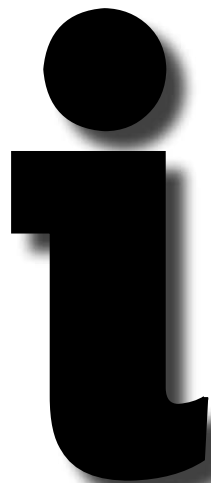


## *Follow-up after referral for investigations or other opinion*



If you need your information in another language or medium (audio, large print, etc) please contact Customer Care on 0800 374 208 or send an email to: [customer care@salisbury.nhs.uk](mailto:customer care@salisbury.nhs.uk)

You are entitled to a copy of any letter we write about you. Please ask if you want one when you come to the hospital.

If you are unhappy with the advice you have been given by your GP, consultant, or another healthcare professional, you may ask for a second (or further) opinion.

The evidence used in the preparation of this leaflet is available on request. Please email: [patient.information@salisbury.nhs.uk](mailto:patient.information@salisbury.nhs.uk) if you would like a reference list.

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Following your appointment in Orthopaedic Outpatients/Fracture Clinic the doctors have referred you on for further investigation(s) and/or appointment with another healthcare professional for their opinion on your care.

To avoid unnecessary visits to the hospital for you, it is important that your next orthopaedic follow-up appointment occurs at a time when any further investigations and/or opinion have taken place.

You will hear directly from the relevant hospital or department about an appointment for investigations/opinion. To help us to make sure your follow-up appointment with the Orthopaedic Team in Salisbury is timely and at held at the appropriate time, we would be very grateful if you would contact us once you have received your appointment date.

Please call the **Central Booking Team** on **01722 345543** who will make a note of your appointment time in their system so that a follow-up appointment can be sent to you after this date.

Thank you for your help

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