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## Patient Information: Amenity beds



Single room and en-suite bedroom  
facilities in maternity services

## What is an amenity bed?

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An amenity bed is available to NHS patients who wish to pay for the privacy of a single room whilst their treatment remains on the NHS. Maternity services offer a limited number of single rooms (some with en-suite facilities) to patients who wish to pay for this facility.

## Can I pre-book an amenity bed?

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No, amenity beds are subject to availability and, during periods of high occupancy on the ward or due to clinical requirements, single rooms are not always available. If you wish to stay in an amenity room, please ask the ward or midwifery staff caring for you once you are admitted. If an amenity bed is available we will do our best to facilitate this for you.

## How much does it cost?

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An amenity bed costs £120 for a standard single room and £150 for a single room with en-suite bathroom per stay. No other facilities are included in this charge. Payment should be made once the room is available.

## How do I pay?

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Payment can be made by cheque or by credit or debit card on Mary Ward, D10. You will be required to complete the form on the back of this leaflet when you pay for this facility.

**Please note: you will not be charged for use of these rooms unless you specifically requested a single room.**



### **Payment by cheque:**

Cheques should be made payable to Royal United Hospital Bath NHS Trust.

### **Payment by credit/debit card:**

Payment may be made in person using a credit or debit card via the maternity services secretary or, if she is unavailable, the ward clerk.

# AUTHORISATION FORM

You will be asked to complete all of the following sections and hand in to the ward staff for checking and approval:

**Your name:**

**Address:**

**NHS Number:**

**To be signed by Ward Clerk/Midwife**

## Ward Staff

**Please return to:**

Maternity Services Office  
Mary Ward, Department 10  
Princess Anne Wing  
Royal United Hospital,  
Combe Park  
Bath, BA1 3NG

**Tel: 01225 824662**