

## Urology Department

# Clinical Nurse Specialist in Urology

### Introduction

The Clinical Nurse Specialists for Urology are experienced trained nurses who are able to provide detailed information about the urinary system, urological complaints and cancers. Within their role they work closely with the Urology ward and the Urology doctors. The nurses are able to help patients with an explanation, discuss the treatments that are available and have been offered by the consultant and also assist in symptom management and treatment of side effects. The Clinical Nurse Specialists can also provide emotional support for patients and their relatives. They also have other skills and are responsible for a number of out patient clinics, as well as teaching colleagues.

### Clinical Nurse Specialist for Continence and Urology

Sarah Roth is the Clinical Nurse Specialist who deals mainly with continence problems in women. She is responsible for out patient clinics such as Urodynamics (a specialised bladder test), erectile dysfunction and also female continence assessments. She has a detailed knowledge of continence and other urology related problems. Sarah can help with issues regarding urinary catheters and is also able to teach patients to pass their own catheters intermittently.

If you feel that you would like speak to Sarah she can either be contacted via **Bleep 1246** or directly on **024 7696 5296**.



## Patient Information

### **Macmillan Clinical Nurse Specialists in Urology**

Mandi Muzondo, Margo Day and Jade Wilcox have an in depth knowledge of urological cancers, their treatments and side effects. They are responsible for and are present at a number of out patient clinics and work closely with both the urology consultants and oncologists. Mandi, Margo and Jade make contact with all patients and their families who are newly diagnosed with a urological cancer and will provide practical and psychological support throughout the treatment journey.

If you feel that you would like speak to Mandi, Margo or Jade. They can be contacted either via **Bleep 4272 or 1345** or directly on **024 7696 5149**.

### **Advanced Nurse Practitioner in Urology**

Debbie Shreeve has an extensive knowledge and experience of a wide range of urology problems. Her main area of practice is with men who have diseases of the prostate gland, urinary catheters, erectile dysfunction and lithotripsy. She is responsible for a number of out patient clinics relating to assessment and monitoring patients with prostate and other urological problems. Debbie along with the other Specialist Nurses also plays an integral part in the education and training of her colleagues.

If you feel that you would like speak to Debbie, she can either be contacted via **Bleep 1762** or directly on **024 7696 5373**.

### **Assistant Practitioner**

Sue Ferguson has a number of years urology experience working on the ward in the Urology Department. She assists the clinical nurse specialists in their clinics and also works independently within the team. Sue is also responsible for her own intravesical therapy and bladder retraining clinics.

If you feel that you would like to speak to Sue, she can be contacted directly on **024 7696 5295**.

## Patient Information

The Clinical Nurse Specialist team for Urology also includes a support worker who holds a number of uroflometry clinics and assists the other team members in the out patient department clinic setting

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