

HEALTH ASSESSMENT ADVISORY SERVICE

Office address: MANCHESTER
CENTRE FOR HEALTH AND DISABILITY
ASSESSMENTS
ROOM 102, ALBERT BRIDGE HOUSE
BRIDGE STREET
MANCHESTER
M60 9AT

Appointments **0800 2888777**
help desk: If you have a textphone you can dial 18001
followed by the number shown above.

Reference: [REDACTED]
Date: **23rd February 2018**

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Your appointment for an assessment with a healthcare professional

Dear [REDACTED]

We have been asked by the Department for Work and Pensions (DWP) to carry out an assessment in relation to your benefit claim. We have arranged an appointment for you at:

[REDACTED]
at
Manchester Assessment Centre
Centre For Health And Disability Assessments, Albert Bridge House, Bridge
Street, Manchester, M60 9AT

It is important that you attend this assessment. If you don't attend, your benefit may be affected. If you are unable to attend, or if you will need any help whilst you are at the assessment centre, please inform the appointments help desk on **0800 2888777** as soon as possible.

Please only contact the appointments helpdesk in connection with your appointment. If you want to discuss your benefit claim, or if you would like more information about why you need an assessment, please contact the Department for Work and Pensions (DWP) office that deals with your claim.

Please arrive 10 minutes before your appointment time. You should bring this letter and proof of your identity with you. If you have any medical reports that you wish us to see, please also bring them with you. For example, this could be a medical report from your doctor, consultant or support worker.

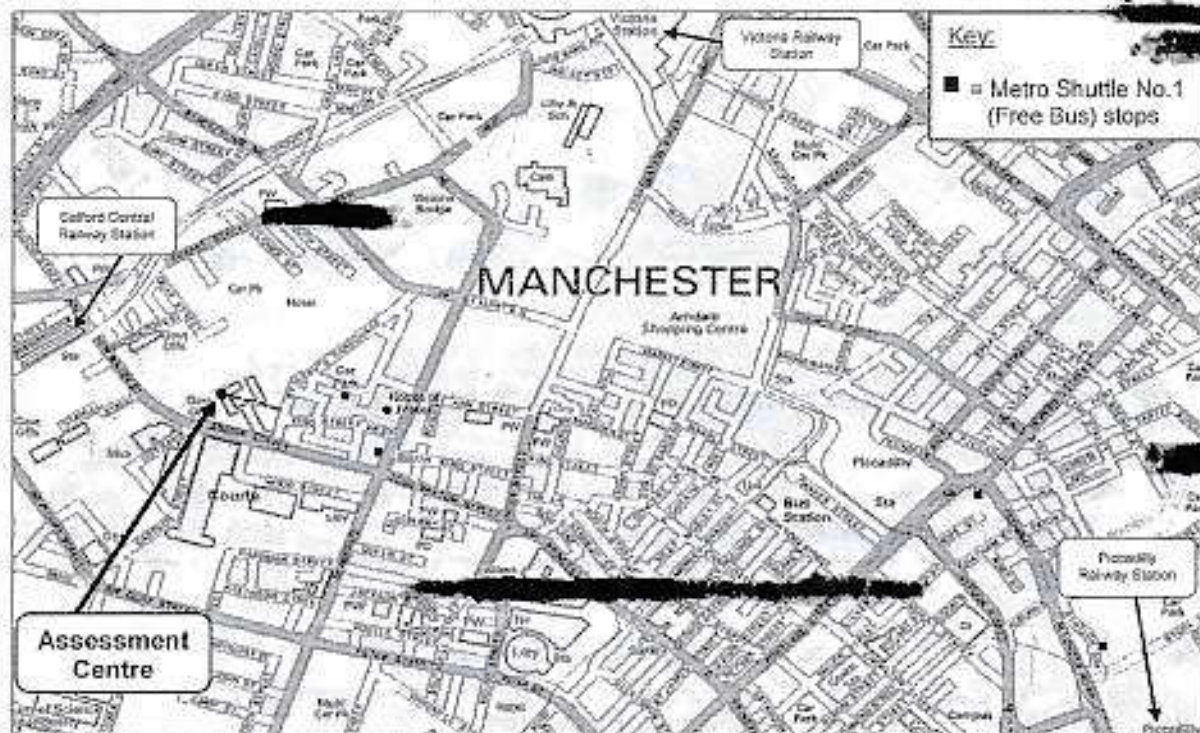
We have enclosed a leaflet containing important information about what to bring to the assessment and how to claim expenses. We have also enclosed a map and directions explaining how to get to the assessment centre.

Yours sincerely,

Centre for Health and Disability Assessments



Manchester Assessment Centre
 Albert Bridge House
 Bridge Street
 Manchester
 M60 9AT
 Tel: 01213 350729 (for directions enquiries only)



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The entrance to Albert Bridge House is off St Mary's Parsonage. The Assessment Centre is in the three storey building set back behind the 18 storey Inland Revenue Building (follow dotted line on map).



From Victoria Station: walk down to Deansgate and continue along for approx. 500 metres until you reach House of Fraser Department Store, turn right onto King Street West, walk straight ahead until the end of this road - we are in the 3 storey building set back behind the large 18 storey building facing you. Walk through the car park and under the overhead walkway. The entrance to the Assessment Centre is sign-posted in the far corner.

From Piccadilly Station: take the free bus (Metro Shuttle No.1) and alight at the Deansgate/Kings St West stop (just before House of Fraser, see map), then follow bus directions below.



There is no public parking at the Assessment Centre, unless you have prior permission. There is parking behind House of Fraser (see map): from Deansgate, turn left at the Sawyers Arms onto Bridge Street, continue down here, then take a right at the traffic lights onto St Mary's Parsonage. Take an immediate right turn and follow the signs to the NCP car park, which is located behind House of Fraser.



There is a free bus service (Metro Shuttle No.1) near to Piccadilly Gardens that leaves from the junction of Piccadilly and Portland St (outside Tesco Metro, see map) – board this and alight at the Deansgate/Kings Street bus stop (see map); walking towards House of Fraser, turn left onto King Street West and walk straight ahead until you reach the end of this road. We are in the 3 storey building set back behind the large 18 storey building facing you. Walk through the car park and under the overhead walkway. The entrance to the Assessment Centre is sign-posted in the far corner.