

**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)

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## Day Assessment Unit Patient Information Leaflet

**Tena koutou katoa, Kia orana, Talofa lava, Malo e lelei, Fakaalofa lahi atu, Taloha Ni, Ni Sa Bula Vinaka**

**Greetings and Welcome to National Women's Health**



**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 cholestasis or 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.