

I may have cancer. What happens now?

DAY 1

Your GP refers you to hospital for tests.



The hospital will normally contact you within 10 to 14 days.



Ring the hospital if they have not contacted you after 14 days.



It's really important that you go as soon as possible.

You do not have cancer. Contact your GP again if you still feel unwell.

Cancer diagnosed and treatment options discussed.

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By day 28 you will have been for your tests and have your results.



You may not recognise the phone number or it may be witheld.

- Have questions prepared.
- Have a pen and paper ready.

Contact your nearest hospital

East Kent hospitals: 01227 864240 Medway hospital: 01634 833891 Darent Valley Hospital: 0208 228 1152 Maidstone Hospital: 01622 224519

Kent Integrated Dermatology Services: 01634 799730

Here to help

Cancer Research UK www.cancerresearch.co.uk 0808 800 4040

Cancer Care Map www.cancercaremap.org Macmillan Cancer Support www.macmillan.org.uk 0808 808 00 00