



## Patient information

## Why you need to wear an Identity Band while you are in Hospital

Trust wide Royal Liverpool Hospital Sites

When you are a patient in hospital, it is important that you wear a wristband (also known as an identity band) with accurate details about you on it. It allows staff to identify you and give you the right care.

The wristband will include basic information about you. All hospital patients must wear a wristband at all times.

A member of staff will put a wristband on you as soon as you are admitted to hospital, this includes the Emergency Department (A & E). You should wear the wristband throughout your stay.

If you do not have a wristband, please ask a member of staff for one. If it comes off or is uncomfortable, ask a member of staff to replace it.

Whenever possible, the wristband will be placed on the arm you use for writing. This is because the other arm may be used for medical procedures required, for example, a drip.

If you would like more information about the National Patient Safety Agency's work on wristbands or patient identification you can visit their website at www.npsa.nhs.uk/advice.

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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.

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