

Paediatric rheumatology patient advice line

Patient information factsheet

The paediatric rheumatology patient advice line is there to help you between outpatients appointments.

If you need help or have any questions about paediatric rheumatology you can call **07760 158924**.

If your call goes to voicemail, please leave us a message and include the patient's name, a contact telephone number and their hospital number or date of birth. We will do our best to return your call within 24 hours.

Please note, this telephone number is not for emergencies. If you need medical help in an emergency, you must contact your GP, call an ambulance or go to your nearest emergency department.

Do not call the paediatric rheumatology patient advice line – this is for non-urgent calls only.

Appointment changes and blood results

If you need to change an appointment, or find out blood results, see the relevant telephone numbers overleaf. Do not call the paediatric rheumatology patient advice line.

Paediatric rheumatology contacts at Southampton Children's Hospital

Paediatric rheumatology patient line

07760 158 924
s.hartfree@nhs.net

Children's outpatients appointments

023 8120 8746

Rheumatology consultants' secretaries

Dr Davidson – 023 8120 6770
Dr Leahy – 023 8120 4829

John Atwell day case treatments

023 8120 6157

The following national organisations may be able to answer your questions and give you help and advice

Children's Chronic Arthritis Association (CCAA)

info@ccaa.org.uk
01905 745595

Arthritis Care

www.arthritiscare.org.uk
0808 808 4050

British Society for Paediatric and Adolescent Rheumatology (BSPAR)

enquiries@bspar.org.uk

The Source – young persons' helpline

thesource@arthritiscare.org.uk
0808 808 2000

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