Newmedica

Eye Health Clinics | Surgical Centres

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Plymouth

At Newmedica, we have some of the UK's leading consultant ophthalmologists who specialise in the treatment of advanced eye conditions. Our surgical centres are owned and led by the consultants, who hand pick their teams to ensure the right care is provided.

How to refer to us

Opticians
Devon: Refer via DRSS at d-icb.drss-admin@nhs.net

Cornwall: Refer to the Referral Management Service (RAS) via eRS

GPs
Refer via the Referral Management Service (RAS)

Private patients
Refer to us directly via email at newmedica.plymouth@nhs.net

Services we offer

We offer NHS and private services.

- Cataract surgery
- Glaucoma (private only)
- Medical retina (private only)
- YAG laser capsulotomy
- Wet AMD (private only)

Why choose Newmedica?

Better clinical outcomes
Surgical complication rates are significantly below the norm, with posterior capsular rupture (PCR) at 0.31% compared to the national benchmark of 1.1%, so you can rest assured your patients will receive the best care.

Higher quality intraocular lenses
We are one of the only providers using the highest-quality monofocal intraocular lenses for NHS patients, with the lowest posterior capsule opacification (PCO) rate on the market. That means less YAG laser capsulotomy, fewer patients going through the worry of avoidable treatment, and savings for the NHS.

Short waiting times
Our short waiting times mean your patients will have their first appointment within a couple of weeks.

Broader ophthalmology services to meet more of your patients' needs
Our consultant ophthalmologists specialise in treating a wide range of eye conditions for the NHS and privately, including glaucoma and YAG. That means the same familiar faces for you and your patients, and it often means more complex patients can also benefit from our services.

Continuity of care delivering 99% satisfaction
Our consultant ophthalmologists and their experienced teams are a consistent presence in our surgical centres so you, and your patients, get to know the team they can trust.

Free transport and reassurance when it's needed most
We take the time to get to know your patients, offer to hold their hand or play their preferred music in theatre, and provide free transport for those who need it.

State-of-the-art facilities
Our surgical centres provide the best care for your patients. As well as the latest equipment, they include free parking and comfortable waiting areas to make visiting as easy as possible.

Partnering with you in patient care
We know we deliver the best patient care when working closely with you. That's why our consultants provide feedback on your referrals, answer any questions you have and support your progression through CPD events, pre-reg and IP placements.

Our consultants

Tom Cudrnak
I specialise in the diagnosis and treatment of retinal diseases, as well as micro-incisional cataract surgery.

Nick Edmeades
I specialise in cataract surgery, inflammatory, retinal and diabetic disease, AMD and serious chorioretinopathy.

Vasant Raman
I specialise in cataract surgery, vitreoretinal surgery, and medical retina conditions.

Exclusions

- Patients under the age of 18
- Any condition leading to an inability to lay flat / lay still under local anaesthetic
- Patients requiring a general anaesthetic
- Patients who are unable to transfer independently / need a hoist
- Accident and emergency ophthalmology
- Likely lid or adnexal tumours requiring histopathology services

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