

If you require further information please contact:

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If you need this leaflet in another format, eg. large print or a different language, please ask a member of staff.

Yeovil District Hospital NHS Foundation Trust Higher Kingston Yeovil Somerset BA21 4AT Your follow-up after surgery for stage IA uterine (womb) cancer

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At Yeovil District Hospital our objective is to help you make a full recovery from your surgery by providing expert clinical and nursing care, specialist support and information from your multi-disciplinary team.

Now that you have completed your treatment it is important for you to know what will happen next.

The multi-disciplinary team (MDT) who have been treating you and co-ordinating your care have recommended that you do not require hospital follow-up reviews but you can still have open access to the team for five years if you require it.

This contact is via:
The Clinical Nurse Specialist (CNS),
Eileen Fort,
Tel: 01935 384454
(direct line with answer machine)

Stage IA uterine cancer means that the cancer cells were well contained within the uterus (womb) and extremely unlikely to have spread elsewhere. Whilst the chance of recurrence of the cancer is rare, we need you to be aware of symptoms which we would need to investigate.

Please contact us if you:

- Get any bleeding from the vagina
- Have a vaginal discharge that is mucky or blood-stained

Any other medical problems should be dealt with by your GP.

Research tells us that the physical and psychological effects of having had cancer and treatment are very individual.

Therefore, if you would like to discuss any issues, please contact Eileen who will be happy to either meet with you in person or discuss it by phone.

Health promotion and survivorship programme

Enclosed is an invitation letter and agenda for "GOSSIP" (Gynae Oncology Somerset Support Information Participation).

National or local cancer patient feedback

We are always looking for ways to improve what we do and you may be contacted by letter, asking you to complete a questionnaire regarding your care. We appreciate all your feedback.