

HoBS – Hospices of Birmingham & Solihull

HoBS brings together specialists from Birmingham Hospice, Marie Curie West Midlands and Solihull Macmillan team to provide responsive, expert support and advice for people and families needing effective symptom management, equipment to remain at home, and arranging packages of care if needed, especially at end of life.





The service allows patients and professionals to seek advice and support from the Clinical Nurse Specialist (CNS) Team between the hours of 8am – 8pm, seven days a week, while working alongside our Multi-Disciplinary Team (MDT) and Wellbeing Team.

The HoBS Team is formed of:

- Specialist Nurses
- Healthcare Assistants
- A Wellbeing Team
- Administrators who are supported by Palliative Care Consultants, Pharmacists, Bereavement Specialists, Physiotherapists and Occupational Therapists.

Working with Birmingham and Solihull Integrated Care System (ICS) and other healthcare providers across the region, the HoBS Team assess whether patients need advice, community support or admittance for round-the-clock care.

How to access support

Referrals can be made through our website, birminghamhospice.org.uk and must be made by a healthcare professional.

Patients and family members can access expert advice and care by calling our single service on **0121 809 1900**. This number is available 24/7.

Patients, family members and health professionals can also email hobs.referrals@nhs.net



Birmingham Hospice is the new name for Birmingham St Mary's Hospice and John Taylor Hospice.