



**Royal Papworth Hospital**  
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# Getting to Royal Papworth Hospital

Information for patients

## Welcome

Royal Papworth Hospital – a brand new heart and lung hospital on the Cambridge Biomedical Campus. This leaflet gives you some important information about how to get to the hospital and the location of key departments inside the new hospital building.

If you have any questions about the new hospital, please don't hesitate to contact our Patient Advice and Liaison Service on 01223 638896.

We look forward to welcoming you to the hospital soon.



## About our new hospital

Royal Papworth Hospital has been designed by our clinicians with patients in mind. It includes:

- Five operating theatres, five catheter laboratories (for non-surgical procedures) and two hybrid theatres
- Six inpatient wards
- 310 beds, including a 46-bed critical care unit and 24 day beds
- Mostly en-suite, individual rooms for inpatients
- A centrally-located Outpatients unit offering a wide range of diagnostic and treatment facilities
- An atrium on the ground floor with a restaurant, coffee shop and convenience store

## Getting to the new hospital

The new hospital is located on the Cambridge Biomedical Campus, near to Addenbrooke's Hospital, to the south of the city of Cambridge.

## Travelling by car

If you are travelling to the new hospital by car, it may be quicker (and cheaper) to park at Trumpington Park & Ride (postcode CB2 9FT) and take the Guided Bus A directly to the new hospital (a 5-minute journey).

Alternatively, you could park at the Babraham Park & Ride site (postcode CB22 3AB) and take the bus to the Addenbrooke's Hospital bus stop. It is a 10-minute walk from the Addenbrooke's bus stop to the new hospital, or you can catch the patient courtesy bus, which runs every 10 minutes.

Parking is free at all Park & Ride sites in Cambridge and there are disabled spaces located close to the bus stops.

If you would prefer to drive to the new hospital itself, please use post code CB2 0AY.

## **Car parking**

Parking is available in Multi-storey Car Park 2, which is next to the new hospital. There are a few spaces outside the hospital to allow for patients being dropped off or collected, but these will have a maximum 30 minute stay. We will have six Blue Badge spaces outside of the hospital, but there are additional disabled spaces on levels 1-4 of Multi-storey Car Park 2.

Patients will be entitled to discounted parking (currently £4.00 per day) but you will need to show your appointment letter or card at the customer service desk within the car park for the discount to be applied. Other rates apply for visitors. Discounted frequent visitor rates are available for seven and 14 day parking tickets.

## Travelling by public transport

As well as the Park & Ride buses, many other buses stop at the Addenbrooke's Hospital bus stop on the Cambridge Biomedical Campus, which is a 10-minute walk from Royal Papworth Hospital. To find a bus route that is suitable for you, please visit [www.google.com/maps](http://www.google.com/maps), type in 'CB2 0AY' and then select 'directions'. If you then enter your home post code you will be shown a selection of suitable buses.

The Stagecoach bus app can also help you plan your journey and provides real time bus information – visit [www.stagecoachbus.com/app](http://www.stagecoachbus.com/app) for more information.

If you live near a train station, you may prefer to travel by train to Cambridge Station and take one of the many buses to Addenbrooke's Hospital. It is a 10-minute walk from the Addenbrooke's bus stop to the new hospital, or you can catch the patient courtesy bus, which runs every 10-15 minutes between 07.30 and 17.30, Monday – Friday.

Alternatively, you could take a taxi from Cambridge Station to the new hospital, which would take around 10 minutes depending on traffic.

## Inside the new hospital

The hospital's main reception is located on the ground floor, as well as our Outpatient area and diagnostic facilities, a restaurant, coffee shop and convenience store, our charity team and our Patient Advice and Liaison Service (PALS). There will also be electronic self check-in kiosks where you can register that you have arrived. Please report to the main reception if you need any help to find the ward or department you are looking for.

For more information about visiting our new hospital, including accessibility information, please visit [www.royalpapworth.nhs.uk](http://www.royalpapworth.nhs.uk).

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