



# UNIVERSITY HOSPITAL OF WALES

## PARK & RIDE SERVICE

UHW Park and Ride service was launched on 2<sup>nd</sup> May 2017. Averaging about 100 passengers a day, it has been well received by users. The following is a typical social media comment:

*"Busy on 7:50 P&R this morning – more patients/visitors seem to be using it now. Please don't take this service away!"*

### Long Term



Improving hospital access by reducing car parking pressures and on-site congestion, with consequent reduction in emissions and positive environmental impacts.

### Prevention



Providing patients with a parking alternative that reduces stress and enhances the patient experience.

### Integration



Fits with Welsh Government's sustainability vision as well as priorities for Cardiff and Vale UHB Sustainable Travel Plan to promote alternative forms of travel to single occupancy car use.

### Collaboration



Collaborating at a local level with Cardiff Council and Cardiff Bus to improve hospital access by utilisation of local facilities and services.

### Involvement



Transport, sustainable travel and car parking actions have been shaped by engagement with individuals that understand the on-site issues and the impacts these can have on the patient experience and service delivery. The Project Group includes representatives of Community Health Council, Cardiff Council, bus service operators.