

What happens if I go into hospital?



No one looks forward to a stay in hospital, but if it becomes necessary, it's important that you are well cared for. Part of that good care is the Hospital Chaplaincy Service; a multi-faith department whose role is to provide for the spiritual, pastoral and religious needs of patients and their relatives.

On admission to hospital please ensure that your religion is registered and confirm that this information may be passed to the Roman Catholic Chaplain.

Chaplains offer a friendly face, a listening ear, and a chance to talk through thoughts and concerns, prayer, religious care, Sacraments. Everything is held in strict confidence.

Chaplains visit the wards during the week and provide an 'on-call' service in case of emergency.

If you would like a chaplain to visit please ask ward staff to contact the appropriate chaplain.

Further information about the Chaplaincy Service for Roman Catholics at your local hospital may be found at: www.rcdow.org.uk/healthcare

If you or your relative is admitted to hospital please notify the Chaplain. If you let us know you're there, we can be there for you.

Local Hospitals and Chaplains:

Royal Free Hospital	Fr Tim Gardner	020 7482 9210
St Charles Hospital	Fr Marcus Winter	020 8969 6844
St John & St Elizabeth Hospital	Fr Richard Sloan	020 7286 5126
St John's Hospice	Fr Richard Sloan	020 7286 5126
St Mary's Hospital (Paddington)	Fr James Mulligan	020 7886 1508
University College Hospital	Fr Peter Harries OP	020 7961 5734
Wellington Hospital	St John's Wood Parish	020 7286 3214



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