Tuesday & Wednesday 10am -1pm

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