

Should you have any of the following symptoms before your next appointment with DAU or your LMC

- Headaches
- Nausea and or vomiting
- Persistent upper right abdominal pain
- Reduction of the normal activity of your baby or no fetal/baby movements
- Vaginal bleeding

Please contact

- Your LMC
- Women's Assessment Unit
Ph: 631 0784 (24hrs)
- Delivery Suite:
Ph:630 9826 (24hrs)

Women's Health, Auckland Hospital

Lidette Van Wyk - DAU Co-ordinator

Day Assessment Unit (on WAU)

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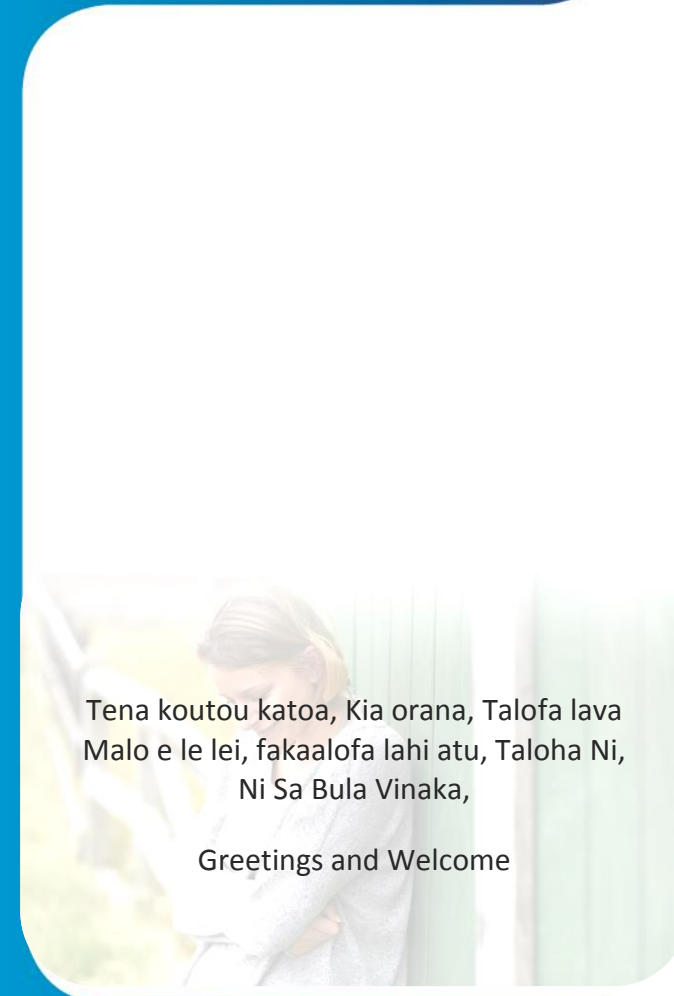
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5 days a week 0800-1630

Day Assessment Unit

Patient Information Leaflet



Tena koutou katoa, Kia orana, Talofa lava
Malo e le lei, fakaalofa lahi atu, Taloha Ni,
Ni Sa Bula Vinaka,

Greetings and Welcome

The most common reasons for referral to the Day Assessment Unit (DAU) are:

- Post dates assessment
- Raised blood pressure
- Slow growth of your baby
- Patients on SGA pathway
- Observing your baby's fetal movements by CTG (increased surveillance)
- A review prior to your arranged induction
- Not enough fluid around your baby (Oligohydramnios) after your formal review by a clinician
- Twins/Triplets
- Turning breech babies (ECV)
- Iron Infusion
- Premature rapture of membrane (increased surveillance)
- Surveillance of cholestasis (itching) of pregnancy (after formal review)

You may have been referred for another reason.

At this appointment you may have some of the following observations performed depending on the reason for your referral:

- Blood pressure checks
- CTG - monitoring of your baby's heart rate
- Urine test
- Blood tests
- Ultrasound examination of your pregnancy

You will be cared for by a midwife and may also be seen by a doctor.

The DAU is a room set up with 4 lazy boy chairs.

Please have breakfast before attending your appointment at DAU and keep up your fluids.

After all the necessary observations have been completed you will be advised if and when you need to return for a subsequent appointment with DAU.

We will phone your Lead Maternity Carer (the midwife or doctor) to keep them informed of your plan.