



## Community Diagnostic Centres

**High quality CDCs, at pace, including:**

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# The need for Community Diagnostic Centres

**Acute and non-acute diagnostic services are under increasing pressure to meet growing demand.**

To combat this, new and radical service models such as Community Diagnostic Centres (CDCs) are needed to separate acute and elective diagnostics.

Community Diagnostic Centres are a flexible solution to help health systems tackle their non-acute diagnostics requirements.

CDCs create centres for non-acute diagnostics away from acute hospitals, including at community hospitals or primary care settings.

Providing services away from facilities used for urgent diagnostic scans means shorter waiting times and a reduced risk of cancellation which can happen when the more urgent cases take priority.

**Vanguard and the Trust work collaboratively to meet the community's needs**

Specialising in the provision of healthcare spaces, Vanguard works in collaboration with healthcare providers to design, build and install facilities that enable the services required by the CDC for a specific community, perfectly matching the needs of patients.



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# Meeting the community's needs, exactly and soon

Using modern methods of construction, Vanguard helps healthcare providers establish high quality CDCs within the shortest time.

This modular construction also means that the building can be easily reconfigured as the needs of the community change and different diagnostic services are required.

Modular construction enables Vanguard to build around 80% of a Community Diagnostic Centre away from the construction site, at the Vanguard factory in Hull, while the ground works are being completed.

The time saved by this concurrent working is one of the benefits of modern methods of construction. Others include reduced traffic at the construction site, the protection from weather related delays, greater efficiency, and better quality control.

Modules can be delivered to the construction site and installed in just a few days, before finishing and commissioning.

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Modular diagnostic suite, Frimley Health NHS FT

## Vanguard's facilities can be providing diagnostic services within weeks

Vanguard's mobile facilities enable healthcare providers to offer diagnostic services in the community as soon as the decision to do so has been made, even before the construction of a CDC commences.

On the sites where CDCs were being built, University Hospitals of Leicester NHS Trust and Sherwood Forest Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust installed Vanguard's relocatable endoscopy complexes, giving them a head start in meeting the needs of their communities.

These mobile or relocatable facilities can also reduce the construction time and the capital outlay for building a CDC, when integrated with a modular building that provides, for example, reception and waiting areas, wards, pathology and laboratory space, plant room, storage and staff welfare areas.

Vanguard's unique capability to integrate modular and mobile facilities, enables healthcare providers to meet patients' needs and operate within restrictions such as budget limits and tight deadlines.



Scan the QR code to watch 'Vanguard's Mobile Endoscopy Complex' video  
<https://vimeo.com/1063519976>



Mobile treatment room, Cwm Taf Morgannwg UHB



# West Swindon Health Centre

**Great Western Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust builds a new community diagnostic hub providing more than 6,000 extra endoscopy appointments.**

The additional appointments are being made available to patients across Swindon and Wiltshire thanks to a new endoscopy unit, built by Vanguard, using modern methods of construction, next to the existing West Swindon Health Centre, in a busy community location, close to the local leisure centre.

The facility is being built using modules which have been designed and manufactured by Vanguard at its factory in Hull. Specialising in the provision of healthcare facilities, Vanguard has worked with the Trust to tailor the building to the needs of the community.

**“ We are on a journey to make local health and care truly accessible for all and, by having more diagnostic services based outside of hospital and closer to people’s homes, we will be able to cut waiting times, see more patients and, most importantly, ensure people can stay healthier for longer.”**

Dr Amanda Webb, Chief Medical Officer,  
Bath and North East Somerset, Swindon  
and Wiltshire Integrated Care Board



West Swindon Health Centre CDC

**“ For the last two years, the region’s new community diagnostic centres have been helping people in our communities to get tested far more quickly than before, and this state-of-the-art endoscopy unit is set to help us go even further. Waiting for a diagnostic test, especially when there is a possibility of something serious like cancer, can be an agonising experience, and one that no person would want to last longer than is absolutely necessary.**

**This new community facility along with those already open and those planned for the future, will help us to reduce this anxiety for thousands of people, and ensure that if urgent treatment is needed, then it can begin as early as possible.”**

Claire Thompson, Chief Officer, Improvement and Partnerships,  
Great Western Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust





## We provide expertly designed, clinically-focussed turnkey solutions exclusively for healthcare clients.

**Working only in the healthcare sector, our extensive specialist team offers a full turnkey solution for the delivery of high quality mobile and modular Healthcare Spaces.**

We can manage the complete process from business case approval, through on-site design and manufacturing, and on-site installation to project commissioning.

Depending on your need, we can supply a facility on an Operating Expenditure (RDEL budget) or a Capital Expenditure (CDEL budget) basis.

As your principal designer and/or principal contractor, we reduce the impact on your supply chain and simplify your project's site construction.

Our in-house clinical experts work closely with you at every stage, understanding your needs and making solutions come to life.

We work alongside healthcare providers to create environments which offer clinically excellent patient and team experience, understanding the important role these factors have in delivering best quality clinical services.

### We can supply equipment for most healthcare applications, including anything you might require for:

- **An endoscopy unit:** stacks, scopes, decontamination equipment
- **An operating theatre:** patient monitoring, surgical stack systems, anaesthesia equipment

### We offer additions to your team from our highly experienced clinical workforce, including:

- Clinical Practitioner
- Theatre Practitioners
- Endoscopy Practitioners
- Decontamination Technicians

They provide clinical services, supporting anaesthetic, medical, and surgical teams.



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