

The ROYAL MARSDEN

NHS Foundation Trust

Our partnership with Cleveland Clinic London

We work in partnership with Cleveland Clinic London to carry out some surgical procedures for our patients. This partnership helps us ensure timely access to surgery and seamless continuation of your treatment.

Although your surgery may take place at Cleveland Clinic London, you remain a Royal Marsden patient at every stage of your treatment. Your consultant, your clinical team and your follow-up all remain with The Royal Marsden, and your care continues to be fully led and managed by our team throughout.

Your surgery will be performed by your Royal Marsden consultant surgeon.

Confirming your surgery location

You will attend a pre-assessment appointment at The Royal Marsden before your surgery. At this appointment, we will:

- Assess your fitness for surgery
- Review your individual clinical needs
- Confirm the most appropriate location for your operation

The final decision regarding where your surgery will take place will be made after this assessment and discussed with you clearly.



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If your surgery is agreed to take place at Cleveland Clinic London, here is what to expect:

Before surgery

Your pre-assessment will take place at The Royal Marsden. If you have any questions before your operation, please contact your Clinical Nurse Specialist.

Before admission

The Cleveland Clinic London team will contact you within one week prior to your surgery to discuss admission arrangements and answer any practical questions.

They will also email you an invitation to register for the Cleveland Clinic London MyChart patient app. You can access Cleveland Clinic London's MyChart directly through the MyChart/MyMarsden app by swiping right from the welcome screen and adding a new organisation. This will allow you to view your admission information and any updates in one place.

On the day of surgery

You will meet your consultant surgeon and anaesthetist before your surgery. Your surgery and immediate post-operative care will take place at Cleveland Clinic London.

After surgery

You will be discharged home from Cleveland Clinic London once you are medically fit. All follow-up appointments will take place at The Royal Marsden. Your ongoing recovery, post-operative care and cancer treatment remain under our supervision.

If you have any clinical concerns after discharge, please contact your Clinical Nurse Specialist / Key Worker via the MyMarsden app.

If you are feeling unwell or concerned about new symptoms, you can call The Royal Marsden Hotline 24 hours a day, seven days a week on **020 8915 6899**.