



Female Genital Mutilation Specialist Health Services in the UK

London:

1. **The Sunflower Clinic (pregnant & non-pregnant women)**

Gynaecological Outpatient Department
Queen Charlotte's & Chelsea Hospital
Du Cane Road
London, W12 0HS

Tel: 077 3097 0738 (Juliet) or 020 3312 1060 (Zuriash)

Clinic times: Alternating Fridays (9am-12pm)

Contact: Juliet Albert (juliet.albert@nhs.net) and Zuriash Amare

No GP referral needed, they have a specialist FGM counsellor/Specialist community health advocates and interpreters.

They offer deinfibulation (known as reversal) under local anaesthetic or they can fast track an appointment to have it done under a general anaesthetic if you prefer.

This service is completely confidential. They aim to see you within 2 weeks of you contact.

2. **The Sunflower clinic (pregnant women)**

St. Mary's Hospital
Gynaecology & Midwifery Department
Day assessment unit, Maternity Department,
Praed Street

London, W2 1NY

Tel: 020 3312 1060

Open: Tuesdays; 9:00 am – 15:00 pm

Contact: Zuriash Amare (specialist midwife)

3. **Guy's & St. Thomas's Hospital**

African Well Women's Clinic
8th Floor – c/o Antenatal Clinic
Lambeth Palace Rd
London, SE1 7EH

Tel: 020 7188 6872

Mob: 07956 542 576

Open: Monday-Friday (9am-4pm)

Contact: Miatta Kpakra (FGM public health

Specialist)

This clinic provides access to information, support and referral to appropriate agencies, and counseling. They also offer surgical deinfibulation, as well as community support and training for all professionals.

4. **Zahra's Clinic (maternity)**

UCLH University College Hospital

Clinic 3; Elizabeth Garrett Anderson Wing
235 Euston Road, London, NW1 2BU

Tel: 020 3447 9411

Contact: Sarah Creighton and Maligaye Bikoo

This clinic offers consultation, as well as counselling and psychology support. They provide assessment for pregnant women before childbirth. They also offer a choice of local or general anaesthetic, for deinfibulation. This procedure can be done on the same day as a woman's assessment, if she chooses.

There is a clinical nurse specialist available to support patients throughout their care.

5. **Central Middlesex Hospital**

**Women's & Young People's Services
African Well Women's Clinic -
Antenatal Clinic**

Acton Lane, Park Royal
London, NW10 7NS

Tel: 02089655733

Open: Fridays (9am-12pm)

Contact: Jacky Deehan

(Jacqueline.deehan@nhs.uk) or Kamal

Shehata Iskander

(kamal.shehataiskander@nwlh.nhs.uk)

6. **Whittington Hospital**

African Well Women's Clinic

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Antenatal Clinic Level 5
Magbala Avenue, Highgate Hill
London, N19 5NF
Contact: Huda Mohamed
Tel: 07825 034665

First floor of Twickenham House
Isleworth, Middlesex TW7 6AF
Contact: Maryan Muse (specialist
midwife)
Tel: 07904574114
Maryan.Muse@chelwest.nhs.uk

- 7. Mile End Hospital – Barts Health NHS Trust
Women’s & Young People’s Services
Sylvia Pankhurst Health Centre** (pregnant &
non-pregnant women)
Women’s and Young People’s Services
Sylvia Pankhurst Health Centre
3rd Floor, Bancroft road, London E1 4DG
Open: Monday-Thursday 12:00-8:00pm,
Friday 9:30am-5:30pm
Telephone: 0207 377 7898 or 0207 377 7870
0208 223 8322
Vanessa.apea@bartshealth.nhs.uk
www.bartsandthelondon.nhs.uk

- 8. Northwick Park & St. Mark’s Hospital
African Well Women’s Clinic -
Antenatal Clinic**
Watford Road
Harrow
Middlesex, HA1 3UJ
Tel: 020 8864 3232
Open: Friday, 9am – 5pm
Contact: Jeanette Carlsson

- 9. Chelsea & Westminster FGM Service**
Provides psychosexual, maternity and
gynaecology advice and treatment for
pregnant and non-pregnant affected by FGM,
No GP referral required.

- a) Chelsea and Westminster Hospital**
Gynaecology Outpatients
369 Fulham Road
London, SW10 9NH
Open: 1st and 3rd Wed of the month,
14:00-17:30
Mob: 07812 378 363
Contact: Deborah Alcayde (FGM/Perineal
Specialist Midwife)
debora.alcayde@chelwest.nhs.uk
caw-tr.fgmwestlondon@nhs.net

- b) West Middlesex Hospital**

Bristol

- 10. Bristol Community Rose Clinic**
The Bristol Community Rose Clinic provides care
and support for women who are experiencing
problems as a result of female genital mutilation
(FGM). The clinic provides an environment
Where women are invited to discuss their health
needs in a sensitive and non-judgmental
environment. This specialist service is staffed by
an all-female team, who understand the
sensitivity and complexity of issues relating to
FGM.

Eastville Medical Practice
East Trees Health Centre
100a Fishponds Road
Eastville, Bristol, BS5 6SA
Phone: 07813 016 911
Email: bristolrose.clinic@nhs.net

Birmingham

- 11. Birmingham Heartlands Hospital**
Princess of Wales Women’s Unit
Bordesley Green East
Birmingham, B9 5SS
Tel: 0121 424 2000
Open: Mon-Fri 9-5pm
Contact: Alison Hughes (Specialist FGM
midwife)
allison.hughes@heartofengland.nhs.uk
- 12. Birmingham Women's NHS Foundation Trust**
Specialist antenatal clinic for women with
history of FGM
Mindelsohn Way
Edgbaston, Birmingham
B15 2TG
Tel: 44 (0)121 472 1377
Clinic time: Thursday’s

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Contact: Natalie Shorthouse
Alison.byrne@bwhct.nhs.uk
Natalie.shorthouse@bwhct.nhs.uk

Liverpool

13. Liverpool Women's Hospital
Multi-Cultural Antenatal Clinic
Crown St.
Liverpool, L8 7SS
Clinic time: Thursday morning
Tel: 0151 708 9988
Can be referred by a GP, or can submit a self-referral.

Leeds

14. St. James's University Hospital
Level 4, Gledhow Wing
Leeds
LS9 7TF
Open: Antenatal (Wednesday morning),
Postnatal (Tuesday afternoon)
Tel: 0113 2066392

Leicester

15. International Well Woman Clinic- University Hospitals of Leicester
Leicester Royal Infirmary
FGM Clinic
Kensington Building
Leicester LE1 5WW
Tel: 0116 2587770
Contact: Dr Cornelia Wiesender
GP referral not needed.

Nottingham

Nottingham University Hospitals – 2 sites
16. 98 City Campus
Hucknall Road

Nottingham, NG5 1PB
Tel: 0115 9691169 ext 55239/55127
Clinic time: Once per month
Contact: Carol McCormick
Carol.mccormick@nuh.nhs.uk

17. Queens Medical Centre
Derby Road
Nottingham, NG7 2UH
Tel: 0115 9249924 ext 61258
Clinic time: Once per month
Contact: same as above

Oxford

18. John Radcliffe Hospital
Oxford Rose Clinic
Level 1 Women's Centre
John Radcliffe Hospital
Oxford, OX3 9DU
Tel: 01865 222969
Open: Monthly, Last Thurs or Fri of the month
10:00-13:00
Contact: Dr Brenda Kelly (Consultant
Obstetrician)
Brenda.kelly@ouh.nhs.uk or
oxfordrose.clinic@nhs.net

Scotland

Maternity services
19. Royal Infirmary of Edinburgh
51 Little France Crescent
Edinburgh
Tel: 07765 233179 (Vickie)
Open: Monday – Friday 9.00 – 17.00
Contact: Anne Armstrong or Vickie Davitt
(vickie.davitt@nhs.net)
20. St John's Hospital (Howden)
Howden Road West
Howden
Livingstone
West Lothian
Tel: 07765 233179 (Vickie)
Open: Monday – Friday 9.00 – 17.00
Contact: Anne Armstrong or Vickie Davitt
(vickie.davitt@nhs.net)



21. Chalmers Sexual Health Centre

Chalmers Street

Edinburgh

Tel. 0131 536 1070 (or Vickie Davitt above)

Consultant Gynaecologist – Dr Alison Scott

Email: Alison.m.scott@nhslothian.scot.nhs.uk

Needs a referral from a GP.