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Paediatric Surgery / Urology services in East Midland (Leicester and Nottingham).

These two centres are tertiary referral centres for Paediatric Surgery and Paediatric Urology. We treat children from the age 0 to 18 years of age. We treat 130- 150 Neonates every year (each centre). Our centres manage children with common surgical / bread and butter urology to complex problems such as neonatal surgery, upper and lower gastrointestinal problems including fundoplication, cholecystectomy, Inflammatory bowel diseases, spina bifida, stone diseases, thoracic and minimal access surgery etc. We have MDT clinics for spina bifida, bladder and bowel dysfunction, antenatal clinics for surgical, cardiac, and urological conditions, oncology, and radiological conferences. We have excellent set up for urodynamics, bio feedback lab for functional bladder and bowel dysfunction and upper GI manometry and dry lab for laparoscopy training. Our centre works well in collaboration with, Neonatal, Foetal medicine, Paediatricians, adult general surgeons and physicians, adult urologist, Paediatric and adult nephrologists. We have established transitional clinics. Cardiac services are available in Leicester while Neurosurgery and major trauma are managed in Nottingham.

Both centres (Leicester and Nottingham) are well equipped to provide excellent training in Paediatric Surgery and Paediatric Urology.