

## Guidance for staff when a pregnant or recently pregnant\* person presents to a non-Maternity setting in Hammersmith Hospital

Pregnant or recently pregnant\* person:

- Presenting with acute medical or surgical problem
- In a non-maternity setting
- May or may not have their 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 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 via 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 can be emailed to [imperial.obsmedQCCH@nhs.net](mailto:imperial.obsmedQCCH@nhs.net).

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