

Visiting times

Below are the visiting times for the services run by University Hospitals of Morecambe Bay NHS Foundation Trust, at:

- **Furness General Hospital (Barrow-in-Furness)**
- **Royal Lancaster Infirmary (Lancaster)**
- **Westmorland General Hospital (Kendal)**

Five things to remember when visiting:

- **Please visit during visiting hours**
Please try to keep to the visiting hours. Visitors should be limited to two per bed at any one time. Please check with the ward for times or check the visiting times on this site.
- **Say it with flowers**
Always check with the nursing staff on the ward before bringing fresh flowers and plants as some wards have restrictions on these to prevent the spread of germs.
- **Help us fight the bugs**
We have made great strides with infection control. Help us by using the hand gel provided each time you visit. Please do not sit on the beds.
- **Please don't visit if you are unwell**
Please don't visit if you are suffering or recovering from an infectious illness such as diarrhoea, vomiting, coughs or colds. You can get free health advice, 24 hours a day, by calling the NHS 111 Service on 111.
- **Parking**
Like most hospitals, car parking is limited. During the week you may find it easier to park after 4pm. Please remember to bring some change for the pay and display meters. free parking for blue badge holders exists. You can also purchase a weekly parking ticket from the General Office at each hospital.

Furness General Hospital

Main switchboard: 01229 870870

Medical Wards

Ward 6	2pm - 4pm and 7pm - 8pm
Ward 7	2pm - 4pm and 7pm - 8pm
Ward 9	2pm - 4pm and 7pm - 8pm
Acute Medical Unit	2pm - 4pm and 7pm - 8pm
High Dependency Unit	3pm - 5pm and 6pm - 7pm
Oncology Unit	Open visiting
Patient Progression Unit	2pm - 4pm and 7pm - 8pm

Surgical Wards

Ward 2 (Orthopaedics)	2pm - 4pm and 7pm - 8pm
Ward 4	2pm - 4pm and 7pm - 8pm
Ward 5	2pm - 4pm and 7pm - 8pm
Day Unit	2pm - 4pm and 7pm - 8pm No visiting on the day of theatre procedure.

Ward 1 (Gynaecology)	3pm - 5pm and 7pm - 8pm
Maternity Ward	9am - 9pm } Partners only 3pm - 4pm } Any other visiting 7pm - 8pm } Any other visiting

Children's Ward	Open visiting for parents. 10am - 8pm for all other visitors (with the permission of the parents)
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Special Care Baby Unit	Open visiting for parents. All other visiting at parents' discretion.
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Intensive Care Unit	1pm - 2pm and 5pm - 7pm
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Royal Lancaster Infirmary

Main switchboard: 01524 65944

Medical Wards

Ward 20	2pm - 4pm and 7pm - 8pm
Ward 22	2pm - 4pm and 7pm - 8pm
Ward 23	2pm - 4pm and 7pm - 8pm
Ward 37	2pm - 4pm and 7pm - 8pm
Ward 39	2pm - 4pm and 7pm - 8pm
Acute Medical Unit	2pm - 4pm and 7pm - 8pm
Coronary Care Unit	2pm - 4pm and 7pm - 8pm
Oncology (Day Unit)	Open visiting

Surgical Wards

Ward 30	2pm - 4pm and 7pm - 8pm
Ward 31	2pm - 4pm and 7pm - 8pm
Ward 33	2pm - 4pm and 7pm - 8pm
Ward 34	2pm - 4pm and 7pm - 8pm
Ward 35	At discretion of ward staff following theatre procedures. Contact the ward on 01524 583435.
Ward 36	At discretion of ward staff following theatre procedures. Contact the ward on 01524 583436.
Ward 21 (Ripley Suite)	2pm - 4pm and 7pm - 8pm
Ward 16 (Gynaecology)	2pm - 4pm and 7pm - 8pm
Ward 17 (Maternity Ward)	9am - 9pm for partners / siblings. 3pm - 4pm and 7pm - 8pm for all other visitors (with the permission of the parents)
Ward 32 (Children's Ward)	Open visiting for parents. 1pm - 7pm for all other visitors (with the permission of the parents)
Neonatal Unit	Open visiting for parents. 2pm - 7pm for all other visitors (with the permission of the parents)
Intensive Care Unit	2pm - 4pm and 6pm - 8pm

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Westmorland General Hospital

Main switchboard: 01539 732288

Helme Chase Maternity Unit

Open visiting for partners and own children.
3pm - 4pm and 7pm - 8pm for all other visitors.

Kendal Elective Orthopaedic and
Surgical Centre

Open visiting until 8pm.