



Directory of Services and Consultants

2024



**Blakelands
Hospital**

Part of Ramsay Health Care

About **Blakelands Hospital**

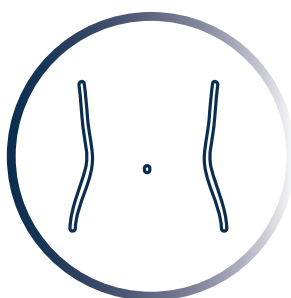
At Blakelands Hospital we offer fast access to the highest standards of care, so people know they can trust us to help them get better quickly. As the biggest provider of NHS procedures after the NHS you can count on first class treatment.

We offer consultant led care from some of the most well-qualified and experienced specialists in their field of expertise.

Our **Areas of Expertise**



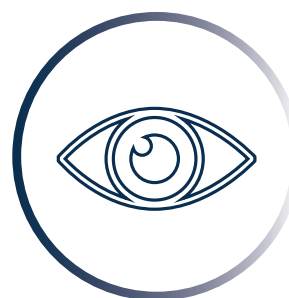
**Bone &
Joint Pain**



**General
Surgery**



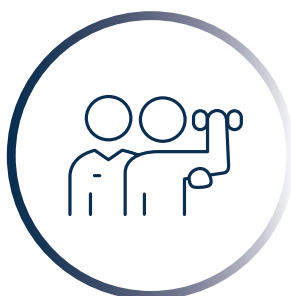
Podiatry



**Eye
Care**



Gastroenterology



Physiotherapy



Diagnostics



Urology



Spinal & Back Pain



Lumps & Bumps



General Practice



Pain Management



CQC rated Blakelands Hospital - **GOOD**

Clinic Listings (NHS and Private)

Special Interest	Consultant	Private	NHS
Gastroenterology / General Surgery			
Colorectal, Hernia Repair, Upper GI	Mr Anil Hemandes	•	•
Upper GI, Endoscopy, Colonoscopy, Colorectal and Gastroenterology	Mr Farid Hossain		•
Colorectal, Hernia Repair, Endoscopy	Mr Ugochukwu Ihedioha	•	•
Hernia Repair, Upper GI, Laparoscopic Surgery, General Surgery	Mr Achal Khanna	•	•
Colorectal, General Surgery, Hernia Repair	Mr Adnan Qureshi	•	•
Ophthalmology			
General Ophthalmology, Cataracts & Oculoplastics	Mr Bimal Kumar	•	•
General Ophthalmology, Cataracts & Glaucoma	Mr Tristan McMullan	•	•
General Ophthalmology, Cataracts & Glaucoma	Mr Areeb Moosavi	•	•
General Ophthalmology, Cataracts & Corneal Transplantation	Mr Jesse Panthagani	•	•
General Ophthalmology & Cataracts	Ms Rebecca Papadopoulos	•	•
General Ophthalmology & Cataracts	Mr Julian Robbins	•	•
General Ophthalmology & Cataracts	Mr Venkatadri Sampat	•	•
Orthopaedics			
Shoulder, Elbow, Hand & Wrist	Mr Sam Anand		•
Hip & Knee	Mr Vincent Arts		•
Shoulder & Elbow	Mr Gev Bhabra	•	•

Clinic Listings (NHS and Private)

Special Interest	Consultant	Private	NHS
Orthopaedics (cont.)			
Shoulder, Elbow, Hand & Wrist	Mr Amitabh Dwyer	•	•
Hip & Knee inc ACL	Mr Geza Kordas	•	•
Hand, Wrist, Hip, Knee & Forefoot	Mr Cyril Marek	•	•
Hip & Knee inc ACL	Mr Christos Plakogiannis	•	•
Hand, Wrist, Shoulder, Elbow, Hip, Knee, Foot & Ankle	Mr Srinivasan Shyamsundar	•	•
Pain Management			
Musculoskeletal Pain inc. Post-Surgical Pain & Chronic Abdominal Pain	Dr Sachin Alva	•	•
Podiatry			
Bunion & Forefoot	Mr John Bramall	•	•
Urology			
General Urology	Mr Aakash Pai		•



Blakelands Hospital **NHS e-RS Services 2024**

Service Name	Speciality	Clinic Type
Adult Diagnostic Endoscopy Outpatient Consultation NHS Clinic	Diagnostic Endoscopy	Constipation, Bowel Obstruction, IBD, Abdominal Pain, Rectal Bleeding.
Adult Gastroscopy Outpatient Consultation NHS Clinic	Diagnostic Endoscopy	Dyspepsia, Gastro-oesophageal Reflux, Epigastric Pain, Anaemia, Malabsorption, Chronic Abdominal Pain, Dysphagia, Iron Deficiency Anaemia.
Adult Direct Access to Theatre Flexible Sigmoidoscopy NHS Clinic	Diagnostic Endoscopy	Rectal Bleeding, Altered Bowel Habit, Persistent Diarrhoea, Difficult Bowel Emptying, Faecal Incontinence, Left Lower Abdominal Pain.
Adult Direct Access to Theatre Gastroscopy NHS Clinic	Diagnostic Endoscopy	Dyspepsia, Gastro-Oesophageal Reflux, Epigastric Pain, Anaemia, Malabsorption, Chronic Abdominal Pain, Dysphagia, Iron Deficiency Anaemia.
Adult Anal Procedures NHS Clinic	GI & Liver (Medicine & Surgery)	Surgical Treatment of Anus Conditions inc. Perianal Abscess, Anal Lesions, Repair of Anal Sphincter, Excision of Anal Fissure, Anorectal Stretch & Biopsy of Anal Lesions.
Adult Colorectal Surgery NHS Clinic	GI & Liver (Medicine & Surgery)	Functional Bowel Disorders, IBD, Anal Canal Disorders, Anal Pain, Diverticulosis, Ulcerative Colitis, Screening for Polyps, Diarrhoea with Blood, General Bowel Conditions.
Adult Gallbladder NHS Clinic	GI & Liver (Medicine & Surgery)	All Gallbladder Conditions, Total Cholecystectomy, Laparoscopic Cholecystectomy, All Bile Duct Conditions. (No Kidney Stones).
Adult Haemorrhoid NHS Clinic	GI & Liver (Medicine & Surgery)	Haemorrhoidectomy, Haemorrhoid Banding, Injecting Haemorrhoids, Procto-Sigmoidoscopy.
Adult Cataract NHS Clinic	Ophthalmology	All Operations on Lens inc. Extraction & Prosthesis of Lens, Phakoemulsification and Lens Implant, Trabeculectomy.
Adult General Ophthalmology NHS Clinic	Ophthalmology	Irritable Eye, Blurred and Reduced Vision, Corneal Lesion, Field Defect, Optic Disc Lesion/Pallor, Macula Lesion, Floaters, Double Vision.
Adult Ophthalmic Oculoplasty Minor Ops NHS Clinic	Ophthalmology	Lesions of Eyelid, Ectropion, Entropion, Trichiasis, Meibomian Cysts (Chalazions).
Adult YAG Laser Unit (Capsulotomy & Iridotomy) NHS Clinic	Ophthalmology	Capsular Opacification, Narrow Angle Glaucoma.
Adult Carpal Tunnel Syndrome, Trigger Finger NHS Clinic	Orthopaedics - Hand & Wrist	Carpal Tunnel Syndrome, Trigger Finger, Cubital Tunnel Release.

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Service Name	Speciality	Clinic Type
Adult Hand & Wrist NHS Clinic	Orthopaedics - Hand & Wrist	Carpal Tunnel Syndrome, Pain in Hand, Arm or Wrist, Trigger Finger, Ganglions in Hand or Wrist, Dupuytren's Contracture, Removal of Foreign Body, Excision of Skin Lesion & Sports Trauma.
Adult Hand Only NHS Clinic	Orthopaedics - Hand & Wrist	Carpal Tunnel Syndrome, Dupuytren's Contracture, Nerve Entrapment, Arthritis, Thumb Pain & Instability, Muscle Contractures & Tendon Problems.
Adult Elbow NHS Clinic	Orthopaedics - Shoulder & Elbow	Tennis Elbow, Golfers Elbow, Elbow Pain, Cubital Tunnel Syndrome, Early Arthritis, Olecranon Bursa and Sports Trauma.
Adult Shoulder NHS Clinic	Orthopaedics - Shoulder & Elbow	Instability & Dislocation, Rotator Cuff Problems, Impingement, Frozen Shoulder, Severe Pain and Rheumatoid & Osteoarthritis of the Shoulder & Elbow.
Adult Shoulder & Elbow NHS Clinic	Orthopaedics - Shoulder & Elbow	Instability & Dislocation, Rotator Cuff Problems, Impingement, Frozen Shoulder, Severe Pain and Rheumatoid & Osteoarthritis of the Shoulder & Elbow.
Adult Hip inc Replacement NHS Clinic	Orthopaedics - Hip & Knee	General Hip Problems, Severe Pain from Osteoarthritis/Rheumatoid Arthritis in the Hip & Other Degenerative Disease of the Hip.
Adult Knee inc Replacement NHS Clinic	Orthopaedics - Hip & Knee	Osteoarthritis/Rheumatoid Arthritis of the Knee Joint, Progressive Knee Deformity and Instability, Knee Replacement, Unicompartamental Knee Replacement & Tendon and Ligament Problems.
Adult Hip & Knee NHS Clinic	Orthopaedics - Hip & Knee	Hip Replacement, Knee Replacements, Knee Arthroscopy, ACL, Hip Bursitis, all Arthritis of the Hip and Knee, Hip or Knee Instability & Sports Trauma inc Ligament Injury & Meniscal Tear.
Adult knee Arthroscopy & Injections NHS Clinic	Orthopaedics - Hip & Knee	Knee Arthroscopy, Arthroscopic Meniscectomy, Meniscal Repair, Lateral Release, Knee Debridement, Popliteal Cyst Removal, Soft Tissue Bursa & Steroid Injection.
Adult Forefoot Only NHS Clinic	Orthopaedics - Forefoot & Podiatric Surgery	Bunion, Claw Toe, Plantar Fasciitis, Ingrown Toenail, Hammer Toe, Morton's Neuroma, Hallux Valgus & all Osteo and Rheumatoid Arthritis Conditions of the Foot.
Adult Bunion NHS Clinic	Orthopaedics - Forefoot & Podiatric Surgery	Bunions, Foot Pain, Claw Toe, Hammer Toe & Toe Deformities.
Adult Podiatric & Bunion NHS Clinic	Orthopaedics - Forefoot & Podiatric Surgery	Bunions, Foot Pain, Claw Toe, Hammer Toe, Toe Deformities, Ingrowing Toenail, Morton's Neuroma, Metatarsalgia & Rheumatoid Arthritis of the Forefoot.

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Service Name	Speciality	Clinic Type
Adult Ingrowing Toenail NHS Clinic	Orthopaedics - Forefoot & Podiatric Surgery	Ingrowing Toenail.
Adult Spinal Surgery & Back Pain (No Necks) NHS Clinic	Orthopaedics - Spinal	Radiculopathy, Lumbar Degenerative, Sciatica, Thoracic, Lumbar Spine, Discectomy, Herniated Disc & Spinal Injection.
Adult General Surgery NHS Clinic	Surgery - Not Otherwise Specified	Inguinal, Umbilical, Abdominal, Recurrent Hernias.
Adult Lumps & Bumps Minor Skin Surgery NHS Clinic	Surgery - Not Otherwise Specified	Skin Lesions, Lumps, Bumps, Cysts, Lipoma, Skin Tag & Moles.
Adult Minor Surgery Service NHS Clinic	Surgery - Not Otherwise Specified	Skin Lesions, Lumps, Bumps, Cysts, Lipoma, Skin Tag & Moles.
Adult Hernia Repair NHS Clinic	Surgery - Not Otherwise Specified	Inguinal, Umbilical, Abdominal, Recurrent Hernias.
Adult Circumcision NHS Clinic	Urology	Circumcision, Abnormal Genitalia, Foreskin Problems, Bilateral Undescended Testicles, Loin Pain & Painful Testes.
Adult Erectile Dysfunction NHS Clinic	Urology	Haematuria, Urological Oncology, Benign Prostatic Disease, Penal and Scrotal Problems, Erectile Dysfunction, Testicular Pain & Urethral Problems.
Adult Flexible Cystoscopy NHS Clinic	Urology	Female Incontinence, Assessment of Urinary Symptoms and Elevated PSA, Urinary Incontinence and Infertility, Endourology for Upper Urinary Tract, Urinary Tract Symptoms and UTI.
Adult General Urology (No Kidney Stones) NHS Clinic	Urology	Female Incontinence, Upper and Lower Urinary Tract Symptoms, Bladder Problems, Epidermal Cyst, Hydrocele and Penal, Renal & Testicular Problems.
Adult Lower Urinary Tract Symptoms NHS Clinic	Urology	Lower Urinary Tract Symptoms, Bladder Problems, Andrology, Endourology for Upper Urinary Tract & UTI & Urinary Calculus.
Adult Rigid Cystoscopy (No Kidney Stones) NHS Clinic	Urology	Haematuria, Sterilisation, Reversal, Urological Oncology, Urinary Symptoms, Bladder & renal Cancer & Laparoscopy for Upper Tract Disease Infections.

Private Patient **Team**

As Blakelands Hospital is committed to the provision of a first class, high quality experience for all patients, we provide a Private Patient Manager service.

Karen Nicholls, Private Patient Manager is available throughout consultation, treatment and aftercare to offer a personalised service to each patient dependent on their needs and wishes. Becky Stevenson, Private Patient Co-ordinator supports Karen and together they provide the vital link required between patients and their Consultant facilitating a streamlined treatment pathway.

What our Private Patient Team offers

Karen and Becky will:

- Be a point of contact for all private patients.
- Manage the private patient journey.
- Answer private patient queries within 24 hours Monday to Friday.
- Walk patients through the various stages of their private treatment and help with queries or concerns regarding referrals, insurance or anything else relating to their hospital stay.
- Ensure any special requirements are met before, during or after a patient's visit.

Karen and Becky can be contacted as follows:

Karen - 01295 755 010 | Blakelands.PPS@ramsayhealth.co.uk

Becky - 01908 334 200 | Blakelands.PPS@ramsayhealth.co.uk

Referring Patients Securely

Private patients can be referred through the online referral portal:

ramsayhealth.co.uk/patientreferral

Business Relations **Manager**

In order to facilitate relationships between Blakelands Hospital and the wider healthcare community, we have a dedicated Business Relations Manager working both in and around the Buckinghamshire and Bedfordshire area. Paula Russell is responsible for building and developing relationships between those referring their patients and the hospital providing this treatment. She is able to utilise the expertise of our Consultants to provide training and educational events to GPs, Practice Managers, Nurse Practitioners and Physiotherapists enabling continued professional development.

What our BRM offers

Paula will provide:

- Lunch and Learn educational sessions.
- Consultant-led training for professionals.
- Social events and GP networking opportunities.
- Medical secretary workshops.
- Online referral system support.
- GP referral literature and regular hospital updates.
- A direct liaison between referrers, Consultants and hospital services.

Paula can be contacted directly as follows:

07469 859 782

paula.russell@ramsayhealth.co.uk



Simply send a referral letter via our secure online system or post.



In the meantime your patient can contact their local Ramsay Hospital directly to arrange a convenient appointment.



If the patient does not contact us we will contact them to arrange an appointment according to the details provided on the referral.

To make a referral, simply visit ramsayhealth.co.uk/health-professionals and complete the short form.

Other useful **contact numbers**

Hospital Director - Boris Wagner

01908 334 200

Head of Clinical Services - Gemma Horwood

01908 334 207

Business Relations Manager - Paula Russell

07469 859 782

Private Patient Manager - Karen Nicholls

01295 755 010

Private Patient Co-ordinator - Becky Stevenson

01908 334 200

NHS Enquiries & Bookings

01295 755 061

Physiotherapy

01908 334 200

Reception

01908 334 200

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Acceptance Criteria for NHS Referrals at Ramsay Health Care UK

Standard Acceptance Criteria

Under the Standard Acute Contract that Ramsay Health Care UK hold with the NHS, our acceptance criteria for accepting NHS patients has been updated.

The exclusions are:

- Under 18 years old.
- Patient on Renal dialysis.
- Any unstable medical condition
- Active Cancer treatment (radiology/ chemotherapy)
- MI within last 3 months
- AAA
- Patient with a Cardiac Defibrillator
- Patients on Oxygen Therapy
- Alcohol / Drug dependency
- Patient under Mental Health Team
- CKD stage 4/5
- Patient without after care in place
- BMI 40+

Specific Patients for Referral to Face-to-face:

- Mild/ Moderate COPD / Asthma (STOP BANG assessment)
- All patients with chronic blood disorders
- Sleep Apnoea
- Dementia (reduced mental Capacity - POA MUST be in place)
- Patients diagnosed with AF within last 12 months.
- Patients with restricted mobility (can they transfer)
- CKD stage three - to have a GFR blood test. (Refer to list range).
- Refer to ASA guide
- Active infection
- BMI 35 - 40

Please include NHS numbers and confirm all demographic details of the patient including full name, address and daytime telephone numbers including any mobile. Please ensure you include or send any relevant X-Rays, scans, test results, BMI, current medication, past medical history and any known drug allergies.

Our services are delivered at NHS tariff with no additional costs to patients or CCGs.

Free Hospital Parking.

Administration Team: 01908 334 200

Find us on e-Referral Service, by searching for the service required.

Referring patients to **The Cherwell Hospital** or **Blakelands Hospital**

The Ramsay Health Care online portal has been designed to enable you to refer private patients easily, quickly and securely to their Ramsay hospital of choice.

To make a private referral, visit **ramsayhealth.co.uk/patientreferral** and complete the short form.

The Cherwell Hospital and Blakelands Hospital are able to receive self-funding, medically insured and NHS referrals. To refer an NHS patient, please use the e-Referral Service (e-RS).

Should you have any queries, please contact your dedicated Business Relations Manager or Private Patient Manager who will be happy to help:

Paula Russell - 07469 859 782 | paula.russell@ramsayhealth.co.uk

- Business Relations Manager

Karen Nicholls - 01295 755 010 | karen.nicholls@ramsayhealth.co.uk

- Private Patient Manager



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Short Wait
Times



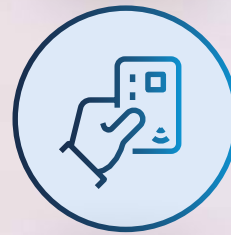
Appointments
to suit you



Choice of
Consultant



Fixed Price
Packages



Payment
Plans



Unlimited
Aftercare

Our private patient pledge is built around you.

For more information, please visit
ramsayhealth.co.uk/patients/private-patients



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Your **nearest hospital**

East *Cluster*

You'll receive the best possible care from all the hospitals in the Ramsay Health Care group. Our hospitals in **your area** include:

