When maternity means serenity
Our team is ready to help and attentive to your needs. They will inform you and guide you throughout your maternity care. From your decision to have a baby to your antenatal care, from your delivery to your return home, we support you in your choices. Whether these concern preparations for the birth, pain management methods or the level of medical involvement, we do our utmost to ensure that your birth experience is the one you want.

Depending on your needs and those of your baby, you will experience our multi-disciplinary team’s expertise and close cooperation. This team is made up of gynaecologists, midwives, paediatricians, and geneticists, physiotherapists, ultrasound specialists, social workers and many other professionals.

The birth of a child is undoubtedly one of life’s most important events; that is why it is essential for it to happen under the best possible conditions. Giving birth in the Hôpitaux Iris Sud maternity ward means guaranteeing a stress-free start to your baby’s life.

Meeting your expectations

Our maternity ward has been a Baby-Friendly Accredited Hospital since 2006.

We offer antenatal and postnatal consultations at the hospital’s four sites: in Anderlecht, Saint-Gilles, Ixelles and Etterbeek. The maternity ward, however, is located at the Etterbeek-Ixelles site, near the Place Flagey.
Take advantage of an extensive range of care and services for your pregnancy and antenatal care, as well as for the birth of your baby and your baby’s development.
A delivery unit to suit all birth plans and every eventuality!

Whether using a water bath during labour, giving birth in a squatting position or lying down, everyone’s birth plan is different. Our delivery rooms are equipped to meet those requirements, according to your preparation and how you feel on the big day.

Unforeseen circumstances during delivery? Have you opted for midwife-only care during your pregnancy and delivery, but a gynaecology procedure proves necessary on the big day? Rest assured, there is always a gynaecologist on call! Available around the clock, he or she will quickly be by your side, as will the anaesthetist.

If required, the caesarean-section room is located next to the other delivery rooms, and the same gynaecologist and midwife team will take care of you.

Lastly, if your baby is premature or needs close observation, specific care or treatments, our Neonatal Unit is also there to provide the necessary care and support. The department is located next to the delivery rooms and a paediatrician is on hand around the clock.
Individual rooms so that you can start being a family right from the start.

For your wellbeing and that of your new-born child, we only offer individual rooms. These give the father or a person of your choice the chance to share every moment of the maternity experience.

You can embrace the opportunity and experience baby’s first days together, while learning or relearning how to care for your child in the reassuring presence of our team.

All of our rooms are nice and modern and extremely well equipped. They will provide you with all the necessary comforts. We have three types of rooms – Standard, Deluxe or Suite – each with their own advantages.

For further information, contact the Admissions Department and ask for the «A maternity ward designed for your wellbeing» leaflet.
After the birth...

If your delivery is complication-free, you will leave the hospital within 48 hours of the birth of your baby. If you have had a caesarean section, you will leave within 72 hours of your delivery.

If your baby has to stay in the Neonatal Unit, we will offer you accommodation when possible. We want to give you the opportunity to be present at all times so that you can create that bond that is so essential and reassuring for you and your baby.

The Etterbeek-Ixelles site also has an emergency paediatric department and an emergency gynaecology department. They are staffed by a paediatrician and a gynaecologist 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.

Our Paediatric Department offers consultations at all of our sites. The inpatient ward is located at the Etterbeek-Ixelles site.

Lastly, some of our midwives also carry out home visits. Contact our team for further information.

“We accompany you so that you can give birth safely while respecting your physiology.”
Dr Clotilde Lamy, Head of the Obstetric Clinic
“Providing you with comprehensive care to give your baby the best possible welcome: that’s what motivates us every day.”

Tamara Dedecker, Perinatal Midwife Coordinator

Get in touch or arrange a consultation…

Are you looking for specific information or would like to get in touch with a member of our team?

Tamara Dedecker, Perinatal Midwife Coordinator and Pascale Neirynck, Head of Mother and Child Services will be happy to hear from you.

You can contact them by email at: tdedecker@his-izz.be pneirynck@his-izz.be

To arrange an appointment with a midwife, gynaecologist, paediatrician or any other specialist, please call 02/739.85.85. Our appointment centre will be able to tell you which site is the closest to you for your consultation.

General information evenings for future parents are held every Tuesday. Four themes on childbirth are covered each month. This is an opportunity for you to get information, meet the members of our team and to share your experience with other future parents.

Visit our website to find out about the themes and how to participate. www.his-izz.be

Finally, if you would like information on the fees for your delivery and your stay in the maternity ward, please contact the Admissions Department on 02/641.48.94.
Maternity ward Hôpitaux Iris Sud

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Your maternity ward in the heart of the city

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