

NHS Specialist Services for Female Genital Mutilation LONDON

LONDON:

1. University College London Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust.

Adult FGM Clinic:

Offers care and support for women who have undergone FGM in a sensitive and nonjudgemental environment. This is a comprehensive service for pregnant and non-pregnant women and includes de-infibulation.

Address: University College Hospital

Adult FGM Clinic - Clinic 3

Elizabeth Garrett Anderson Wing

London WC1E 6BD

Tel No: Tel: 020 3447 9411

E-mail: fgmsupport@uclh.nhs.uk

uclh.fgmreferrals@nhs.net

Contacts:

Miss Lata Kamble: FGM Clinical Lead and Obstetrician

Miss Sohier Elneil: Urogynaecology support

Mrs Yvonne Saruchera: FGM Specialist midwife - 07944 241 992

2. University College London Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust.

Children's FGM services:

This is the only UK service for children who have had, are suspected to have had, or may be at risk of FGM. It is a dedicated monthly multidisciplinary clinic offering appropriate care for affected children and young people. Assessment is made of whether FGM has been performed. If FGM is confirmed, the clinic offers management of the physical and psychological health implications of FGM. If surgery such as de-infibulation is required, it is undertaken in an age appropriate setting. Other at risk children within the family can be assessed. There is close liaison with the police, social care and local community groups. The clinic takes referrals from health professionals, children's social services and police as well as self-referrals. The clinic offers a review service of DVDs from clinicians working in other safeguarding services where FGM is suspected but not confirmed.

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Clinic time: Monday – Friday 8.30 - 2.30pm

Tel No: 0203 447 5241

Fax: 0203 447 9064

Contact: Uassamba Matias Bacelar: Paediatric Safeguarding Coordinator

E-mail: UCLH.PaediatricSafeguarding@nhs.net

Contacts:

Dr Deborah Hodes: Consultant Community Paediatrician

Professor Sarah Creighton: Consultant Gynaecologist

Dr Claudia De Campos: Child Psychotherapist

Louise Williams: Clinical Nurse Specialist, Paediatric and Adolescent Gynaecology

3. THE SUNFLOWER CLINIC at Queen Charlotte's Hospital -

Imperial College Healthcare NHS Trust (Previously Acton African Well Woman Clinic which has now closed)

This service is for all women with FGM, and in particular for non-pregnant women. Our nearest tube station is East Acton on the Central line which is a five minute walk away.

We aim to see women within two weeks of contacting us by self-referral. You can ring us directly and we will book you in. We provide counselling and support for women with FGM, we can explain to you what type of FGM you have, we carry out de-infibulation (the "reversal" or "opening" procedure) for women with Type III FGM using local anaesthetic; and we provide a referral service for women with other complex perineal problems as a result of FGM.

Address: Queen Charlotte's Hospital

Sunflower Clinic

Gynaecology Outpatient Dept

Du Cane Road

W12 0HS

Clinic time: Fridays 9.00am to 5.00pm for pregnant AND non-pregnant women

Contacts: Juliet Albert - Specialist FGM Midwife - 07730 970 738

We have expert Midwives, Somali and Arabic-speaking Health Advocates and specialist Counsellors to support women and families suffering the consequences of FGM. You do not need a GP referral and you will be seen within 2 weeks of contacting us. We carry out the "reversal" procedure under local anaesthetic or can refer you to a consultant for urogynaecology or complex perineal problems.

Please feel free to call us directly at the telephone numbers above or email

juliet.albert@nhs.net

Chelsea and Westminster FGM Service – Chelsea and Westminster

Hospital NHS Trust

Provides sexual health, maternity and gynaecology advice and treatment for non-pregnant and pregnant women affected by FGM. GP, healthcare provider or self-referral accepted via phone or e-mail contact as per below. We aim to see women within two weeks of contact.

For Maternity/Gynaecology assessments and de-infibulation procedures:

Address: Chelsea and Westminster Hospital

Gynaecology outpatients department

369 Fulham Road

London, SW10 9NH

Clinic time: Every 1st and 3rd Wednesday of the month 2:00 pm – 5:00 pm

Tel No: 07812 378 363

Contact: Debora Alcayde: Specialist FGM Midwife

E-mail: caw-tr.fgmwestlondon@nhs.net

4. Well Women Clinic - St Marys Hospital, Imperial College Healthcare

NHS Trust

Address: St Mary's Hospital

Well Women Clinic

Day assessment unit

Maternity Dept

Praed Street

London, W2 1NY

Clinic time: Every Tuesday for pregnant women

Tel No: 0207 886 6691 or

0207 886 1443

Helpline: 0203 312 6135

Contact: Zuriash Amare: FGM Midwife

Direct: 020 3312 1060 or 022 3312 1730

5. FGM Clinic - Whittington Hospital (previously African Well Women's clinic)

The clinic is midwifery led and gender specific. Both pregnant and non-pregnant women can access the clinic. Our aim is to see women within two weeks of their referral. The clinic offers advice, counselling, antenatal care and assessment, de-infibulation, post-surgery and postnatal follow up. Home visits are offered to women living in the borough of Islington and Haringey.

Address: FGM Clinic

Kenwood Wing

Antenatal Clinic - Level 5

Magdala Avenue

London N19 5NF

Clinic time: Open every Wednesday from 8:00am – 6:00pm

Tel No: 0207 2883482 / 3

Mobile: 07956257992 (to make or change an appointment)

Contacts:

Huda Mohamed: h.mohamed@nhs.net - FGM Lead Midwife

Website: <http://www.whittington.nhs.uk/mini-apps/staff/>

6. Mile End Hospital – Barts Health NHS Trust

Address: Mile End Hospital

Tower Hamlets Contraception & Sexual Health Service

Sylvia Pankhurst Centre

3rd Floor Bancroft Road

London E1 4DG

Clinic time: 1

st Monday of the month

Tel No: 0207 377 7870 or 0208 223 8322

Contact: Janet Barter

Email: janet.barter@bartshealth.nhs.uk

Website: www.bartshealth.nhs.uk

7. Northwick Park Hospital, Antenatal Clinic - London North West

Healthcare Trust

Female Genital Mutilation (FGM) Clinics and all clinics are staffed by specialist midwives

The London North West Healthcare NHS Trust delivers FGM services to all women who

accesses services. The Trust covers 3 boroughs Ealing, Brent and Harrow. Interpreters are

present at all clinics if required. The specialist midwives see pregnant and non-pregnant women.

Address: Northwick Park Hospital

Antenatal Clinic

Watford Road

Harrow

Middlesex HA1 3UJ

Clinic time: Friday mornings 08.00 – 13.00hrs

Tel No: 0208 869 2870

Contacts: Abi Rogers) Specialist Midwives

Gina Acquah)

Website: www.lnwh.nhs.uk

8. Central Middlesex Hospital Antenatal Clinic - London North West
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Address: Central Middlesex Hospital

Antenatal Clinic

Acton Lane

Park Royal

London NW10 7NS

Clinic time: Friday 08.00 – 16.00hrs

Tel No: 0208 963 7180

Mobile: Grace Nartey 07825 606 008

Contacts: Jacqui De Haan, Specialist Midwife

NOTTINGHAM

8. Nottingham University Hospitals NHS Trust :

City Hospital Campus and Queens Campus

The clinic is nurse/midwife led with a comprehensive referral pathway. Both pregnant and
nonpregnant

women can access the clinic. Our aim is to see women within two weeks of their

referral. Children can be seen by individual appointment as this would be a joint appointment

with a consultant paediatrician. The clinic offers advice, referral to urogynae, consultant obstetrician, social care, honour-based abuse team, counselling, ante natal care and assessment, de-infibulation, post-surgery and post natal follow up.

Address 1: Nottingham University Hospital NHS Trust

City Campus - Antenatal Clinic

Hucknall Road

Nottingham NG5 1PB

Tel No: 0115 9691169 ext 55239

Clinic time: 9.00am – 12:30pm: alternate Thursdays

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Address 2: Nottingham University Hospital NHS Trust

Queens Campus - Antenatal Clinic

Derby Road, Nottingham, NG7 2UH

Clinic time: 13.30 -17.00pm : alternate Thursdays

Tel No: 0115 924 9924 ext 61258

0115 883 8926) Community midwifery & antenatal service matron

07812268756)

Contacts: Amanda Whickham email: Amanda.whickham@nuh.nhs.uk

Paula Booker email: paula.booker@nuh.nhs.uk

Clare O'Callaghan email: clare.o'callaghan@nuh.nhs.uk

BRISTOL

9. Bristol Community Rose Clinic at East Trees Heath Centre:

The Bristol Community Rose Clinic provides care and support for women who are experiencing problems as a result of female genital mutilation (FGM). This specialist de-infibulation clinic is staffed by an all-female team, who understand the sensitivity and complexity of issues relating to FGM. They offer this support to women from Bristol, North Somerset, south Gloucestershire and Bath areas.

This service is confidential and the reception staff at Eastville Medical Practice cannot take bookings, email the clinic for advice or to make an appointment.

Address: Bristol Community Rose Clinic

Eastville Medical Practice

East Trees Health Centre

100a Fishponds Road

Eastville

Bristol BS5 6SA

Tel No: 07813016911 or talk to your GP regarding a referral

e-mail: bristolrose.clinic@nhs.net

Website: <http://www.eastvillemedicalpractice.co.uk/contact.php>

Website: Bristol Against Violence and Abuse (BAVA):

<http://www.bava.org.uk/types-of-abuse/female-genital-mutilation/>

BIRMINGHAM

10. Birmingham Heartlands Hospital – Heart of England NHS

Foundation Trust

Address: Birmingham Heartlands Hospital

Princess of Wales Women's Unit

Bordesley Green

East Birmingham B9 5SS

Clinic time: Every Day

Contact: Alison Byrne

Mobile: 07817 534274

Tel No: 0121 424 3909

NHS Scotland Specialist Services for Female Genital Mutilation

NHS Lothian

This service is for pregnant and non-pregnant women. They aim to see women two weeks after her booking scan (pregnant women) or 2 weeks after referral. They provide support for women with FGM, a de-infibulation service for women with Type III FGM and referral service for counselling.

Maternity

Address:

Royal Infirmary of Edinburgh

51 Little France Crescent

Edinburgh

EH16 4SA

or

St John's Hospital at Howden

Howden Road West

Howden

Livingston

West Lothian

EH54 6PP

Open - Monday to Friday 9am to 5pm

Telephone – 07765 233179

Email – vicki.davitt@nhs.net

Specialist FGM Midwife – Vickie Davitt

Consultant Obstetrician – Dr Anne Armstrong

Gynaecology

Consultant Gynaecologist – Dr Alison Scott

Chalmers Sexual Health Centre

Chalmers Street

Edinburgh

Tel. 0131 536 1511 (or Vickie Davitt above)

Email – Alison.m.scott@nhslothian.scot.nhs.uk