Clinical Research Hub Ashton-in-Makerfield



Research For All



The Clinical Research Hub incorporates community space to hear our patients voices in research.

A facility that enables local communities to access novel treatments.

Work with any healthcare organisation for the benefit of the community in partnerships.



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Tour the facility

CLICK on or **SCAN** the QR code to take a virtual tour inside in the Clinical Research Hub and see what facilities we offer.



Medium-Size Meeting Room



Large Meeting/Community Room







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Interview space

The Clinical Research Hub

The Clinical Research Hub is centrally located covering a wider area across the Wigan Borough. It was established in 2023 in the heart of the community of Ashton-in-Makerfield, Wigan, on the North West side of Greater Manchester, situated within easy access of the M6 motorway (Haydock Racecourse J23 M6).

Offers more opportunities to integrate with the Healthier Wigan Partnership (health and care providers across primary, community, mental health, social care, and secondary and specialist care) and schools.

Research can be delivered at the hub in partnership with the other care providers and is supported by a Research Delivery Team who work across all hospital and community sites in the Trust across the Wigan Borough.

Facilities at the Hub

- Reception and Patient Waiting Room
- Bookable offices for research management and delivery for WWL and visiting Principal Investigators, Research staff and Commercial Trial Monitors
- Bespoke and Regulatory compliant clinical trials
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- Three patient consultation rooms
- Secure and temperature controlled clinical trials pharmacy dispensary, with lockable drugs cabinets and temperature-controlled fridges for investigational products.
- Clinical sample processing room (safety cabinet, centrifuge/refrigerated centrifuge, fridge/-80c freezer, printing/labelling equipment, resuscitation equipment/ training equipment
- Training and meeting rooms
- Free parking for staff and visitors









At the heart of the community

The WWL R&D team aims to support future collaborations with General Practitioners and to the commercial trials industry, providing space dedicated to research for all and delivered closer to our patients homes and outside a busy hospital environments. It includes space for visiting Principal Investigators to deliver studies in the community alongside WWL's research delivery staff.

The Hub will offer more opportunities for our community to receive novel treatments and care locally reaching groups who may be excluded otherwise.

If you would like to see the facility, please get in touch using the contact details overleaf.