By Road
Cardiff is served by the M4 and is easily accessible from all parts of Britain. From the south west, take the M5 and from the south of England, follow major A-roads to the M4. From Scotland, the north of England and the Midlands, travel via the M50 to the M4.

Travelling east on the M4. Leave the motorway at Junction 32, follow the A470, sign-posted City Centre. The Cathays Park campus – Follow the A470 towards the city centre and the University is sign-posted. The Heath Park campus – Follow the A470 as far as Gabalfa Interchange. Take first exit onto the A48 (Eastern Avenue), sign-posted Newport and the M4, but immediately exit at the slip road on the left. This leads directly onto the University Hospital site.

Travelling west on the M4. Leave the motorway at Junction 29, follow the A46(M)/A48, sign-posted Cardiff East and the South. Continue for approximately seven miles.

The Cathays Park campus – Continue along the A46 to the A470 (Gabalfa Interchange). Leave the A46 at Gabalfa Interchange and take the A470, sign-posted city centre. Follow the A470 towards the city centre and the University is sign-posted. The Heath Park campus – On the A48, speed reductions will be noticeable from 50 to 40mph. At this time the University Hospital will be visible on the right. Exit the next slip road, sign-posted “University Hospital” and turn right at the traffic lights along a short road leading directly onto the University Hospital site.

Car Parking
The Cathays Park campus – Two Park and Ride services operate in Cathays – one from the East of the city (£3.00 per car) and one from the West of the city (£3.00 per person). See Map 2 for location. Car parking in the University car parks is extremely limited and a permit is required. However, there are several public car parks located close to the University, all of which are marked on Map 4. There is also pay and display car parking available on Park Place and within the civic centre (along College Road, City Hall Road, King Edward VII Avenue and Museum Avenue).

By Rail / Coach / Bus
High speed inter-city trains provide frequent services between all major British cities. The Cardiff-London service, from London Paddington, runs at 30 minute intervals throughout the day. Frequent services also connect Cardiff with Bristol, Birmingham, Southampton, Manchester, Liverpool and with many other cities and towns. Cardiff is also served by regular coach services from towns and cities across the UK. From Cardiff Central Station there is a frequent train service which stops at Cathays Station (located on the Cathays Park campus). Local bus services also operate from Cardiff Central Station.

The Heath Park campus – The No 27 service leaves Stand D4 every 15 minutes throughout the day. The Heath Park campus – The No 38 service leaves St Mary Street (Stand JE) every 10 minutes throughout the day.

By Air
Cardiff Airport is 11 miles from the city centre. Coach and train services operate between Cardiff Central Station and London’s Heathrow and Gatwick airports.

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Heath Park Campus: CF14 4XN
Train services:  
Local bus services:  
Coach services  
Door-to-door directions by road:

Leaving the A48 at Llanedeyrn Interchange, sign-posted to Docks and Cardiff East, A4161. At the roundabout, take the exit sign-posted to Llanedeyrn and, at the next roundabout take the first exit sign-posted to Cyncoed. Follow the road up the hill to a set of traffic lights. Turn right at the lights into Cyncoed Road.

Take the third turning left into Ty Gwyn Road and approximately 100 metres on the right hand side, turn into Birchwood Lane and enter the main gate. The reception is at the base of the Tower Building. The postcode is: CF23 5YB

Visitors with Disabilities/Special Needs

Some buildings may present problems of access and egress for those with mobility difficulties.

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