



Follow-up arrangements after radiotherapy to the prostate

(Dr Logue, Dr Alam and Dr Coyle)

On your last day of radiotherapy treatment please make an appointment at the main reception desk for the Telephone Follow-up Clinic in six week's time.

After this, we will make arrangements for you to see your oncology consultant:
Dr Logue / Dr Alam / Dr Coyle six months after finishing radiotherapy. You will be then followed up by your urologist in 12 months.

You will receive your urologist's appointment directly from their hospital. We will send you an appointment to see your oncologist by post. If do not receive the oncology follow-up appointment within two weeks, please contact the medical secretaries at The Christie at Oldham on:

0161 918 7706 or 0161 918 7705

It would be helpful if you could get your PSA checked with your GP one to two weeks before these appointments.

Androgen ablation (hormone injections)

You should receive:

- no further injections
- further injections every three months for 6 months
- further injections every three months for 24 months
- further injections every three months indefinitely
- other

If you need injections, please ensure that you have made further appointments with your GP

PLEASE NOTE: The Christie at Oldham radiotherapy medical team only provides advice and support **during** treatment. If you have any problems or concerns **after** treatment, please contact your specialist urology nurse, the secretary of your Christie consultant via the switchboard on **0161 446 3000** or your GP.

However, if you feel unwell and need urgent medical attention, please contact your GP, out-of-hours GP or in an emergency, the Accident & Emergency Department (999). For the first month following radiotherapy you can also contact The Christie Hotline (24 hours) on **0161 446 3658**.

You may wish to refer to The Christie booklet '**Radiotherapy to the prostate**' or contact the Macmillan Cancer Information and Support Centre for more general information and sources of support.