

MEDICAL SPECIALISTS DIRECTORY



PUBLIC CLINICS - REFERRALS VIA BCH:

The below are public access clinics where *no gap fees* are charged to patients. Clients require a referral from a GP or Medical Specialist to access these services.

Preferred referral method email: Access@basscoasthealth.org.au or Fax: 03 9102 5307

General Referral Enquires to: 03 5671 3175



Speciality	Name/s		
Cardiology (Rapid Access Clinic) (ECHO Clinic)	Dr Angeline Leet Dr Peter Bergin Sonographer – Jude Gerloff	Dr Hitesh Patel Dr David Kaye	Dr Laura Selkrig Dr Stephen Duffy
General Surgery	Dr Kostas Syrrakos	Dr Naseem Mirbagheri	Dr Travis Ackermann
Brest and Endocrine Surgery	Dr Sarah Birks		
Geriatric Medicine	Dr Alvin Tay	Dr Brenton Tay	Dr Gina Tuch
Haematology	Dr George Grigoriadis	Dr Abbey Willcox	
Nephrology	Dr Jessica Ryan	Dr Liv Amos	Dr Juli Jaw
Gynaecology	Dr Jodi Keane Dr Patricia Vosdoganes	Dr Carolyn Wilde	Dr Toby Angstmann
Oncology	Dr Mark Shackleton	Dr Andrew Haydon	
Radiation Oncology	Dr Hany Elsaleh		
Obstetrics- Maternity/Birthing Clinics	Please fax referrals to Maternity on (03) 5671 3156; For booking inquiries call (03) 5671 3201		
Pre-Anaesthetic Clinic	Please fax referrals to ESAC on (03) 5671 4294 For booking inquiries call (03) 5671 3198		

STATEWIDE REFERRAL GUIDELINES

Statewide referral criteria were introduced in November 2019 (ENT, urology, vascular) and a second group early 2020 (gastroenterology, gynaecology and neurology).

The next tranche of statewide referral criteria for specialities - endocrinology, ophthalmology, cardiology, rheumatology, obstetrics and referrals to chronic pain HIP services are to be implemented from 1 May 2021. Criteria for these specialties can be found on the DHHS website: <https://src.health.vic.gov.au>. BCH are required to assess all new referrals for these specialities against the statewide referral criteria.

Patients referred to specialist clinics are assigned to a priority category based on their clinical need and related psychosocial factors. The clinician reviewing the referral will use their clinical judgement to determine the best service response for the patient. Key elements to referrals include:

- Priority – High priority is within 30 days, Routine is within 365 days
- Examination findings
- Investigation results
- Options already pursued

CURRENT SPECIALISTS

PRIVATE CLINICS - REFERRALS DIRECTLY TO PRIVATE ROOMS:

Gap Fees May Apply

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Speciality	Name/s	Phone Number	Fax Number
Endocrinology	Dr Miriam Bartlett Dr Wanling Wen	03 9725 3003	03 9725 9003
ENT	Dr Elizabeth Sigston	1300 675 467	1300 933 257
General Surgery	Dr Rado Andric	03 9569 1174	03 9569 7979
Gastroenterology	Dr David Rubinstein	03 9706 8788	03 9792 1508
Gynaecology	Dr Colin Sabau Dr Scott Pearce	03 9508 6084 03 9887 7775	03 9808 6198 03 9887 7774
Ophthalmology	Dr David Erlich Dr Ross McIntyre Dr Ahmed Hassan Dr Andrew Shaw	03 5672 4300	03 5672 4399
Urology	Dr Anita Clarke Dr Owen Niall	03 9417 6241 03 9419 8000	03 9417 3152 03 9416 3034
Orthopaedic Surgery	Dr Rodney Richardson	03 5671 3175	03 9102 5307

Community Support Services

BCH are excited to be in notations to have an Orange Door access point, and will be in touch with you shortly with the details of this. In the meantime, BCH family services are through referrals via The Orange Door on 1800 319 354

Other BCH Community Support Services can be accessed through email to Access@basscoasthealth.org.au
Fax: 03 9102 5307 or Phone: 03 5671 3175 for the following services:

- Counselling Services
- Health Independence Program
- Hospital Re-admission Risk Program (HARP)
- Post Acute Care (PAC)

Alcohol and other Drugs Services

Referrals via Australian Community Support Organisation (ACSO): 1300 022 760

Best Start - contact 0490 285 871

Family Day Care - contact 5671 3301 or familydaycare@basscoasthealth.org.au

School Focused Youth Service - contact 0409 859 757

Supported Playgroups - contact 0427 729 695