

Statement of Purpose

BSUH is the regional teaching hospital working across two sites: the Royal Sussex County Hospital in Brighton and the Princess Royal Hospital in Haywards Heath. The Brighton campus includes the Royal Alexandra Children's Hospital and the Sussex Eye Hospital.

We provide District General Hospital services to our local populations in and around the City of Brighton and Hove, Mid Sussex and the western part of East Sussex. We also provide more specialised and tertiary services for patients across Sussex and the south east of England.

Both hospitals provide many of the same acute services for their local populations. In addition, the Princess Royal Hospital is our centre for elective surgery and the Royal Sussex County Hospital is our centre for emergency and tertiary care. Our specialised and tertiary services include neurosciences, neonatal, paediatrics, cardiac, cancer, renal, infectious diseases and HIV medicine. We are also the major trauma centre for the region.

We treat over three quarter of a million patients each year. Working as one hospital across two sites, and playing to the strengths of both, gives us the flexibility to develop services which meet the needs of our patients at different stages of their treatment and care.

Central to our ambition is our role as a developing academic centre, a provider of high quality teaching, and a host hospital for cutting edge research and innovation; and on this we work with our partners, Brighton and Sussex Medical School (BSMS) and the Kent, Surrey and Sussex Postgraduate Deanery, as well as with our local universities.

We also work in close partnership with our local GPs to ensure that we are especially attentive to the quality of our District General Hospital services, especially how well we look after our most elderly patients, and that these services are provided and improved in ways which best meet the needs of those patients and their families.

More information on BSUH's work, ambitions and objectives can be found on its website: www.bsuh.nhs.uk.

The services provided at the Royal Sussex County Hospital include:

- Medicine includes elderly, dermatology, respiratory
- Clinical infection service
- Haematology/oncology
- Trauma
- Surgery including vascular, upper GI, complex urology, Gynae oncology, head and neck cancer
- Renal services including dialysis
- Cardiac services including cardiac surgery
- Breast care services

- Accident and emergency
- Elective ophthalmology services
- Maternity
- Paediatrics and neonates including day case
- HIV
- Oncology, including haematology-oncology
- Intensive care
- Orthopaedics
- Neurosciences including neurosurgery and neuro- intensive care

The services provided at the Princess Royal Hospital include:

- Medicine includes elderly, dermatology, respiratory
- General elective surgery
- Accident and Emergency
- Intensive care
- Orthopaedics
- Maternity
- Rehabilitation

The services provided at Brighton General Hospital include:

- Physiotherapy
- Dermatology
- Outpatients

We are registered with the CQC to provide services from:

- Royal Sussex County Hospital (RSCH)
- Princess Royal Hospital (PRH)
- Lewes Victoria Hospital (LVH)
- The Park Centre for Breast Care
- Hove Polyclinic (HPC)
- Bexhill Haemodialysis Satellite Unit
- Brighton General Hospital (BGH)
- Worthing Dialysis Satellite Unit (WDU)
- Newhaven ward (NHW)
- Eastbourne Radiotherapy Unit (ERU)

In addition we provide a number of midwifery led clinics in GP surgeries, childrens centres, health centres and the Hove Midwifery Hub. Diabetic eye screening clinics are also held in a number of Health centres, Community Hospitals and GP practices as part of the National Diabetic Retinopathy Screening programme.

The regulated activities that are provided by BSUH at these sites are:

	RSCH	PRH	Bexhill	HPC	LVH	Park Centre	BGH	WDU	NHW	ERU
Treatment of disease, disorder or injury	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Assessment of medical treatment for persons detained under the Mental Health Act 1983	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes		
Surgical procedures	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes			
Diagnostic and screening procedures	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes		Yes
Maternity and midwifery services	Yes	Yes			Yes					
Termination of pregnancies	Yes	Yes								

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