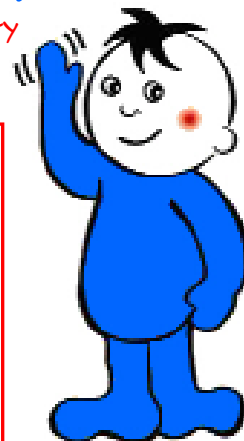


Project Briefing

MedEquip4Kids
The children's health charity



Warrington & Halton NHS Trust Mobile Telemetry Unit

Warrington and Halton NHS Trust's Midwife-Led Birth Centre consists of four birth suites with birthing pools. The rooms are designed to be welcoming, comfortable and peaceful, to treat childbirth as a normal experience with minimal medical intervention. This offers more choice for women with a low risk of complications and increases the chances of a normal birth with improved outcomes for mother and baby.

An active and upright position in labour can help to shorten its duration and reduce the incidence of fetal distress and the need for medical intervention. A Mobile Telemetry Unit allows a baby's heart rate to be monitored remotely during labour and birth, offering better mobility for the mother than wired units do. It can also be used in the birthing pool, giving higher-risk women access to this positive birth experience.

We provided a Mobile Telemetry Unit in 2018, which is in daily use and having a significant impact on neo natal health and wellbeing. To meet the increasing demand in use for the Mobile Telemetry Unit, staff have requested an additional unit which MedEquip4Kids have agreed to fund.

The cost of this equipment is **£8,020**

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About

MedEquip4Kids improves the health of children and babies across England by providing equipment not available from limited NHS resources. We believe every child should have access to the best medical care when they need it most. Thanks to our projects, over 85,500 children each year receive better care.

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