Travelling to Surgeons Hall

The Royal College of Surgeons' of Edinburgh is situated in the City Centre, approximately 10 minutes' walk from Princes Street or the Castle.

By Road

From the South: Once onto The City of Edinburgh Bypass (A720, signposted Berwick Upon Tweed, Edinburgh East and North, Leigh) travel 1.48 miles then branch left at Straiton Junction, at the roundabout take the 1st exit onto Burdiehouse Road (A701, signposted City Centre). Continue forward onto Burdiehouse Road, entering Edinburgh. At Kaimes Junction continue forward at traffic signals onto Howden Hall Road (A701, signposted City Centre). Continue forward onto Howden Hall Road, from here the route is fairly straight and you will continue through Liberton Gardens, Liberton Brae, Liberton Road, Craigmillar Park, Mayfield Gardens, Minto Street, Newington, South Clerk Street, Clerk Street, then head onto Nicolson Street where the college main gates are situated.

Signage will be in place from the front gates directing you to the relevant event.
Parking

There are metered parking spaces on Roxburgh Place, Richmond Place, and Chambers Street. (which are free after 6.30pm). There is also parking in Nicolson Square beside the Clydesdale Bank for approx £7 per day. You will find short-term pay and display spaces throughout Edinburgh city centre. There are almost 500 pay and display machines and about 5,500 parking spaces in Edinburgh.

Depending on the location, parking costs £0.70 to £1.80 an hour. Each machine displays the maximum time you can stay, and no change is given.

**Ten Hill Place Hotel:** Limited parking is available at our hotel and is available on a first come first served basis. The cost is £15 per day

**St John’s Hill NCP:** Ten Hill Place have a discount scheme with NCP at St John’s Hill. There is a validation machine located in the hotel reception. Please bring your car parking ticket before going to collect and 20% discount will be given.

**Directions are below:**

Start at Hill Place, Old Town, turn left onto Richmond Place, turn right onto West Adam Street, right onto East Adam Street, turn left onto Pleasance, turn right onto Holyrood Road and it will be the 1st on the right.
Additional Parking

Those in bold in the table below are long stay car parks nearest to the Surgeons’ Hall.

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Please visit [www.edinburgh.gov.uk](http://www.edinburgh.gov.uk) and select Transport down the left hand side of the page.
By Rail

Edinburgh Waverley Station is 10 minutes walk from the College, please exit Waverley via the Market Street opening. Take a right and then 1st left onto Cockburn Street and follow the road/hill until the top. Take a left of the top of Cockburn Street onto The Royal Mile. At the 1st set of lights, take a right onto North Bridge and continue along this route until the College is on your left on Nicolson Street, opposite the Festival Theatre. Once in the front gates, please follow the relevant signage for your event.

A taxi rank is located at platform 11 in the station. A Taxi to Surgeons’ Hall would cost around £4.00

Train times can be checked using the contact details below.

National Rail Enquiries: 08457 48 49 50
www.nationalrail.co.uk or www.thetrainline.com

By Bus

Inter-city bus services terminate at the St Andrew's Square Bus Station, situated next to the St James Centre shopping centre. Buses from Princes Street (stops on the side of the street lined by shops- [north]) are very frequent. Services passing the College include numbers 3, 5, 7, 8, 14, 30, 31 and 33. A Lothian Buses iPhone app is available to download from the iTunes app store free of charge. This app gives you up-to-date information on all of the buses that pass Surgeons’ Hall.

Lothian Regional Transport: 0131 555 6363
www.lothianbuses.co.uk

First Edinburgh: 08708 72 72 71
www.firstgroup.com

Stage Coach: 01383 621 249
www.stagecoachbus.com

National Express: 08705 80 80 80
www.nationalexpress.com

Citylink: 0870 550 5050
www.citylink.co.uk