

The Neonatal Transfer Service

The ambulance that comes to collect your baby will be specially designed and equipped with the necessary specialist equipment to provide intensive care for sick newborn babies.

Your baby will be placed in an incubator to keep it warm, will have its heart rate, breathing and blood pressure monitored and may require equipment to help with breathing.

This will ensure a safe transfer to the unit that will care for your baby.

The transport team will all be specialists in the care of sick, newborn babies and will include a doctor or an advanced neonatal nurse practitioner, a senior neonatal nurse and a Paramedic. They will all have undertaken specialist transport training.

To contact our service:

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www.neonatal.org.uk



Neonatal Transport Service
for *London*

Parent Information Leaflet

St Mary's Hospital

Winnicott Baby Unit

Praed Street

London

W2 1NY

(Map on the back page)

Tel: 0203 312 6666 (Ex:1103)

www.imperial.nhs.uk

Information on about the Neonatal Unit and local Amenities

By road

St. Mary's is situated in north west London, and can be reached via the A40 from outside London.

By rail

Paddington Railway Station is a two minute walk away.

By Tube

Paddington tube station (Bakerloo, District, Circle and Hammersmith/City line) is a two minute walk away.

By bus

Buses 7, 15, 23, 27 and 36 all drop and pick up on Praed Street.

Parking

On-street parking is very limited around the St Mary's Hospital site. Metered parking is available on Praed Street and disabled parking is highlighted in orange on the map below.

Cash points

Barclays – Sping Street, Edware Road
HSBC – Eastbourne Terrace

Catering/refreshments

A cafeteria and Vending machines provide 24 hour food and drink.

Local catering outlets/shops

Cafes / Shops in Praed street and Edgware road

Access to Religious Support

Hospital Chaplain available on request.

Midwifery care available for mum

Yes, ongoing maternal care is available on our maternity wards.

Availability of PALS/Patient's Advocacy Service

PALS manager, Nursing directorate, Ground floor, Clarence wing, St Mary's Hospital, London W2 1NY

Telephone: 020 3312 7777

Fax: 020 3312 1753

Email: pals@imperial.nhs.uk

Description of Neonatal Unit

The Winnicott Baby Unit is a local neonatal unit with 11 high dependency cots, and 8 low dependency cots.

Visiting for siblings and others

Siblings may visit at any time with their parents. Other children are not permitted to visit. Like all the other neonatal units in the network, there are visiting restrictions during the winter months.

Facilities & Accommodation for parents

There is a sitting room with Kitchenette and dining table for parents and visitors. There are two bedrooms and a bathroom for parents to sleep overnight and to room in with their baby before going home.

