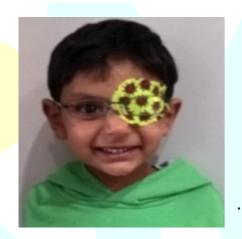


Manchester Royal Eye Hospital

Orthoptic Services

Information for parents/guardians

Childrens eye appointment journey

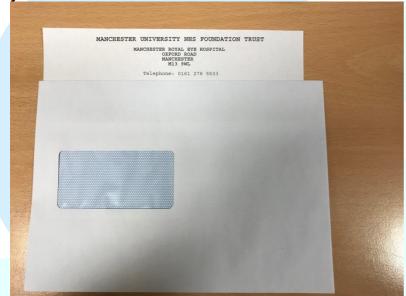






The postman will post your appointment letter to whoever looks after

you.









How will I get to the Eye Hospital?

You can drive to the Eye Hospital in the car.



You can get the bus or train.



Welcome to Manchester Royal Eye Hospital











Clinic H



Please go to Clinic H reception



Waiting Area



In the waiting area you can:

- Use your mobile phone and portable games/tablets.
- Read books.
- Watch TV or a DVD.
- o Draw or colour in pictures.





It might be busy and noisy, you can:

Play with other children in the waiting room and make new friends

You can ask for a pager and sit somewhere else

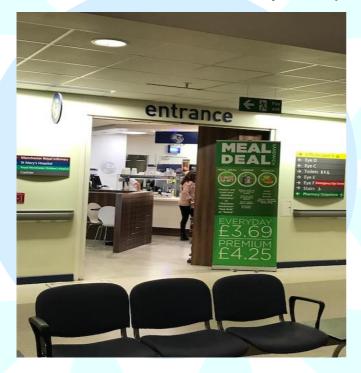


OR



Are there places to buy drinks/snacks?

Yes, there is a café in the Eye hospital



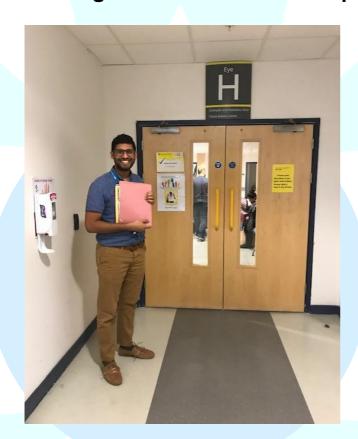




There is also a shop outside the Eye hospital.



You might see one of our Orthoptists.







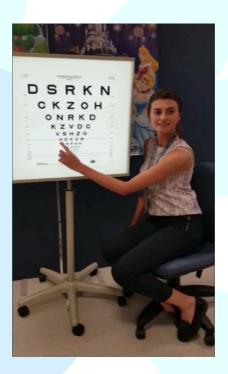
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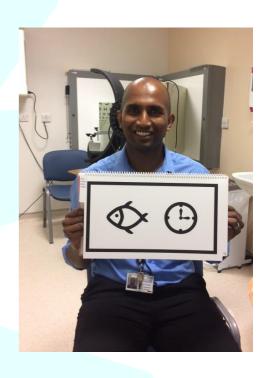


Eye Test

We will check your vision.











We will check how well your eyes work together with different games.







Nurse









You might see one of our nurses.

Eye drops.

You may need eye drops

- They feel cold when they go in but if you count to 10 it will feel better
- They make the black part of your eye (pupil) very big and your eyesight a bit fuzzy
- This is so we can look inside your eye
- They will blur your vision for up to four hours



Optometrist



When your pupil is **very** big you might see one of our Optometrists:



Confident





They will look in your eyes to see if you need glasses using a bright light.

Doctor

You might also see one of our doctors



They may look at the back of your eye with a lens.

Or

Check your eye pressure.









Home



When you have finished you can go home.

If you require any further information, please contact us on: (0161) 701 4882 Monday - Friday 8.00 am - 4.30 pm

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