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**If you have any queries, concerns, or compliments** about your care, please speak to the ward or clinic staff in the first instance. Alternatively, please contact the Patient Advice and Liaison Service (PALS) on 01227 783145, or email [ekh-tr.pals@nhs.net](mailto:ekh-tr.pals@nhs.net)

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