

Posterior Vitreous Detachment (PVD)

An information guide



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If you experience any of the following you must go to your doctor as soon as possible and ask them to arrange an urgent examination with an eye doctor.

- A significant decrease in vision.
- A fold or curtain across your vision.
- A sudden change or a significant increase in the number of 'floaters'.
- A significant increase in flashing lights.
- A sudden appearance of a blob in front of the eye.

Contact Numbers

The Royal Oldham Hospital, Oldham

A&E Department - 0161 627 8933

Friday 5pm until Monday 9am

Oldham Integrated Care Centre Eye Clinic -0161 621 3721

Monday – Friday 9am - 4.30pm

Rochdale Infirmary, Rochdale

Eye Clinic - 01706 901757

Monday - Friday 9am until 5pm.

Eye Ward - 01706 901765

Monday - Friday 8am until 8pm (answer machine after 8pm)

Urgent Care Centre - 01706 517005

Monday - Friday after 8pm. Friday 8pm until Monday 9am

Fairfield General, Bury

A&E Department - 0161 778 2600

Monday - Friday after 8pm. Friday 8pm until Monday 8am

Eye Ward and Clinic - same contact details as Rochdale Infirmary

Tameside Hospital Foundation Trust

A&E Department - 0161 922 6000

Available 24 hours

Eye secretary - 0161 331 6388

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