RACC
RAPID ACCESS CARDIOLOGY CLINIC

Beacon Hospital
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Rapid Access Cardiology Clinic (RACC)

Our Rapid Access Cardiology Clinic (RACC) is located in our new state-of-the-art, purpose built non-invasive cardiology unit, located adjacent to the hospital.

This unit is open from 8am to 6pm Monday to Friday and offers direct access to a Cardiologist and cardiac testing without the need for patients to go through the Emergency Department.

The RACC is run by our experienced team of Cardiology Clinical Nurse Specialists and Consultant Cardiologists, Assoc. Prof. David Burke, Dr. Matthew Barrett, Dr. Aftab Jan, Dr. Robert Kelly and Assoc. Prof. Dermot Mc Caffrey supported by our Cardiac Physiologists.

Who Can Attend the RACC?

The RACC provides easy access to expert assessment and investigation for patients presenting with:

- Chest Pain
- Palpitations / Arrhythmia
- Shortness of Breath
- Uncontrolled Hypertension
Your consultant will decide on the specific tests required based on each individual case to rule out or diagnose cardiac disease.

The following tests are available in our RACC:

- Blood Testing
- Stress Testing
- Echocardiogram (Echo)
- Electrocardiogram (ECG)
- Blood Pressure Monitor
- Holter Monitor

What is the Cost to Patients?

The maximum cost to patients is €560. Tests are individually billed and a cap of €560 comes into place in the event the cost exceeds €560.

You may be able to claim a percentage of the costs back from your health insurer depending on your individual policy. You can check this directly with your private health insurance provider.
Appointments can be made through GP referral or directly by the patient, without GP referral, who can contact the unit via telephone on the number listed below.

RACC Telephone: 01 912 3999.

How to Make an Appointment

The RACC is open from 8am until 8pm (last appointment 6pm) Monday to Friday. Patients should arrive 15 minutes prior to their designated time slot and should allow 3 to 4 hours for their appointment.
OUR CARDIOLOGY CONSULTANTS

Dr David Burke
Consultant Cardiologist, Head of Cardiology

Dr Aftab Jan
Consultant Interventional Cardiologist

Dr Robert Kelly
Consultant Cardiologist

Dr Dermot McCaffrey
Consultant Cardiologist

Dr Matthew Barrett
Consultant Cardiologist, Cardiac Imaging

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