**HDU Ward CT and Xray routes**

**IN HOURS**

**Green patients**

* **Patient walking/chair/Patient on trolley: Go out of HDU, through surgical ward and down in admin/fire-fighting lift to L4, turn left to access X-ray via Orthodontics (porter should have swipe access)**

**Red patients**

* **Phone x-ray in advance (63152 or 62572)**
* **Need staff escort for access and infection control**
* **For all patients: Down in patient transfer lift to L4 X-ray escort wearing correct PPE**

**OUT OF HOURS**

**Green patients**

* **Escort needed for access (in both directions)**

1. **Walking: Patient on trolley: Go out of HDU, through surgical ward and down in fire-fighting lift to L4, turn left to access X-ray via Orthodontics**
2. **Once in radiology go through MRI link corridor**
3. **Take patient lift (surg end) in RSCH to level 5 and turn left to access main X-ray**
4. **Ask radiographers to call CED when x-ray done to send escort for return journey**

**Red patients**

* **Phone X-ray radiographer in advance (64179 or bleep 8299)**
* **Need escort for access and infection control\***
* **For all patients: Down in patient transfer lift (by PICU) to L4 X-ray**
* **Radiographers to come to RACH and x-ray in L4 RACH X-ray- ensure have phoned in advance and agreed time to meet**

**\*Infection Control Measures for Red Patients going to either X-ray**

* **Ensure X-ray are aware patient is coming**
* **Patient and carer to wear surgical facemask**
* **Staff escort to wear surgical facemask and gloves**

**CT scan**

* **Green patients** : **go to Main CT Level 5 RSCH** 
  1. **Patient on trolley: go out of HDU, through surgical ward and down in admin/fire-fighting lift to L4, turn left to access X-ray via Orthodontics**
  2. **Once in radiology take MRI link corridor**
  3. **Take patient lift in RSCH to level 5 then turn left to access main CT**
* **Red patients go to A&E CT level 5 RSCH**

1. **Go down patient transfer lift (PICU end) to level 6**
2. **Turn left to access A&E and take link corridor to RSCH level 5**
3. **Follow signs to A&E for CT**

* **Need escort for access and infection control \***