

PATIENT INFORMATION

Rheumatology clinic General Information

PLEASE READ BEFORE ATTENDING YOUR APPOINTMENT

You have been referred to the rheumatology clinic. Please allow a minimum of 60 minutes for this appointment. Please check carefully the location of your appointment.

It is important to bring the following information with you to this appointment:

- Medication list
- If you live on the borders of our catchment area (e.g. Kingsbridge, South Brent, Chudleigh) or out of area please bring copies of your recent blood tests
- If you have had any tests or appointments in hospitals outside the Torbay & South Devon NHS Trust area (e.g. Mount Stuart, Derriford Hospital or if you have moved from another area) please bring copies of your results and consultant letters and a radiology DVD if you have had a scan
- Change for the car park

You can download the free rheumatology app onto your phone by typing

RHEUMATOLOGY CONNECT (app store or play store) and selecting:



The Rheumatology department start certain medications in Group Clinics and also offer Group Education for some conditions

For further assistance or to receive this information in a different format, please contact the department which created this leaflet.

Working with you, for you