

Children & Young People Aged up to 16 years Acute Pathways (up to 10 days from last incident)

Clinics 7 per week at the Hazelhurst Centre SARC
Mon – Sat 10:00 – 18:00
Sundays and Bank Holidays – 11:00 - 16:00

Presents to Police, Third sector agencies, GP, A&E or other health setting.
In the event of any acute injuries needing urgent medical attention, the child or young person will be taken to A&E and seen by the local acute paediatrician.

Follow Local Safeguarding Children's Board Procedures – if sexual violence or child sexual abuse established, organise a strategy meeting.
If within 10 days of last incident: telephone consultation between Police, Social Care and Mountain Healthcare (MHL) Paediatric Clinicians.
If over 10 days from last incident: please refer to Non-Acute Pathway for clarity.

If a forensic examination, acute health needs (such as sexual health) or access to wider sexual violence services is needed, an appointment made at the SARC. All cases will be seen by a paediatric examiner and a Paediatric Crisis Worker
16's and above will be seen within the adult service, however under 18s, with learning disabilities, complex need or familial abuse should be seen by the paediatric examiner. Clinics are available during day time hours. At the strategy meeting, consideration will be given to parental responsibility, Gillick/Fraser competence/social care input and the supportive network needed to ensure an effective examination. Urgent out of hours cases can be referred to St Mary's SARC Manchester.

After each examination – each case is reviewed by our paediatric team

- 1) Review of case management including ongoing needs and referrals
- 2) Aftercare / referrals are processed by the day time Paediatric Admin / Crisis Worker
- 2) Ensure injuries and documentation meets required standards
- 3) Ensures wider needs such as CSE, safeguarding and statutory obligations are undertaken
- 4) Reports and Statements are written with appropriate peer review

Appropriate quality assurance is undertaken: audit, implementation of quality standards, feedback including the 'voice of the child or young person' and thematic review of incidents and complaints.

Children & Young People Aged up to 16 years Non-Acute Pathways (over 10 days from last incident)

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Non-acute cases from **Leeds and Bradford** will be seen by the local Paediatric service therefore they are not included in this pathway

Bradford Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust:

In Hours - Amanda Meehan, Team Coordinator, Paediatrics, M1, BRI T: 01274 38 3528, F: 01274 36 4921

Out of Hours - on call Paediatrician 01274 542200

Leeds

In Hours - Lynn Cawthorne, 01132 064327

Cases from **Calderdale, Kirklees, Wakefield and Airedale** will be referred and seen by MHL at the Hazelhurst Centre SARC using the process below

Disclosure of, or concern for, sexual abuse/assault of child or young person with last incident over 10 days ago (new RCPCH specification of CSA changed the acute timeframes to 3 weeks changing focus from forensic windows to ensuring healthcare needs especially pregnancy risk was considered as some under 13s will be post pubertal. Therefore pathway reflects national guidance).

Police & Social Care

To contact Sexual Abuse Assessment Service for Children and Young People
Mountain Healthcare – 0330 223 1154

The Call Centre will ask which area of West Yorkshire the case is from
Background information acquired and multi-agency strategy must be held.

Appointment made for assessment at The Hazelhurst Centre SARC. Child / young person to be seen by a Paediatric Examiner and supported by a Paediatric Crisis Worker.

Onward referral to other agencies as appropriate processed by the Paediatric Admin / Crisis Worker e.g. ISVA / CISVA including Named Doctor & Safeguarding Team

A report on findings of the Historic Clinic will be provided as requested.

Follow-up within Sexual Abuse Assessment Service for Children and Young People will be provided as appropriate.