## **URGENT OPHTHALMIC REFERRALS for HERTFORDSHIRE**

All patients must be accompanied by a referral letter, otherwise, at some hospitals, they will be sent to A & E first, which could delay treatment.

LOCATION	HOSPITAL	TEL NO	FAX NO	OPENING HOURS	WALK-IN?	OTHER INFORMATION
Aylesbury	Stoke Mandeville	01296 315939	01296 315037	Mon - Fri 9:00 - 17:00, Sat & Sun 10:00 - 16:00	NO. Must ring or fax to arrange appointment	Doctor on call 24 hours every day except Xmas day
Bedford	Bedford	01234 792643	01234 792086	Mon - Fri 9:00 - 17:00	NO. Must ring or fax to arrange appointment	Out of hours, ring L & D ophthalmologist on call 01582 491166
Cambridge	Addenbrookes	01223 217778	01223 217968	Mon - Fri 8:15 - 21:00	NO. Must ring or fax to arrange appointment	Out of hours, ring 01223 256336, ward M5, to make appointment
Enfield	Chase Farm	020 8375 2328	020 8363 8184	Mon - Fri in community, Sat in clinic	NO. Must ring or fax to arrange appointment	
Harlow	Princess Alexandra	01279 827158 (Switchboard: 01279 444455)	NO LONGER ACCEPT FAXES	Mon/Tue/Fri 8:30 - 18:00 Wed/Thur 8:30 – 21:00	YES with referral letter	Patients with wet AMD should either be sent into A&E or the optometrist should telephone the department first on 01279 827391
Luton	Luton and Dunstable	01582 718320	01582 718418	Mon - Fri 9:00 - 12:00 and 14:00 - 16:30	NO. Must ring or fax to arrange appointment	Secure email: LDOphthalmology@nhs.net After 21:00, go to A&E or MEH .  "Acute" and "Emergency" referrals via your nhs.net email: L&D Urgent Eye Clinic: ldh-tr.acute.eyeclinics@nhs.net (please note this is only accessed during weekday working hours. For all OTHER non-acute referrals, please continue to use ldophthalmology@nhs.net For Wet AMD fast-track referrals, please also use ldophthalmology@nhs.net and write in the subject header: "Wet AMD Fast Track Referral" and mark it for the attention of the "AMD co-ordinator"
		01582 491166		Mon - Fri 17:00 - 21:00, w/ends & BH		
Milton Keynes	Milton Keynes	01908 243011 Ex 2829	01908 243714	Mon - Fri 9:00 - 17:00.	NO. Must ring or fax to arrange appointment	They hope to have an evening session.
Stevenage	Lister, Treat- ment Centre	01438 288266* 01438 288122 (Switchboard: 01438 314333	N/A	Mon - Fri 9:00 - 19:30, Sat 9:00 - 13:30.	YES with referral letter	*Optom use only to pre-authorise urgent appointments.  Email: generalenquiries.enh-tr@nhs.net

Watford	Watford	01923 217224	01923 217336	Mon - Fri 9:00 - 12:00 and 14:00 - 16:00	YES with referral letter	
Welwyn Garden City	QEii	01707 247577		Mon/Tues 8:45 - 4:45 Wed/Thur 8:45 – 12	NO. Must ring to arrange appointment	
London	Moorfields	020 7253 3411	020 7566 2052	24 hours, 7 days per week	YES with referral letter <b>BUT</b> → →	Only refer here when local hospitals' clinics are closed

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