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REQUEST

I would like to establish what centres within the ICS/Trusts would care for patients with an inherited cardiac condition (hypertrophic cardiomyopathy)?

I.E. Does Mersey & West Lancashire Teaching Hospitals NHS Trusts have a dedicated inherited Cardiac Conditions Team. If they do not have a dedicated team, or would not treat the condition, where would patients be referred to? Specifically, would a local hospital manage drug treatment up until the stage of surgery (septal ablation or surgical myectomy)? If surgery is not offered, where would the patient be referred to?

RESPONSE

The centre for patients with hypertrophic cardiomyopathy is Liverpool Heart & Chest Hospital NHS Foundation Trust as we do not run such a service on our sites. As we do not have a dedicated inherited cardiac condition team, we would refer our patients for investigation management to Liverpool Heart & Chest Hospital NHS Foundation Trust as they are the specialist unit for this condition.

Please see contact details below if you would like to get in touch with Liverpool Heart & Chest Hospital NHS Foundation Trust.

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