

**OUR SERVICE LEVEL COMMITMENT  
TO OUR PATIENTS AND REFERRING CLINICIANS**

**For all external imaging referrals:**

- We aim to see all patients within 48 hours of referral.
- We aim to provide a Consultant Radiologist Report within 24 hours of completion of all imaging studies.



"Your Partner in Quality Medical Imaging Services"



MRI



Ultrasound



CR General X-ray



## MRI

Our flagship imaging technology is a [GE Signa Excite 1.5T MRI](#), complemented by a full range of specialist coils. Images are stored on [PACS](#) in Dicom format, and can be supplied to referring clinicians in hard copy, on CD, or potentially direct from [PACS](#). Our Radiographers and Consultant Radiologists have extensive specialist experience in the delivery of MR studies of the very highest quality. We are normally able to see patients within a maximum of 48 hours from the point of referral. Consultant Radiologist Reports are normally available 24 hours after the completion of MRI studies.



## ULTRASOUND

We have installed a state-of-the-art [Philips HD11 Ultrasound Scanner](#) within the Department, to provide a truly versatile Ultrasound capability. Our scanner is augmented by a wide range of imaging probes, enabling our Radiologists to perform a full range of diagnostic investigations. All studies are sent immediately to [PACS](#), and reports are normally issued within 24 hours. Our Radiologists are available to provide immediate opinions when required. We are looking to provide a fully-integrated [Sports Injury Assessment Clinic](#) as a key element of our future service offering.



## CR GENERAL X-RAY

Our 'filmless' Department is equipped with a [GE Proteus CR General X-ray unit](#), a [GE OEC 8800 Image Intensifier](#), and a [GE AMX4 mobile](#). All CR modalities are linked to a [Konica-Minolta Regius CS2 system](#) (one of only two such units currently deployed in the UK) which digitally processes and sends all images to [PACS](#). If required, we have the capability to print hard copy films, via a link to our Konica Minolta Drypro printer. The Department provides all the Treatment Centre's medical imaging needs, and plays a key part in delivering the "one-stop" patient assessment model in operation within the outpatient clinics.



## PACS

The Department is equipped with an [Aspyra PACS](#) which enables the digital storage, retrieval and distribution of all images both within and outwith the Treatment Centre. Our [PACS](#) system also incorporates an online scheduler and a digital reporting system.

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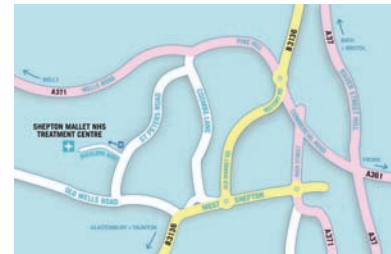
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