

PROPOSAL FOR A SPECIALIST CANCER CENTRE IN THE PLANNED CARE HOSPITAL, LANARKSHIRE

ACTIVITY STATISTICS

Table 1

Oncology Activity 2005/06		
4600 Daycases	1074 New Outpatients	3951 Return Outpatients

This activity is undertaken by visiting Consultant staff from the Beatson Cancer Centre and patients are currently seen across the three acute hospital sites. All of these patients will be seen in the new Cancer Centre at Monklands Hospital.

Table 2

Haematology Activity 2005/06	
Elective Inpatients	216
Emergency Inpatients	64
Daycases	3885
New Outpatients	700
Return Outpatients	6865

This work currently undertaken by NHS Lanarkshire Haematology staff.

Inpatients are currently seen at Wishaw and Monklands Hospital. Under the new arrangements all such patients will be seen at Hairmyres Hospital.

Currently daycases are treated at all three sites. The new arrangements will mean that approximately 75%-80% of daycases will be seen at the Cancer Centre with the remainder of patients seen at Hairmyres Hospital.

The workshop did not clarify the outpatient pathway and therefore further work is required on the clinical and service model. These patients are currently seen at all three Acute Hospital sites. However, it is intended that all cancer outpatient visits be held at the planned care site. This equates to approximately 4,000 of the outpatient visits shown above.

Table 3

Provision of Chemotherapy (Treatment Episodes per week)				
	Hairmyres	Monklands	Wishaw	Total
Breast	10	6	27	43
Colorectal	11	5	3	19
Lung	5	6	7	18
Prostate	0	0	3	3
Bladder (ives)	1	2	2	5
Bladder (IV	0	0	2	2
Haem	6	27	31	64
Ovarian	1	0	1	2
Total	34	46	76	156

This work is currently undertaken by visiting Beatson Oncology Consultant staff. It is envisaged that 99% of this workload will be carried out in the Cancer Centre. The exception will be treatments for a proportion of breast and colorectal treatments where it is planned to develop nurse led chemotherapy services across all three acute hospital sites.

Table 4

Breast Surgery

In 2005/06 620 elective cases for breast surgery were performed by NHS Lanarkshire surgeons in the three Acute hospital sites. With the establishment of the Cancer Centre it is estimated that approximately 70% of this activity will be undertaken on the planned care site.