

What are the car parking charges?

There is a Pay & Display system.

Charges are:

Up to 10 minutes (drop off)	free
Up to 4 hours	£1.50
Over 4 hours	£2.50

The machines take £1, 50p, 20p and 10p coins, but do not give change.

Car park charges are reviewed periodically.

If you have an appointment at The Christie your nearest car park is:

- Outpatient Department - Kinnaird Road (A)
- OPD Annexe - Kinnaird Road (A)
- Surgical/Admissions - Oak Road (B)
- Haematology & Transplant Unit - Oak Road (B)
- Wards 3 to 5, 9 to 12 - Oak Road (B)
- Day Case Unit - Oak Road (B)
- Young Oncology Unit - Oak Road (B)
- Nathan House - Oak Road (B)
- Nuclear Medicine - next to Palatine House
- Radiotherapy - Holt House Car Park
(entry by code only - given to you when you visit the Radiotherapy department)

If you are staying as an inpatient, you should avoid bringing your car and leaving it in a Christie car park during your stay. This takes up spaces which could be used by other patients. You may also not feel well enough to drive when you are discharged.

Sometimes, relatives of poorly patients need to stay in The Christie for long periods of time. In these circumstances, please speak to a member of staff of the ward or department who will be able to arrange for the issue of a car park permit.

Can I get help with the cost of travelling to and from The Christie and car parking?

If you make your own way to The Christie, you can get help with the cost of public transport (bus or train fares) or car mileage and parking if you are getting:

- Income support
- Employment and Support Allowance (income based)
- Working Tax Credit and Child Tax Credit and a gross annual income less than a set level
- Working Tax Credit with a disability element and a gross annual income less than a set level
- Child Tax Credit only and a gross annual income less than a set level
- Pension Credit Guarantee (not pension credit saving)
- or if you have an HC2 or HC3 certificate.

The Christie cashiers will pay your travelling expenses but you need to provide evidence that you are in receipt of one of the above benefits.

To claim for car parking expenses: pay the Pay and Display fee and take the small tear off portion to the cashiers with proof of eligibility. Parking is free for disabled badge holders, please display this.

Where to go to claim

Please come to the cashier's office on your first visit to The Christie. The office is on the ground floor, off the main corridor, just inside the swing doors before the Wilmslow Dining Room.

Opening hours are 9:30am to 1pm and 2pm to 4pm.

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Where are the car parks? (see map overleaf)

People who have difficulty walking far can be driven right up to the 'drop off' area at the Oak Road entrance. Please remember that you cannot leave your car here because access is needed for emergency vehicles including fire brigade access. You must not leave vehicles unattended on the double red lines. This also applies to disabled badge holders.

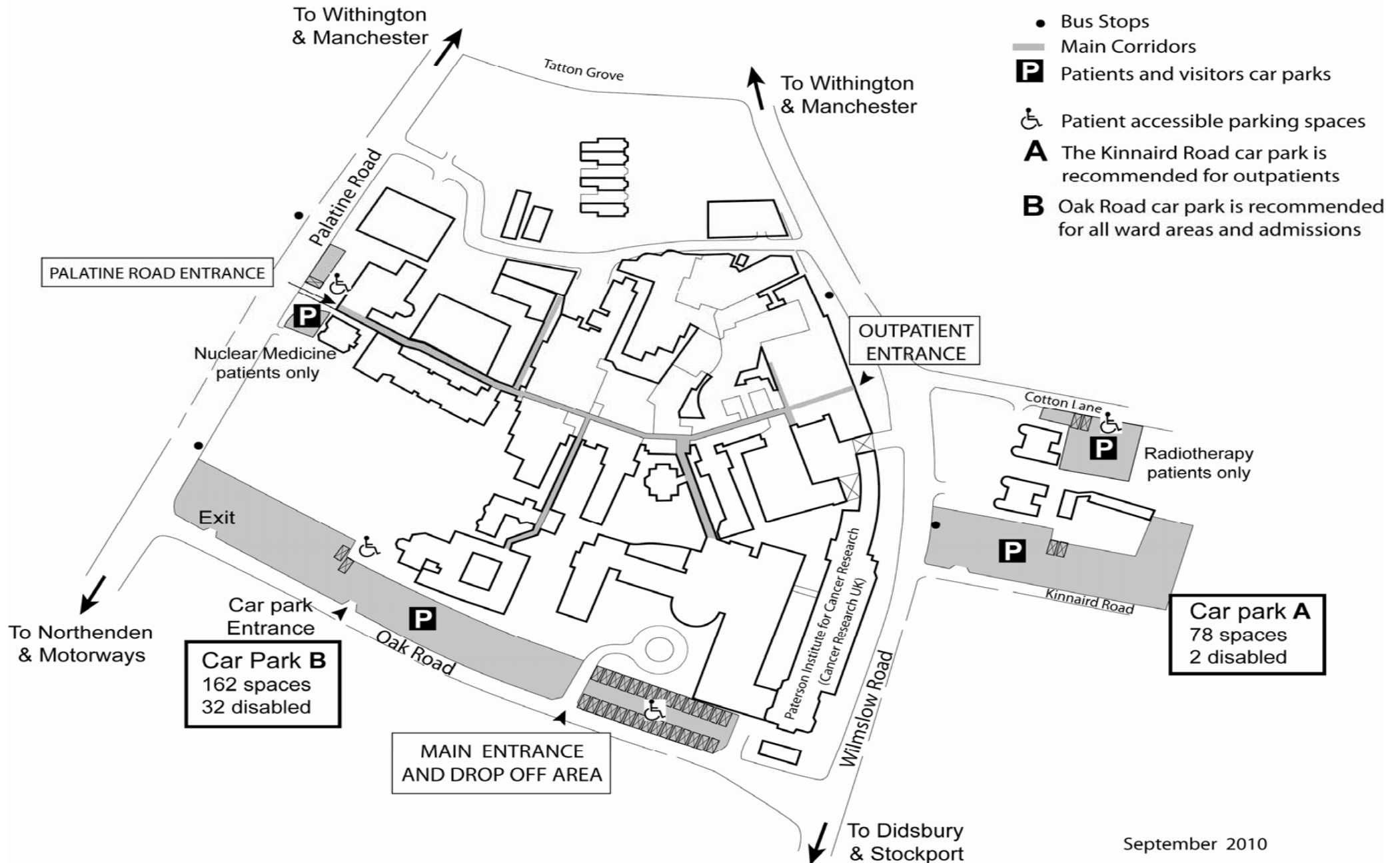
If you are an outpatient, you can be dropped off at the outpatient entrance on Wilmslow Road where there is a pull-in bay. (Drop off only, no waiting). You can also go to the Oak Road entrance and walk through The Christie to outpatients.

Disabled Parking

There are disabled parking spaces in the Oak Road and Kinnaird Road car parks.

Parking is free for disabled badge holders, but you need to display your badge.

Car parking for patients and visitors at The Christie



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