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#### **Useful information**

British Heart Foundation www.bhf.org.uk
Telephone 0300 303 311

#### How to contact us

Fingerpost Park Health Centre First Floor Atlas Street St Helens WA9 1LN

Telephone: 01744 457285

We are available:

Monday to Friday, 9.00am – 5pm (excluding Bank Holidays)

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# St Helens Cardiac Rehabilitation Service

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#### Who are we?

We are a team of Cardiac Nurses and Physiotherapists based in the community.

We have specialised knowledge and experience in caring for people with various heart conditions.

### Why have you been referred to us?

You may have been referred to our service from the hospital, your GP, practice nurse, cardiologist or other health care professionals.

This referral may be due to a recent diagnosis of:

- A heart attack
- Heart failure
- Heart surgery/PCI (stent).

You maybe also be waiting for or having investigations or treatment for your heart condition.

#### **Our aims**

Provide education and lifestyle advice regarding your heart condition.

Assist you in your recovery to resume a full life as normal.

Help you to reduce your risk of future heart problems and hospital admissions.

## How we deliver our service. Following referral, we will:

Telephone you to introduce you to the service, discuss your referral and provide advice regarding your condition.

Offer you an individual assessment in clinic by a cardiac nurse or at home in certain circumstances.

This is followed by assessment with physiotherapist.

We provide comprehensive cardiac rehabilitation programmes.

Referral on to other services, if required.

#### What is Cardiac Rehabilitation?

Cardiac rehabilitation is a programme of supervised exercise, health education, relaxation and stress management.

The programme will assist you in your recovery following a heart attack or heart surgery to return to as full a life as possible.

Family members are welcome to attend clinic to support you and learn about your condition.

The structured exercise will help with your recovery, confidence and improve your fitness, strength and wellbeing.

The aims of our health education sessions are to help you to make healthy lifestyle choices, which may reduce your risk of further heart problems.