

**LAPLAND CENTRAL HOSPITAL
EMERGENCY WARD
INFORMATION FOR THE PATIENTS**



EMERGENCY ROOM (patients that require immediate treatment)

The Lapland Central Hospital has an emergency ward that handles the primary healthcare and special medical care emergency services around the clock.

Primary healthcare emergency, tel. (016) 322 4800 (08 a.m. to 10 p.m.). During the night, emergency services are available at the Central Hospital special medical care emergency service, tel. (016) 328 2100 (10 p.m. to 8 a.m.).

The emergency ward is intended for **cases of emergency, sudden illness or accidents**, if the nature of the illness or injury is such that it cannot wait until the following day. **The emergency ward is intended for patients whose illness requires immediate treatment, and whose treatment cannot be postponed without harming the health of the patient significantly.**

No appointments can be made for the emergency ward. The queuing time varies according to the amount of people waiting for treatment. The access to treatment is not decided based on order of arrival, but the personnel evaluate the urgency order of the patients based on the current condition and the quality of the illness of the patients.

Health problems that do not require emergency examination and treatment, such as ordinary prolonged symptoms for the common cold and their complications, prolonged back pains or the early stages of diarrhoea, are treated at private health centres.

Private health centres

<p>TERVEYSTALO ROVANIEMI</p> <p>Address Urheilukatu 5–7, FI-96100 Rovaniemi, Finland</p> <p>Opening hours: Mon–Tues and Thu 8 a.m.–4 p.m. Wed 11 a.m.–7 p.m., Fri 8 a.m.–2 p.m.</p> <p>Appointments: 030 6000</p>	<p>TERVEYSTALO ROVANIEMI</p> <p>Address Koskikatu 27, door A, 5th floor FI-96100 Rovaniemi, Finland</p> <p>Opening hours: Mon–Thu 7:30 a.m.–8 p.m. Fri 7:30 a.m.–4 p.m., Sat 9 a.m.–3 p.m.</p> <p>Appointments: 030 6000 (Mon–Fri 7:30 a.m.–8 p.m., weekends and mid-week holidays 9 a.m.–6 p.m.)</p>
<p>MEHILÄINEN</p> <p>Address Lampelankatu 6 FI-96100 Rovaniemi, Finland</p> <p>Opening hours Mon–Fri 7.45 a.m.–7 p.m. Sat–Sun 10 a.m.–2 p.m.</p> <p>Appointments: 010 414 00</p>	<p>PIHLAJALINNA</p> <p>Address Lapinkatu 1 FI-96100 Rovaniemi, Finland</p> <p>Opening hours: Mon–Thu 8:00 a.m.– 4 p.m. Fri 8.00 a.m.–2.30 p.m Sat–Sun Closed</p> <p>Appointments: 010 312010</p>