Welcome to Children's Assessment Unit (CAU)

Daily unit schedule

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Parents and guardians are a very important part of the care team on all children's wards and we welcome your contributions. Please discuss with your nurse how you can best support your child's care. Parents and guardians can visit 24 hours a day, but we ask that there are maximum two visitors per patient at any given time. Siblings are welcome to visit. All children and young people under the age of 18 years old must be accompanied by an adult at all times. Please note that review times and visiting times can sometimes vary, depending on the nature of your child's care needs and their individual situation. **Thank you.**



Visiting hours

Parents/guardians 24 hours a day

Personal care*

08:00-19:00

*This is a guide only. Washing and bed changes are carried out as frequently as required.

Supported meal times

08:00-09:00
12:00-13:00
17:00-18:00

There are also drink and snack rounds on the ward throughout the day.

Ward rounds

When you will be seen by a consultant or a registrar.

09:00-12:30

Key contacts

Matron: Piper Wilkins

Lead nurse/s: Monica Morrin

Board rounds

When your multi-disciplinary team will meet on the ward to review care plans.

09:00-10:00
12:00-13:00

Medication rounds

Medication rounds occur at designated times throughout the day.

Medication may also be administered outside of scheduled rounds, when required.

Whether you've had a positive experience on the unit, or you want to get in touch to raise a concern, please speak to the nurse in charge. Alternatively, you can contact our Patient Advice and Liaison Service (PALS) who are there to support you and provide advice.

For compliments, concerns or complaints, please call **0121 424 0808** or email **pals@uhb.nhs.uk.** Thank you.