

Praed Street Project and Working Men Project

Changes to how you receive support

Information for our clients

Introduction

We need to tell you about some important changes to the way you access services. The changes will take place from **Friday 31 March 2017**.

We are very sorry to confirm that there will not be a drop in support service at the Mint Wing Cottage at St Mary's Hospital from that date. Outreach to sex workers will also not be provided by the Praed Street Project or Working Men Project.

Who you can go to for drop in and outreach services:

Drop-ins and outreach services will be provided by the charity, Turning Point for both sexual health promotion and psychosocial support services.

What to do next

Please contact us on the telephone numbers below, and we will explain what the changes mean to you and how you can best access the support you need.

You can contact the drop in and outreach team including Jane and Laura on:

Before Friday 31 March call: 020 3312 1549

From Monday 3 April call: 07760615761

Sexual health testing

Please be assured, you will still be able to get sexual health services at the Jefferiss Wing, St Mary's Hospital.

However, the services you can get from the **Jefferiss Wing** are changing too.

From **Monday 3 April 2017**, if you need sexual health tests please:

- book an appointment by using a link on our website <https://www.imperial.nhs.uk/our-services/sexual-health-and-hiv>
- attend the walk-in service at the Jefferiss Wing
- book an appointment with the specialist nurse practitioner team on 020 3312 6629 for the Praed Street Project @ Jefferiss Wing or Working Men Project @ Jefferiss Wing clinical services.

What to do now

Before Friday 31 March 2017

You can get in contact with Jane, Laura and the team at Mint Wing Cottage. They will explain what the changes mean to you, what your options are and how you can get the support you need.

Call: **020 3312 1549**

From Monday April 3 2017

You can contact Jane and Laura to find out about the new Drop in support and Outreach services call: **07760615761**.

We want you to know

Providing care for our clients over the last 33 years has been a great privilege. We have really valued working with you all.

Thank you all for your in-pat, participation and support for the sex workers' projects. We have learned so much from you and this invaluable insight has helped us to understand your work and shape and develop our service.

Still not sure what to do?

You are welcome to ask questions and discuss any concerns you have by getting in contact Jane or Laura on the telephone numbers given in this leaflet.

Or you can email your questions to Turning Point. Please put *services for sex workers* in the subject box:

Email: tri.borough.sexual.health@turning-point.co.uk

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