

Patient information

Travel Insurance Companies

Gastroenterology Department

A holiday is a great opportunity to relax or experience something new. If you are living with a liver condition this can be even more welcome. It can also come with extra worries.

Travel Insurance will help you out if you are unwell overseas. Or if you have to cancel your holiday because of your health. Without insurance, these problems can get very expensive.

But it can be harder for people with health conditions to get travel insurance. It usually costs a lot more. And you might have to go to a specialist insurance company.

You should always check with your doctor whether you can fly or not, especially if you have had certain treatments. This is because of the pressure or the amount of oxygen in the cabin of a plane.

Help from airlines and travel companies

Travel companies and some airlines have a medical officer who can give you advice about your journey.

Almost all airlines will have advice on their website or a customer service department (specialist assistance) you can contact. Let them know about any disability you have and the equipment you might need.

They will be able to arrange any help you might need including:

- Early boarding and finding a suitable seat.
- Wheelchairs
- Transfers to and from the airport
- Help organising oxygen.
- Your doctor might need to fill out a form or a letter showing that you are well enough to fly. Ask your doctor for this several weeks before you travel.

Feedback

Your feedback is important to us and helps us influence care in the future.

Following your discharge from hospital or attendance at your outpatient appointment you will receive a text asking if you would recommend our service to others. Please take the time to text back, you will not be charged for the text and can opt out at any point. Your co-operation is greatly appreciated.

Further information

Freedom insurance: www.freedominsure.co.uk Call: 01223446914

Insure for: www.insurefor.com fill out form online for a free quote.

JD travel: www.jdtravelinsurance.co.uk

MIA: www.miatravelinsurance.co.uk call: 08009993333

OK to travel: www.oktotravelinsurance.co.uk call: 01223 446 920.

If none of these suits you visit: www.britishlivertrust.co.uk or www.cancerresearch.com or www.macmillan.co.uk all websites have a number of travel companies that may suit you better.

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