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A guide to weight-loss surgery charges at Spire  
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## Weight-loss surgery

Sometimes traditional weight control and management may no longer provide the results you want or need. If you've exhausted all other weight-loss options, you might be considering weight-loss surgery.

Spire Edinburgh Hospital's Weight-loss Surgery service offers the advice, treatment and support you need to make a major change in your life. Our specialist bariatric (weight-loss) surgeons provide a range of up-to-the-minute treatments, tailored to your individual clinical needs, including gastric balloon, banding, and bypass surgery.

You can book a free no obligation consultation with our Specialist Bariatric Nurse, Lorna Hunter, for information on weight-loss surgery and the options available to you. Alternatively, you can book directly for your initial consultation with our specialist weight-loss consultant surgeons.

All patients that wish to undergo weight-loss surgery must attend an initial appointment with a consultant. You must also meet with our dietitian, who may consult with you via the telephone.

In addition, you will meet with our clinical psychologist to discuss the changes that weight-loss surgery will bring to your life.

Our multidisciplinary team-led approach to care ensures that your consultation, treatment and aftercare are carried out by experts in their field. With our clinical expertise on hand, you can make an informed decision about whether weight-loss surgery is right for you.

Specialist Bariatric Nurse appointment	free
Appointment with Consultant	£120*

Included in £120 fee:

- Your initial consultation will be with a weight-loss consultant surgeon. Following that appointment, you will be reviewed by our dietitian and psychologist separately.

\*Please note, the cost of your initial appointment with a Consultant is not deducted from the cost of any surgical procedure.

If you are not suitable for weight-loss surgery, you may choose to attend our weight-loss management service, which is managed by our weight-loss nurse and dietitian.

### Weight-loss management service

Appointment with nurse	£50
Appointment with dietitian	£57.50

### Cost of surgery

Gastric band	BMI<50	£7,300
	BMI>50	£9,750
Reposition of port		£1,995
Gastric bypass	BMI<40	£11,500
	BMI 40-50	£12,050
	BMI>50	£13,500
	BMI>60	POA*
Gastric balloon Insertion and removal		£5,650
	Removal	£2,100
Sleeve gastrectomy	BMI<40	£10,500
	BMI 40-50	£11,000
	BMI>50	£12,000

\*Price on application

### After-care

One year unlimited after-care is included in the cost of surgery, this includes subsequent appointments with the bariatric nurse, dietitian, consultant surgeon and psychologist. Also included in this price are band fills, X-ray-guided band fills and any further surgery that may arise one year post-operatively if through complication.

Annual aftercare package includes: £408

- Two band fills
- Unlimited phone calls to nurses
- Four nurse appointments
- Two dietitian appointments

### Continued after-care

Band fill	£101
Emergency band decompression	£204
Consultant appointment	from £150
Dietitian	£57.50
Nurse	£50
X-ray-guided band fill	£292-£487

### External patients

Some patients may have had weight-loss surgery with a different provider, eg NHS or abroad. Post-operative after-care is an integral part of your weight-loss journey. It is often at this stage that the support provided by a weight-loss multidisciplinary team is invaluable. If you want to access our weight-loss expertise, you can self-fund the treatments below. In cases of emergency, we aim to provide band decompressions within 24 hours.

Annual aftercare package includes: £549

- Two band fills
- Unlimited phone calls to nurses
- Four nurse appointments
- Two dietitian appointments

X-ray-guided band fill	£487
Barium swallow	£381
Band fill	£149
Emergency band decompression	£204
Consultant appointment	from £150
Dietitian appointment	£57.50
Nurse appointment	£50

**For further information or to find out more about prices or funding treatment contact the Self Pay Team on 0131 316 2507 [www.spireedinburgh.com](http://www.spireedinburgh.com)**