

Know your local acute oncology service



Greater Manchester
Cancer Alliance

Every hospital with an A&E across Greater Manchester and Cheshire has a nurse led acute oncology service.

These acute oncology nursing specialists offer urgent cancer care advice, and support managing the complications of cancer and its treatment.



Improved access to senior oncology advice

Acute oncology nurses are now supported daily (Mon-Fri) by a Christie consultant oncologist specialising in cancer emergencies.

This support is provided face to face or through a newly launched lunch time virtual multidisciplinary team meeting.

If you require senior cancer specialist advice about your patients, ask your acute oncology nurse to discuss with a Christie consultant.

Who can access this service?

This new acute oncology service, can offer daily advice (Mon-Fri) on the following acute oncology patients:

- Type 1** — A new diagnosis of cancer as part of an unplanned emergency admission
- Type 2** — A complication of cancer treatment
- Type 3** — A complication of the cancer itself

Find out more:

Scan the QR code for referral guidance and further resources:

