

Guidance for staff when a pregnant or recently pregnant* person presents to Charing Cross Hospital

Pregnant or recently pregnant* person:

- Presenting with acute medical or surgical problem
- In a non-maternity setting
- May/may not have pregnancy booked in the local maternity unit

Under 20 weeks

20 weeks or over

After doctor assessment

In hours: QCCH Obstetric Medicine clinical fellow via bleep 9059 / Alertive (9am-5pm M-F)

Out of hours: QCCH gynae on call team (senior registrar via bleep 9423)

After doctor assessment

In hours:

- QCCH Labour Ward consultant via switch* or registrar via Alertive or ext. 35167 *and*
- QCCH Obstetric Medicine clinical fellow via blp 9059 / Alertive (9am-5pm M-F)

***After 11pm weekdays, 8pm weekends:** on call team (senior reg bleep 9423)

If admitted, all patients require:

- Location of care discussion with senior clinicians as MDT
- Appropriate maternity VTE risk assessment
- Review of any safeguarding concerns

Non-urgent queries for the Obstetric Medicine team at Queen Charlotte's and Chelsea Hospital (Maternal Medicine Centre for the NW London maternal medicine network) can be emailed to imperial.obsmedQCCH@nhs.net.

* Up to 6 weeks after the end of pregnancy (including miscarriage, termination or other loss)