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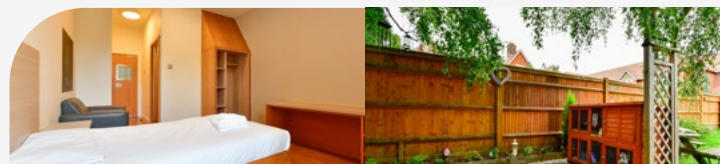
# Specialist PICU for Women

Castle Ward,  
Cygnnet Hospital Godden Green, Kent

Accepting  
referrals

Castle Ward is our 13 bed female PICU at Cygnnet Hospital Godden Green which accepts emergency and crisis admissions. Referrals come to us from all areas, including acute and prison services. Our aim is a short, rapid intervention to help individuals to regain a sense of control and order in their lives, so they can move to a less restrictive care setting and ultimately return home.

The service provides expert, intensive, short-term, individualised care for women detained under the Mental Health Act. Service users will present with increased risks that require them to be assessed and treated in a PICU environment.



**PICU**  
QUALITY NETWORK  
FOR PSYCHIATRIC  
INTENSIVE CARE UNITS

Accredited with the Royal  
College of Psychiatrists Quality  
Network for Psychiatric Intensive  
Care Services.



Female



18+ years



13 beds

## Our service user profile:

- > Women, aged 18+ years
- > Detained under the Mental Health Act
- > Experiencing difficulties that present a risk to the well-being of themselves or others that cannot be treated in an open environment
- > Diagnoses may include:
  - Acute mental illness
  - Acute depressive illness
  - Psychosis
  - Schizophrenia
  - Bi-polar disorder
  - Personality disorder
  - Dual diagnosis
- > May present with co-morbid presentations:
  - Self-harm
  - Substance misuse issues
  - Complex needs



For All PICU and  
Acute Referrals  
(Adults and CAMHS)

0808 164 4450  
chcl.referrals@nhs.net

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Referral made to  
Cygnnet bed hub via  
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Feedback provided on  
whether our services can  
meet the service user's  
needs within 1 hour of receipt  
of full clinical information

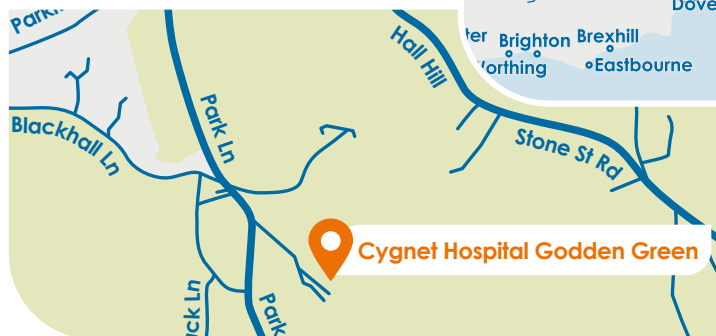
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Admission agreed and  
arranged with referring  
team following  
confirmation of funding

## Where are we?

**Cygnnet Hospital Godden Green**  
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