

Moving Between Units

Hello from the Neonatal Unit, Luton and Dunstable Hospital

Our names are Mandy Roberts and Rio Valentin. We are the Repatriation Link Nurses here at the Neonatal Unit (NNU) at Luton and Dunstable Hospital

From the moment your baby is born, our goal is to provide the best care possible in a unit that can meet your baby's needs at every stage of their journey.

Our role is to support you throughout your baby's stay on the neonatal unit.

Supporting you and your family

As your link nurses, one of us will contact you shortly after your baby is born and will check in with you on a regular basis with weekly calls or emails.

This includes providing you with access to practical advice, emotional support, and financial support, (where needed), as well as ensuring that you know what to expect when your baby is transferred back closer to home

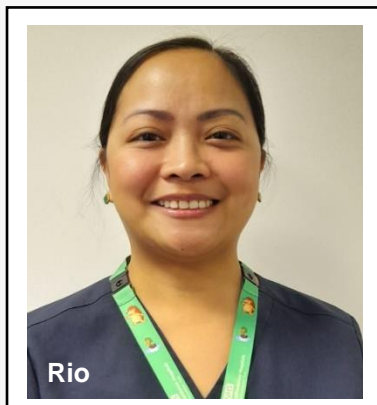
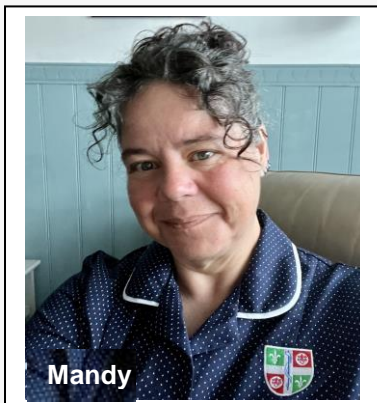
To help familiarise you with our neonatal unit ahead of transfer, a virtual tour or in-person visit to the unit can also be arranged so that you can meet the team and look around the facilities.

We are really looking forward to welcoming you.

Contact

Please see our contact details opposite. If you have any questions, concerns, regarding moving between units or would just like a chat, please get in touch.

Date and Time of contact:



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Additional Members of the Allied Health Professional team here at Luton.

- Dietician: Sarah Edwards
- Occupational Therapist :Kiran Kalra
- Physio Therapist: Danielle Bostock
- Psychologist: Adele Faller
- FiCare: Faye Tott

Further Information

If you have access to social media, Luton has a Facebook page called **Bedfordshire Neonates** This Facebook page is private, but you can ask to join the group as we have some group rules that we should abide before joining the page.

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Unit website

Neonatal Services - Bedfordshire Hospitals NHS Trust



Neonatal Operational Delivery Network (ODN) website

<https://www.eooneonatalpccsicnetwork.nhs.uk/>