Hospital in The Home Information guide for patients

What is Hospital in The Home?

Hospital in the Home or HiTH is a joint initiative between your treating Sydney Local Health District Hospital and Sydney District Nursing to provide you with acute care treatment either at community based Sydney District Nursing clinics, your home or at the HiTH clinics.

Patients admitted to the HiTH service **remain inpatients** of the treating hospital under the care of the HiTH Medical Specialist.

There are **no additional costs** when you are treated by the HiTH team.

How does the service work?

Your GP or your treating doctor will recommend the HiTH service for you. An appointment will then be made for you at the HiTH hospital clinic appropriate for you. On your first visit please bring your Medicare Card and discharge or referral letter with you.

On your first visit you will be assessed by the HiTH Medical Doctor who will discuss your treatment options with you.

The medications required for your treatment will be provided by the hospital pharmacy.

Your GP will continue to write scripts for your regular medications and will be notified of your admission to HiTH.



If your treatment is being provided by Sydney District Nursing

- You will be given contact numbers to use if you have any questions about your care
- Sydney District Nursing is your first point of contact and are available 7 days a week 8am to 4:30pm
- If you are also being seen by our evening service we can be contacted up to 9pm and you will be given the appropriate contact details.



If you are unable to contact your treating team please attend your closest Emergency Department or phone the emergency number 000 for an ambulance.





Your specific care plan:			
Your local HiTH is:			
Royal Prince Alfred, Hospital in The Home Clinic		Canterbury, Hospital in The Home Clinic	
Monday to Friday, 8am to 4pm	02 9562 5609	Monday to Friday, 8am to 4pm	02 9153 2426

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After hours switch board	02 9515 6111	After hours switch board	02 9153 2000
Ground floor		Ground floor	
Charles Perkins Centre		Outpatient Department	
Johns Hopkins Drive, Camperdown		Thorncraft Parade, Campsie	
Concord, Hospital in The Home Clinic		Balmain, Hospital in The Home Clinic	
Concord, Hospital in The Home Clinic Monday to Friday, 8am to 4pm	02 9767 8400	Balmain, Hospital in The Home Clinic Daily, 8:30am to 10pm	02 9395 2317
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Hospital Road, Concord

Booth Street, Balmain