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REQUEST

Do the hospitals have any free parking drop-off zones, for example if someone is dropping a patient off at an appointment? Are there any rules around using these drop-off zones (for example, is there a maximum time drivers are able to wait, or is it only for patients with blue badges etc)?

If there are no free drop-off zones (or their use is restricted), what would be the cost to park in each hospital's car park for 15 minutes in order to drop off a patient?

RESPONSE

St Helens and Knowsley Teaching Hospitals have drop off zones at the front of the main entrances (Whiston and St Helens Hospitals).

The drops off zones are limited to a wait time of 20 minutes free of charge and the areas are for all visitors to our sites.

If visitors choose to enter the car parks then they are allowed to park for 20 mins before charges are applied. The charge for 20mins-1hr is £1.