# Self-funding hospital delivery fees

# For midwife-led care 2025

As the only fully private maternity hospital in the UK, The Portland Hospital places emphasis on safety and choice, as well as providing a bespoke service to ensure that you and your baby are looked after throughout pregnancy and birth.

To discuss these packages, please call our dedicated maternity services enquiry line on 020 7390 6068.

	Midwife-led care		
Standard deposits will apply, please see additional information section below	From 10th week of pregnancy	From 20th week of pregnancy	From 30th week of pregnancy
	£12,568	£12,048	£11,000
Midwife antenatal appointments	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	<b>√</b>
Consultant obstetrician fees*	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$
12-week scan including nuchal scan and combined test	$\checkmark$	Χ	X
20-week anomaly scan	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	X
36-week growth scan	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$
Antenatal appointments with consultant obstetrician	1	1	1
Routine hospital blood tests at booking clinic	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$
Midwife-led hospital birth	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	✓
Resident obstetric anaesthetist	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$
24-hour stay from admission	1	1	1
1:1 midwifery care throughout labour and birth	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$
Postnatal care	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$
Baby's first three nights stay in NICU, if treatment is required"	<b>√</b>	$\checkmark$	✓
Newborn baby check - Resident Medical Officer	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$
Newborn nursery care during your stay (subject to availability)	✓	$\checkmark$	<b>✓</b>
Accommodation and complimentary breakfast and dinner for partner/visitor	✓	✓	<b>√</b>
24-hour room service for new mother	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$
Afternoon tea (served daily during your stay)	<b>√</b>	$\checkmark$	<b>√</b>
Postnatal physiotherapy and six-week tummy check	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	<b>✓</b>
Six-week postnatal check for new mother	✓	✓	<b>✓</b>
Complimentary gift on discharge	✓	<b>√</b>	<b>✓</b>
Access To The Portland Hospital education app	✓	✓	✓





Midwife-led care is suitable for women with an uncomplicated pregnancy, who go into spontaneous labour between 37-42 weeks of their pregnancy. Labour before 37 weeks requires transfer to consultant-led care for a pre-term birth.

# Complete assurance

\*Please note the quoted package prices are for the birth of your baby under midwife-led care at The Portland Hospital. If consultant intervention is required during your labour to provide specialist care and safe delivery, consultant fees are included. This includes emergency caesarean section, instrumental birth (forceps / ventouse) and an induction after 41 weeks. This assurance gives you complete peace of mind that in the event of complications arising during your labour, the consultant will be called in and their professional fees will be included in the package price.

# Additional charges

Additional costs include:

- Epidural (if required) is charged at £995 (plus £85 for each top-up). This covers the anaesthetist and relevant drugs for a normal delivery or emergency c-section.
- Additional nights cost per night are as follows:
  - Standard room £1,250
  - Deluxe room £1,850
  - Suite £2,250
  - Premier suite £3,340

Please note, room upgrades are subject to availability.

#### Additional information

- All midwifery-led patients are allocated a named consultant obstetrician. We arrange for you to meet them at approximately 36 weeks of pregnancy and they are then on-call throughout your labour and birth.
- In the unlikely event that antenatal deviations from your normal pregnancy arise and you are no longer eligible for midwife-led care, transfer to consultant-led care will be necessary. Midwife-led charges will be itemised up until the date of transfer and billed accordingly.
- All booked patients are guaranteed a standard room upon admission. If you do wish to upgrade, these are subject to availability.

# **Deposit**

- We request a total deposit of the package price, plus the cost of an additional night. £2,000 is payable at your first appointment, the balance is due 8 weeks prior to your due date.
- For non EU patients, a deposit of £20,000 is required.
- All prices are effective from 1st January 2025 and are subject to change as the market dictates. Please note that the price you will be required to pay is the price pertaining at the day of admission, not at the date of booking. All prices are inclusive of VAT unless otherwise stated.

- We require all patients to provide a debit or credit card as part of their registration process. These details will be requested either over the phone or when you attend your appointment or admission. These card details will be kept securely for up to three months and we will let you know if we intend to take a payment from this card before we do so.
- "Loyalty births" at The Portland Hospital we are delighted to offer a 10% discount to mothers who have previously delivered at The Portland. This will be applied to all self-pay package prices and additional night stays. The discount also applies to patients who were born at The Portland Hospital.

# Prenatal tests and scanning

The Portland Hospital's Obstetric Ultrasound and Fetal Medicine department offers specialised tests, scans and blood sampling that your maternity care team might recommend you have. This includes non-invasive prenatal blood tests, although please note this is not included in the package price.

To discuss or book one of our prenatal screening packages, please call our Imaging department on **020 7390 6350**.

#### Neonatal care

"We will cover the first three nights of care within the NICU department for any unexpected admissions. Please note that as when your baby moves out of the NICU, charges will be liable. Re-admissions will not apply.

For self-pay patients, you may have private medical insurance that will be eligible if your baby is admitted to the NICU department. If you do not have access to private medical insurance, we will cover the first three nights of care within the NICU department for any unexpected, unplanned admissions.

# Insured patients

If you have private medical insurance, please notify us by calling **0207 390 6068**, prior to your first booking appointment, so we can discuss and advise on our billing procedure. To enable direct billing, please provide our patient access team with your insurance details and a letter from your insurer confirming cover.

Package prices and loyalty discounts do not apply and an itemised invoice will be issued. You are required to obtain appropriate authorisation from your insurance provider.

Please liaise with your insurance company prior to delivery to verify your new born baby's post-delivery care on your policy. Please note that insurers only cover a standard room - upgraded rooms are on a self-pay supplement basis.



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