



## Preparing for your admission to the Inpatient Unit

### What to bring

- nightdresses/pyjamas
- dressing gown
- comfortable indoor clothing
- indoor footwear
- spectacles
- personal toiletries
- shaving kit or electric razor
- mobility aids eg walking stick
- small amount of money for personal needs such as purchases from the coffee shop

Please bring all tablets and medicines you are currently taking (including any complementary or herbal medications) to show to the Hospice doctors.

### You may also want to bring:

- books/DVDs/CDs
- computers, tablets and chargers (free wifi available)
- small articles that will make you feel at home eg photographs
- a particular interest or hobby that you could continue whilst at the Hospice

**Where possible, it would be helpful to have items marked with your name.**

## Valuables

Please do not bring in large sums of money or lots of jewellery.

Valuables and money can be given to the nurse in charge for safekeeping and a receipt will be issued.

**Whilst great care is taken with all items, the Hospice cannot accept responsibility for loss or damage to any property.**

## Further information

If you would like to visit the Inpatient Unit before your admission please phone us on **020 8343 8841** to arrange a mutually convenient time.

If you would like to know more about the type of care the Hospice is able to provide please ask your Community or Hospital Palliative Care Team, or phone the Inpatient Unit.



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