

After your endoscopy

“Before you leave the department, a nurse will go through your procedure report with you and you will get a copy of your report. Most people will not receive a follow-up with us. The report of your procedure will also be sent to your GP.”

“Links to further information about common conditions will be available on the St. Vincent’s website”.

“If we take samples during the procedure, you and your GP will usually receive a letter in approximately 3 months with the results”.

“Sometimes, we will request an appointment to see you again in the clinic. This will be stated at the end of your procedure report and you will receive an appointment in the post. The average wait time is about 3 months, but your appointment time may be longer than this”.

“In your copy of the procedure report, Instructions for restarting medications will often be included in the discharge instructions down here at the bottom of the report. There is also a Frequently Asked Questions section on our website for some common medication questions”.

“If you have any issues you can contact the endoscopy department on 01-2214599. Or, if it is urgent, you should go to your local emergency department”.