

People you may meet

Nga iwi e tutaki ai koe

Registered nurses

There are always registered nurses on duty, one of whom is the duty leader. Each change of shift a nurse is allocated to you for your care. They will introduce themselves to you at the start of their shift. If you have any concerns please ask your nurse to speak to the duty leader.

Operations manager

The nursing services manager is available Monday to Friday during normal work hours. Ask your nurse if you wish to speak to her.

Doctor

The hospital doctor will see you daily. Medical cover is provided by the hospital doctor between 8 am and 2 pm. Outside these hours Dargaville Medical Centre provides on call medical cover.



Multidisciplinary team

A multi-disciplinary team including health professionals from social work, occupational therapy, physiotherapy, Kaipara Palliative Care meet every Tuesday to discuss the needs of current patients if appropriate and to plan discharge. Ask your nurse if you wish to be referred to any of these services. Your needs will not be discussed at this meeting without your consent.

Pharmacist

A pharmacist visits twice a week to provide education and advice to you. Medication can be dispensed to you by nursing staff or alternatively, after consultation with your nurse and doctor, you may be able to self-medicate.