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Dear Patient

TREATMENT LETTER: INTRAVITREAL INJECTION

Information

Further to your recent outpatient consultation, I am writing to confirm your treatment. This letter sets out some important information that I am required by law to provide to you in relation to your treatment. This is for your information only and is not a bill.

Reason for Treatment

As discussed during our consultation, I recommend that you have a course of intravitreal injection treatment. The treatment resolves and prevents leakage of fluid into the retina and is effective in 90% of cases. A variable number of injections are required, as dictated by clinical response. The initial loading regime involves five (5) injections over five (5) months (followed by a review with OCT scan), with treatment intervals then extended over the next 30 months.

Consultant Fee Estimate

I cannot predict at this stage how many injections you will need but we will start (or will already have started) with a loading dose of five injections, scheduled at one month apart. My estimated fee for carrying out **each** injection will not exceed £400. This does not include the hospital or clinic fee which is explained below. The follow up fee (which falls after three injections usually) is £160 and you'll need to have an OCT scan at this time.

Services and Fees not included in the estimate

Please note that the above estimates do not include other treatment that may be required if any unforeseen complications arise during your treatment. For example, costs associated with further treatment or additional care.

Practising out of:

23 Harley Street, London W1G 9QN • The New Malden Diagnostic Centre, 171 Clarence Avenue, New Malden, Surrey KT3 3TX
The New Victoria Hospital, 184 Coombe Lane West, Kingston upon Thames KT2 7EG

GMC Registration Number: 3122882

Hospital/Clinic Fees

Please note that above estimate does not include any fees that the hospital or clinic may charge. For information on the hospital's/clinic's fees, please contact them directly on:

The New Victoria Hospital:	020 8949 9020
The London Eye Diagnostic Centre:	020 7323 5967
HCA Healthcare Diagnostics:	020 3277 0160

If you are self funding and are being treated at the New Victoria Hospital then you will be charged a package price which includes my fee. If you are being treated at our other clinics (The London Eye Diagnostic Centre or The New Malden Diagnostic Centre), you (or your insurance company) will need to pay a fee to the clinic for supply of the drug and use of the clean room and my fee which will be charged by way of invoice after your appointment.

If you are booked to have any tests at the London Eye Diagnostic Centre, these will be charged directly to you or your insurance company by the clinic.

Payment

If you are self funding and are being treated at the New Victoria Hospital, you will be required to pay the full package price for the treatment to the hospital with payment to be cleared before the scheduled treatment. The price for this differs according to which pharmaceutical agent is being used. If you are being treated at one of our clinics (the London Eye Diagnostic Centre or the New Malden Diagnostic Centre) you will need to pay the clinic their fee on the day and my fee will be sent to you by way of invoice afterwards. If you have private medical insurance, please contact your insurer before your treatment, to check whether this is covered by the terms of your policy and my fee for your treatment will be claimed directly from them.

Please note you are responsible for any fees not covered by your insurer.

Quality Information

You can compare independent information about the quality of private treatment offered at the hospital and other private healthcare providers from the Private Healthcare Information Network (PHIN) website: www.phin.org.uk.

Yours sincerely



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