



UMC Utrecht  
Cancer Center

At home in the hospital  
**The Guest Quarters of  
the Cancer Center**

**If you have been admitted to the Cancer Center, your partner, a relative or friend(s) can stay the night in the guest quarters, which are located in the D3 east section of the hospital. After surgery or in situations where you need your next of kin, it is comforting to be together! You are also welcome to stay at the guest quarters if you are undergoing outpatient treatment or have to visit the hospital early in the morning for an examination or admission. Especially if you have to travel a long distance, it is very pleasant if you can go to your appointment without suffering any traffic stress.**



The guest quarters' staff

The Cancer Center's guest quarters have eight double rooms, two of which are wheelchair-accessible. Each room has a TV (with Videobutler), a small fridge, a strongbox and a well-appointed bathroom. There is a large common dining/living room, where you will find a TV corner, dinette and lounge corner. You can use the kitchen to prepare your own meal or dine in one of the hospital's restaurants.

Reception is staffed by a coordinator or one of the volunteers, who attend to the daily course of events. You can check in and check out with them and ask them for all the details of your stay. They will also gladly lend you an ear should you need this. They aim to offer you a warm, homely setting where you can make yourself comfortable. The guest quarters do not provide any medical or other care. Guests must be able to look after themselves or be accompanied by a helper. The guest quarters are not open to patients who have been admitted to one of the nursing wards of UMC Utrecht. That is a rule that is related to the regulations on patient safety and the prevention of infections. You will have been officially admitted once you have been registered as a patient at the Admissions desk.

## Booking a room

You can book a room as follows:

- by calling +31 (0)88 75 691 12 on weekdays from 9am to 4pm (you can also dial this number outside these hours for an emergency application)
- via the website: [www.umcutrecht.nl/gastenverblijfcancercenter](http://www.umcutrecht.nl/gastenverblijfcancercenter)
- by email: [gastenverblijfcancercenter@umcutrecht.nl](mailto:gastenverblijfcancercenter@umcutrecht.nl)
- by visiting the guest quarters in D3 east

An overnight stay in a room costs €45. The price is kept to a minimum thanks to volunteer work and the financial contributions from sponsors and donors. Your contribution will be reimbursed in whole or in part by your supplementary insurance policies. Please ask about the options in the guest quarters if your health care insurance does not cover your stay.

**“You should be able to drop in on your next of kin in the middle of the night in your PJs, as it were. Everything under one roof: that’s what makes the guest quarters unique.”**

Prof. dr. Elsken van der Wall, chair of the UMC Utrecht Cancer Center, initiator of the guest quarters.





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**“A place for yourself, where you don’t have to hush. You can just grab a book or make a phone call without waking her up. She knows I’m near. The connection I have with her is actually tangible here. A place of your own, yet so close.”**

Corrie Vis, friend of a patient

**Gastenverblijf (Guest Quarters)  
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