

Prostate follow-up at Townside primary care centre

Townside is one of the 7 community clinics set up by The Christie for reviewing men who have been treated at The Christie for prostate cancer. The clinic is staffed by specialist nurses from the urology/oncology team who have expertise in managing prostate cancer patients.

It is useful to have an up-to-date PSA blood test performed before you get to the clinic so we have the results to hand on the day and we can then discuss them with you. You need to make arrangements with your own GP practice for this blood test to be carried out 1 to 2 weeks **before** your appointment date. Please bring a copy of the PSA result with you. Although your GP practice may tell you that the result will be sent through to The Christie, this does not usually happen.

Please ensure that you bring a copy of the blood test result with you to the appointment.

Your next Christie appointment will be at Townside Primary care centre. On arrival at the centre there may not be a receptionist in the main entrance. Please make your way to the fourth floor reception and take a seat. The clinic staff will call you through. Your appointment should last no longer than 20 minutes.

If you need information in a different format, such as easy read, large print, BSL, braille, email, SMS text or other communication support, please tell your ward or clinic nurse.

The Christie is committed to producing high quality, evidence based information for patients. Our patient information adheres to the principles and quality statements of the Information Standard. If you would like to have details about the sources used please contact patient.information@christie.nhs.uk

For information and advice visit the cancer information centres at Withington, Oldham or Salford. Opening times can vary, please check before making a special journey.

Contact The Christie Hotline for urgent support and specialist advice
The Christie Hotline: 0161 446 3658
Open 24 hours a day, 7 days a week



Travelling to Townside primary care centre

1 Knowsley Place
Knowsley Street
Bury
BL9 0SN

Car parking

There is a multi-storey car park 'Q Park Knowsley Place' on Knowsley Street directly next to the centre. There are also other pay and display car parks round the town within walking distance.

Public transport

The Bury Interchange Metrolink and bus station are approximately five minutes' walk away and are situated directly opposite the clinic, behind the small car park next to the market and are well-signposted.

Details of all services are available from Transport for Greater Manchester (www.tfgm.com) or from Traveline (0871 200 2233).

If you are unable to make your appointment or you have any other queries about your clinic visit, please contact the Macmillan urology secretary at The Christie on 0161 446 8238.

