



SERV OBN – Hospital Familiarisation Royal Berkshire Hospital (RBH) From Other Locations



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Reading
RG1 5AN

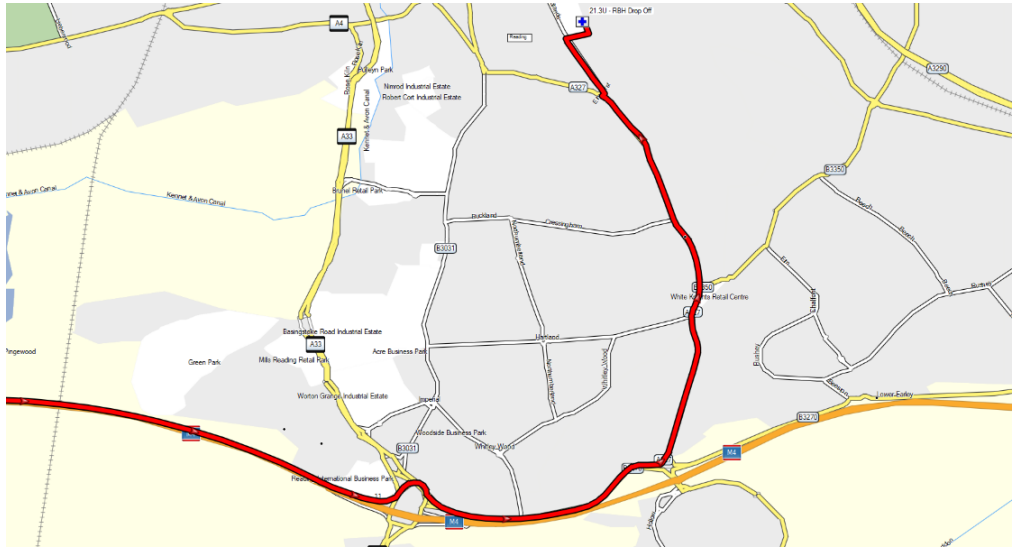
Main Hospital No: 0118 322 5111

Blood Contact No: Dial above then ask them reception to Bleep 298

Samples 24/7 Reception: 0118 322 7708

Routes Included: From the West, including West Berkshire Community Hospital (WBC) and Newbury Care Homes
From the South, i.e. Wokingham Community Hospital (WoCH)
From the East, i.e. Wexham Park Hospital (WPH)

Special Instructions: See Royal Berkshire Sept 2023 file for drop off instructions
Note: The M4 is undergoing major change up to 2022 as a result the street views may differ from the M4 after construction

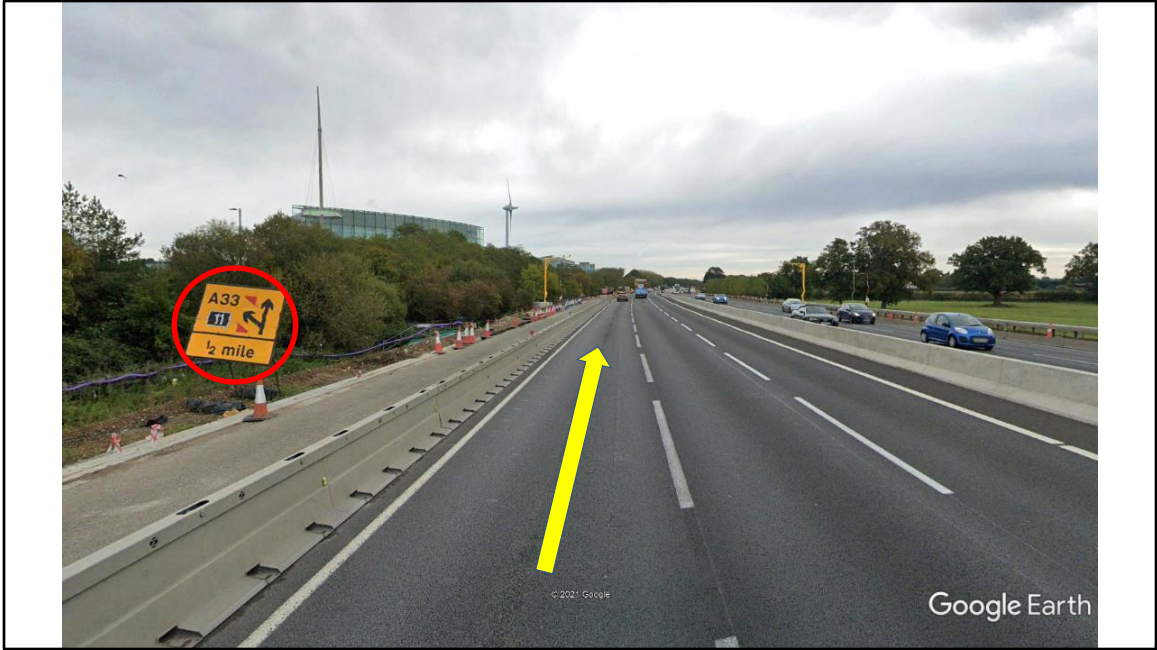


PLEASE NOTE: With so much work being done on the M4 to make it a smart motorway the photos that follow may not be up to date

To get to Royal Berkshire Hospital (RBH) from the West (e.g. West Berkshire Community Hospital, Newbury Care Homes) follow the M4 to junction 11.

We pick up the street view from the M4 exit

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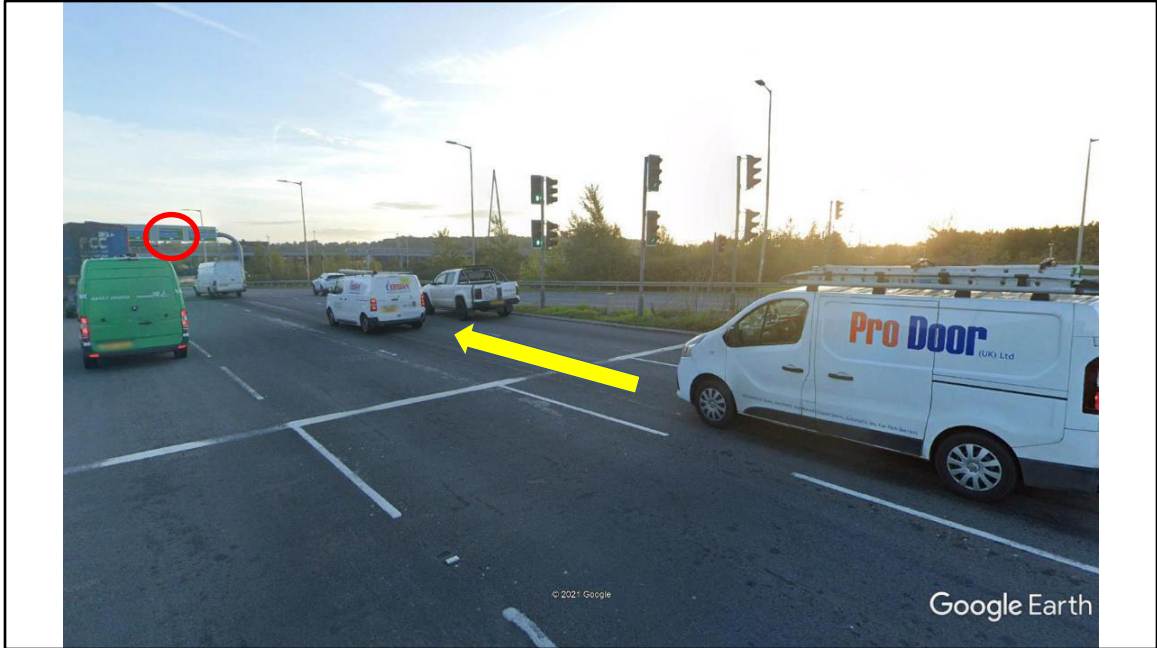


Take Exit 11 A33, most likely this will be a large gantry sign once work is completed





Get into the correct lane for the B3270 to Earley



At the traffic light remain in the 3rd Lane heading towards the B3270. Across the lights the road splits in two, with the inside two lanes (1 & 2) going left and the outside two lanes (3 & 4) going right. Follow the split to the right, staying in the same lane. Watch for drivers getting it wrong and cutting across from lane 2 or even the other way from lane 4.



Follow the split to the right staying in lane 3 towards B3270 Earley



Keep in the left lane though the next light.



Keep to the far left to follow the B3270.



Keep left as the road divides and follow the B3270 and the signs to Royal Berks.



Continue on the B3270 to the next traffic light where you want to be in the left lane ready to turn left at the roundabout in the distance.



Keep left then turn left towards Reading (No hospital sign until you turn left)



Keep left and continue to follow the signs to the hospital.



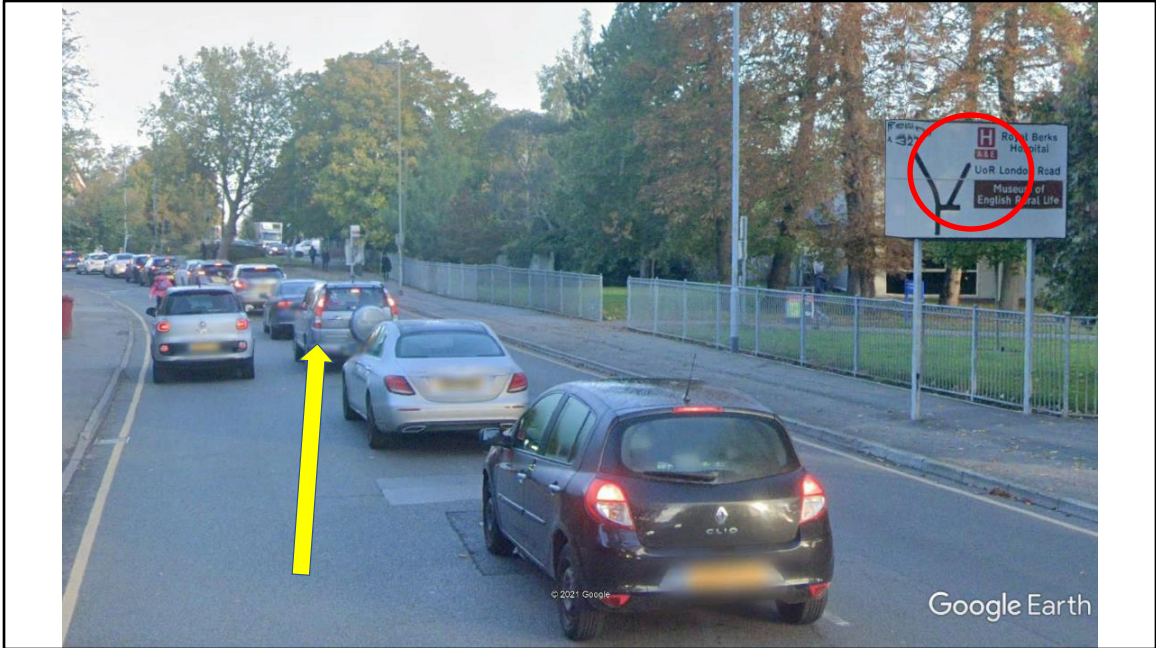
Follow the road through the complex of two traffic lights where you will note the speed drops to 20 for the whole section



At the second light keep to the left towards the hospital, remember still 20



At the next light again keep to the left lane and continue straight (No hospital sign)
Take care the entrance to one of the many Reading University campuses is to your right



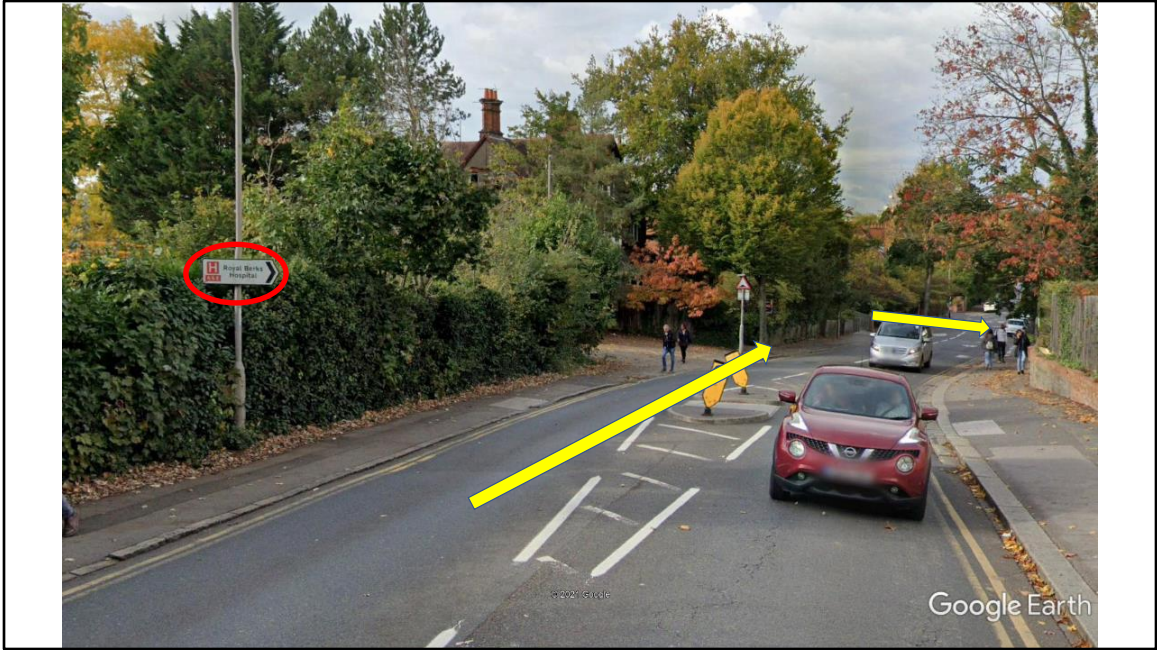
As you approach the next light get into the right lane. As you can see it is a popular turn during the day as you are now right in the middle of the Reading University area. Note that at the light you will be turning right but then immediately left.



Turn right then immediate left following the sign to the hospital marked with the red circle. As you turn left you move into the 20mph zone that surrounds the hospital.



Turn left into Redlands Road following the signs to the hospital

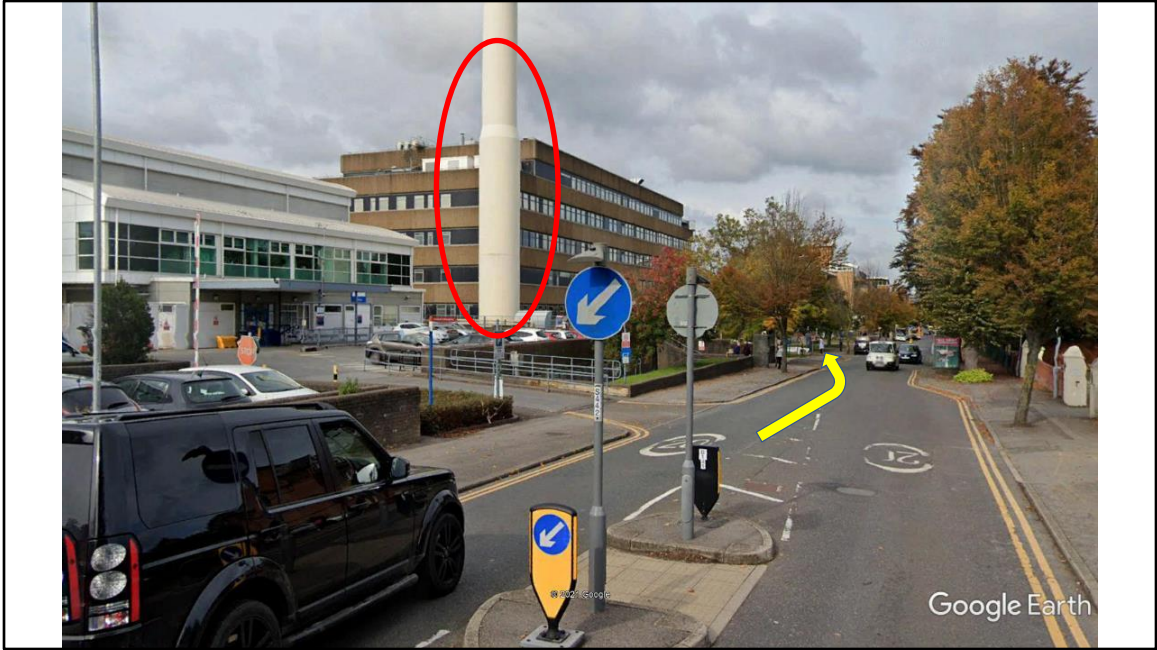


Continue on Redlands Road until you see the sign for the hospital. Turn right onto Addington Road





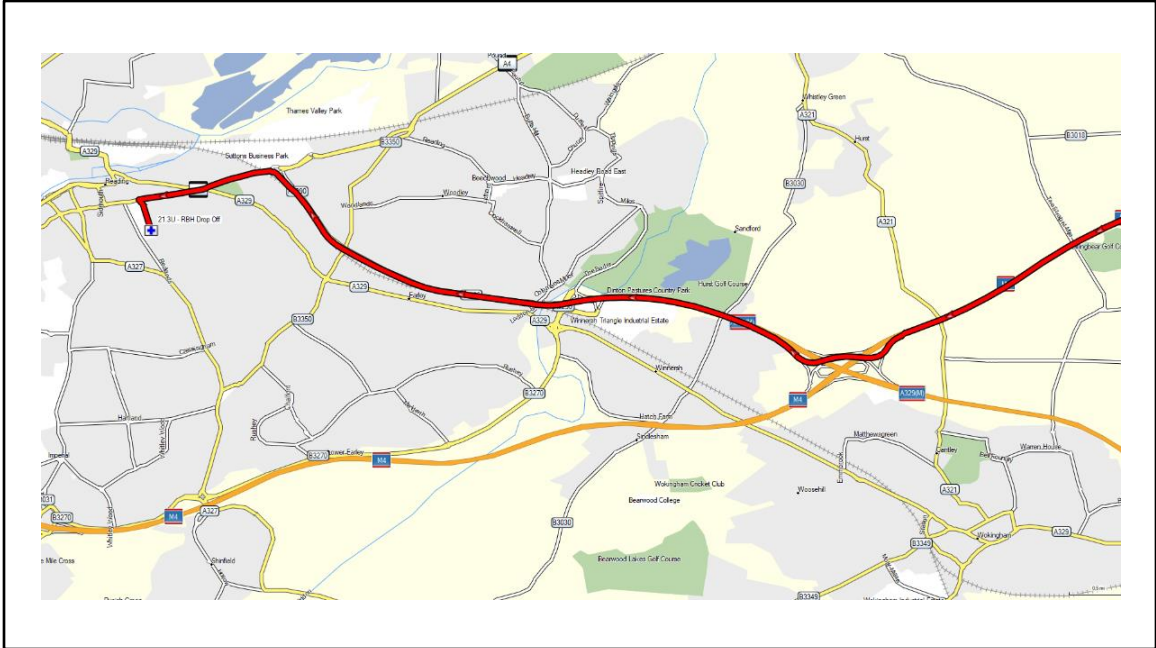
Continue on Addington Road to the first turning on your left into Craven Road towards the hospital.



Just after the tall chimney circled in red on the left turn into the entrance C6.



At entrance C6, Hospital Stores, head down the ramp to the courtyard. Once in the courtyard continue following the instructions in file Royal Berkshire Sept 2023 from slide 24 for the final steps to the hospital drop off and collection point

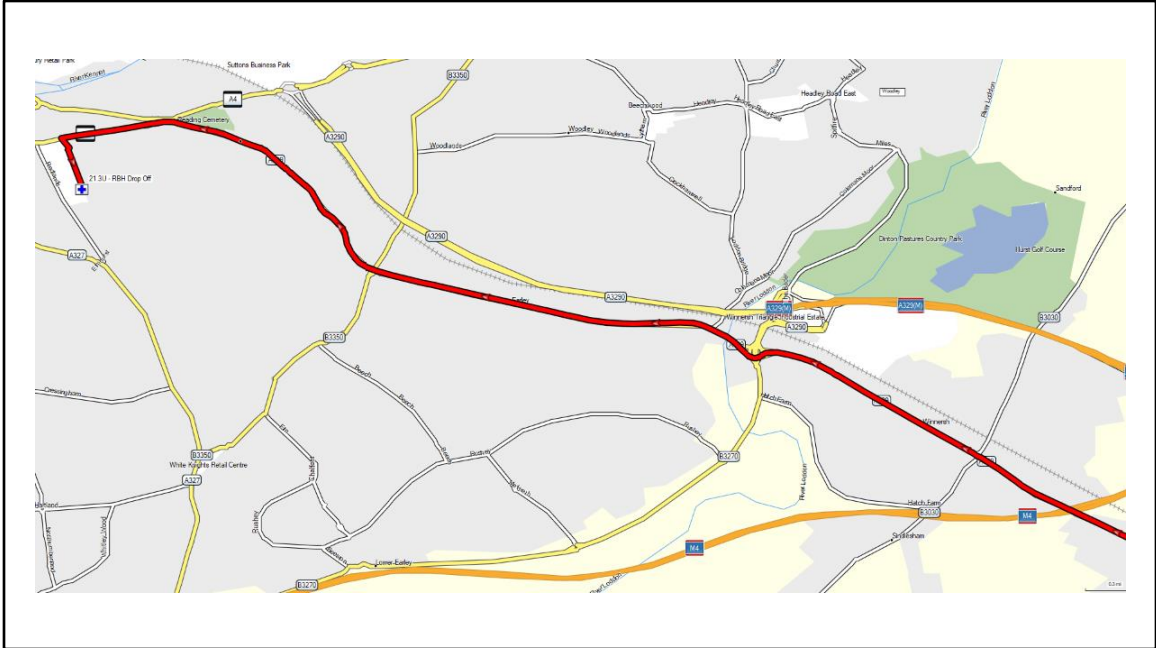


To get to RBH from the East (e.g. Wexham Park Hospital) follow the M4 to junction 10.
Take the A329(M) to Reading (E)
Follow the A329(M) until it becomes the A3290
Continue on the A3290 then take the exit to A4 Reading and Suttons Business Park
At the Roundabout take the first exit to A4 following the signs to Royal Berks Hospital
Continue on A4 to lights at Cemetery Junction where we pick up the street level view

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At Cemetery Junction lights go straight following the A4.
The route from Wokingham joins from the left so you can continue to review the route into RBH after the next two slides



To get to RBH from the South (Wokingham Community Hospital) follow the route in the sat nav from WoCH to RBH which leads you along the A329. If you are familiar with the area and prefer to use the A329M please follow that to Cemetery Junction. At Cemetery Junction turn left onto the A4. Here you join the route from Wexham Park and the instructions are now at the street level



At the lights bear left on to the A4 joining the route from Wexham Park



Continue straight on the A4 following signs to Town Centre, keep to the left lane as you will be turning left in about half a mile



Continue on the A4 until you see the sign to Royal Berks Hospital then turn left at the traffic light into Craven Road

Continue with rest of route by going to file called Royal Berkshire Sept 2023 and continuing from slide 20