

## **Bleeding in Early Pregnancy**

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## This leaflet has been created to provide you with information about what to do if you bleed during your pregnancy

Bleeding is a common complication, occurring in 2 in 10 pregnancies, many of which go on to be normal and healthy pregnancies.

Bleeding can also be associated with miscarriage or an ectopic pregnancy (a pregnancy growing outside of your womb, affecting 1 in 100 pregnancies).

The Emergency Department has recommended you contact the Buchanan Suite for further advice.

## Attendance at the Buchanan Suite is by appointment only

Please call to make an appointment even if you have been referred by your midwife, GP, A&E Doctor. Buchanan Suite staff will offer further advice and may then arrange an appointment for you to attend for a blood test or ultrasound scan.

Buchanan Suite opening hours:
Monday to Friday 9.00am – 12.30pm
Monday & Wednesday 1.30pm – 5.00pm
(excluding Bank Holidays)
0151 290 4356 – triage
0151 430 1737 – clinic reception

Until you have been assessed, a definite diagnosis cannot be reached and ectopic pregnancy cannot be ruled out.

If you have any of the following symptoms, please call the Gynaecology Ward 3E for advice 24 hours, 7 days a week on 0151 430 1522

## or attend the Emergency Department

Abdominal pain, shoulder tip pain, pain in back passage, fainting or dizzy spells, heavy vaginal bleeding (soaking a pad every 30 - 60 minutes, passing large clots or flooding), feeling generally unwell

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