

# A GUIDE TO BEACON LIMERICK





# **WELCOME TO BEACON LIMERICK**

Located on Barrington Street, Beacon Limerick opened its doors in May 2022. The clinic offers an array of healthcare services to patients based in Limerick and surrounding counties.

Beacon Limerick is currently offering cardiology testing and cardiology Consultant consultations, diagnostic radiology, vascular Consultant consultations as well as Limerick's premier health screening service, HealthCheck.

Please note that with the exception of HealthCheck, a GP referral is required for services in Beacon Limerick.

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## **Cardiology Services**

Beacon Limerick offers a comprehensive cardiac consultation and diagnostics service.

Our experienced Consultant Cardiologists see patients referred by their GP for additional cardiology assessment.

Should testing be required, many of these tests can be carried out on-site in our Barrington Street clinic.

Cardiac tests available in Beacon Limerick include:

- · Consultation with Consultant Cardiologist
- Echo
- Exercise Stress Test
- Holtor Monitoring

If you require an appointment with a Consultant Cardiologist please ensure you have a GP referral.



## **Diagnostic Radiology:**

Beacon Limerick offers a comprehensive diagnostic imaging service using the most technologically advanced radiology equipment in Ireland. Run by our team of experienced Radiographers, Beacon Limerick's Diagnostic Radiology Department can offer the following services at this time:

- Computed Tomography (CT)
- DEXA scan (used to check bone density)
- Ultrasound
- X-Ray

Please note that a referral from either a GP or a Consultant is required in order to book a diagnostic imaging appointment in Beacon Limerick.



### HealthCheck

Beacon Limerick HealthCheck is Limerick's premier health screening service. Taking a proactive approach to your health can help you to identify areas to focus on in order to stay healthy and well. By completing a periodic health screening, patients are more likely to pick up potential health threats earlier which often leads to more successful treatment outcomes where treatment is necessary.

Our comprehensive health screening program considers your medical and family history, lifestyle, blood tests and other test results in order to help you identify and make any changes necessary to stay well.

Our Limerick HealthCheck includes the following:

- In depth HealthCheck Consultation with our HealthCheck Physician
- Comprehensive Blood Analysis
- Extensive Physical Examination
- Other clinically indicated tests where these are deemed necessary, e.g. Urine analysis, Electrocardiogram, Chest X-ray, Dexa scan etc.

Once complete, your detailed report will be compiled and sent to you and to your General Practitioner. Should you need referral to any other healthcare specialists, this will be arranged for you. If you would like a copy of our Beacon Limerick HealthCheck information brochure, please contact us on 061 233 011. This brochure goes into depth about the service and details all the tests included.

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# Vascular Services:

Our Consultant Vascular Surgeons offer a vascular consultation service from Beacon Limerick. Consultations are available in relation to a broad spectrum of vascular issues including, but not limited to;

- Arterial Disease
- Complex Aortic Pathology
- Varicose Veins
- Vascular Trauma

*Please note that a GP referral is required for appointments with our Consultant Vascular Surgeons.* 



## FAQ's

#### Where is Beacon Limerick Located?

Beacon Limerick is located on Barrington Street in Limerick City. It is just beside No1 Pery Square Hotel and Spa. If you are unsure as to directions, please pop 'Beacon Limerick' into Google Maps on your smart device and it will guide you right to our door no matter what your chosen mode of transport is.

# Does my private health insurance (PHI) provider cover Beacon Limerick?

Beacon Hospital and Beacon Limerick are covered on over 90% of private health insurance plans. Please note that Consultant fees must be paid by you on the day. You will be able to claim back a percentage of these via your PHI provider depending on your plan. The same goes for diagnostics unless you are advised that direct settlement from your PHI provider is in place. If you are unsure, please contact your PHI provider prior to your appointment to check your level of cover.

#### I do not have PHI, can I still attend Beacon Limerick?

Yes. Self-pay options are available at Beacon Limerick. Please contact the clinic for details of these costs. You will be able to claim back 20% of fees paid by you by means of a tax return.

#### I am on a waiting list for diagnostics at another facility but Beacon Limerick can see me sooner. Can I get my scan/diagnostics/ consultation carried out in Beacon Limerick instead?

Yes. If you send your referral to Beacon Limerick you can get an appointment at the earliest available slot. If you do not have your referral, you may ask your GPs secretary for a copy of the referral letter addressed to Beacon Limerick should you so wish. Once we receive this, you will be offered the soonest available appointment.

#### Do I need a GP referral for Beacon Limerick's HealthCheck?

No. A GP referral is not required for Beacon Limerick's HealthCheck service. If you would like to get a HealthCheck, please contact us by phone or email to book in.

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