

MISSION STATEMENT

St. Columcille's Hospital is committed to providing a quality, patient focused service in a way that meets all patient needs in an equitable, efficient, and safe manner.

We acknowledge the contribution of each member of staff and aim to encourage and support them in their on-going professional development.

There are also Activities in the Day Hospital on a Thursday afternoon/ Friday morning, which you are welcome to join in if you happen to be attending for a particular therapist. There is Bingo, word-games, music and conversation.

**Day Hospital
St. Columcille's
Hospital
Loughlinstown
Co Dublin**



Getting here

**We are located in St. Columcille's Hospital(beside St Joseph's Ward)
The buses 145, 84A stop outside the building.
Pay and Display parking is available .You will need coins to pay €1 for 1 hour and €2 per hour after that.**



"Your Day Hospital is the greatest. I can't imagine anyone living without you."
- Very smart patient -

Patient Survey 2018

St. Columcille's, Hospital

Loughlinstown, Co. Dublin, D18 E365

Province: Leinster

Care system: Health Service Executive

Phone: (01) 211 5016

You have been referred to the Day Hospital for an assessment with our HSCP's (Our Health and Social Care Professionals) which may include the following;

Occupational Therapist:

The Occupational Therapist will assess how you are managing your everyday activities and help you overcome difficulties, maintain independence, and avoid hospital admissions. This may include a memory or cognitive assessment. Following this, we may advise adaptive equipment to assist your function. This assessment will take about 1 hour. Should you require further Occupational Therapy you will be placed on our waiting list.

Speech and Language Therapist (SLT)

The SLT will meet with you to identify and address any difficulties that you are having with your speech, voice, communication and swallowing. This will involve evaluating any gradual or sudden changes in your everyday communication and ability to eat and drink . You will be offered a therapy appointment in due course if you would benefit from rehabilitation. Therapy services are delivered on a one to one or group basis in the out-patient department. You can be linked in with your community SLT service if this is more convenient for you.

Clinical Nurse Manager 2:

The Clinical Nurse Manager co-ordinates the activities of the Day Hospital and is assisted by our Health Care Assistant. The Nurse checks your vital signs and completes a Barthel Assessment which checks how you are managing at home and may refer you to the Public Health Nurse, if necessary. Depending on what clinic you attend, blood tests & x-rays will be organised by the doctor if needed.

Physiotherapist

The physiotherapist will carry out a specialist assessment of your physical ability, strength and mobility on the day. This will take approximately 1 hour. You will be provided with advice and a home exercise programme. Should you require further treatment you will be added to our waiting list to complete a block of treatment.

Please allow approximately 4 hours for your visit. *Soup and sandwiches will be provided at Tuesdays clinic*