

# What happens now that I have had my endoscopy?

Upper Gastrointestinal Services

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Information for patients referred to the Upper Gastrointestinal MDT

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## What is the result of my endoscopy?

The person who performed your endoscopy (the endoscopist) is concerned that you may have an abnormality in either your oesophagus or stomach. The endoscopist or discharge nurse should have spoken to you about this after your endoscopy

## What happens next?

- You need to have an urgent CT scan to help us assess your condition. Information about having a CT scan will be sent to you with the appointment letter.

Your CT scan appointment is:

Date of appointment: .....

Time: .....

Hospital: .....

Please report to the reception at the relevant hospital:

**Leicester Royal Infirmary** - Windsor Building, level 1

**Glenfield Hospital** - main Radiology Reception, on the ground floor near the main hospital reception.

**Leicester General Hospital** - main Radiology Reception next to Outpatients 3.

Please do not have anything to eat or drink for one hour before your scan appointment.

Please be aware that we may need to change your appointment but, if this is the case, we will contact you directly.

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## Further information

- Your endoscopist will refer your case for discussion with the Upper Gastrointestinal Multidisciplinary Team (MDT) at University Hospitals of Leicester NHS Trust.
- Your biopsy results will take several days to be available.
- Sometimes you may be required to attend for a further endoscopy because the biopsy results have not given the doctors enough information to provide a diagnosis.

## What is the Upper Gastrointestinal Multidisciplinary Team?

The team consists of consultant doctors, a specialist dietitian and specialist nurses (key workers). The team meets every Thursday afternoon to review the biopsy results and scans of their patients.

## When will I be given the results of my tests?

Following the MDT meeting we may contact you to invite you to a clinic that we hold on a Friday morning to review new patients.

You are welcome to bring a friend or relative with you to this appointment, should you wish to do so.

## Further information and support

### Upper GI Nurse Specialists (key workers) and Upper GI Cancer Support Worker

Telephone: 0116 258 5809

(Monday to Friday 8.00am to 4.00pm)

If we are unable to take your call, please leave a message with your name and telephone number and we will ring you back.

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