



Ask your questions

About your personal concerns

Did you forget to ask your medical team a question? Here is a list of the most commonly asked questions by patients and carers.

Remember – don't be afraid to ask. Why not tick next to the questions you may feel relevant.

- Why me?
- Will I die?
- Is there a cure?
- What caused me to get this illness?
- Could I have prevented it?
- How long have I had it?
- Why wasn't it detected sooner?
- Is it caused by an injury?
- Is leukaemia hereditary?
- Will my children get it too?

- Why have I developed this type of cancer?
- Have I brought this on myself by smoking?
- Has my job contributed to my cancer?
- How is my type of leukaemia diagnosed?
- What are my chances of making a full recovery?
- What are the chances of my illness returning?
- What treatment will I receive?
- Will this treatment cure me?
- Will the side effects continue after treatment?

- What things can I do and what must I avoid doing?
- How will my life be affected during the treatment?
- Will I need a bone marrow transplant?
- Why don't all patients receive a bone marrow transplant?
- What if a suitable donor cannot be found?
- How many different types of leukaemia are there?