



Patients General Information

Stone Disease Patient Advisory Group

The Patient Advisory Group was set up in November 2009 by the BAUS Section of Endourology and consists of two surgeons (one of whom must be a member of the Section of Endourology Executive Committee) and five patient representatives.

The purpose of the group is to seek patients' views and advice on:

- the needs & requirements for information relating to stone disease
- research priorities and input into research trial design & management
- service design and improved facilities for treating stone disease



The group's first priority is to ensure that patients with a kidney stone should have readily accessible information and be able to find out the location of their nearest endourologist.

I think I might have a stone

[Click here for more information](#) about what you should do if you suspect you have kidney stones. The article gives background information, discusses how your condition will be assessed and explains how your stones may be managed.

I have some questions about my condition

[Click here to see FAQs](#) (frequently-asked questions) about stones which have been raised by patients, carers, relatives and families.

I need to find a stone surgeon

[Click here to go to the "Find A Surgeon"](#) section where you will see a list of approximately 500 surgeons who specialise in Endourology. To narrow your search down even further (e.g. by region or by hospital), select from the appropriate drop-down lists and then click the "Search Surgeons" button.