Referring into the Royal Hospital for Women

Antenatal Service

Antenatal Clinician information

The Royal Hospital for Women (RHW) has noted some confusion when GP’s have been completing the selection of clinicians for RHW Antenatal Outpatient Service via e-referrals. To streamline and assist you with this process, RHW would like to provide a list below of all clinicians as they appear in the e-referral dropdown in HealthLink (in the order they appear for you as the referrer), along with their respective speciality at RHW:

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| Dr Madeleine Sheppard | Postnatal - Obstetrical Anal Sphincter Injuries Service (OASIS) |
| Dr Alex Owen | Staff Specialist Obstetrician |
| Dr Sarah Lyons | Staff Specialist Obstetrician/ Pre-term Birth |
| Dr Antonia Shand | Maternal Fetal Medicine/High Risk Pregnancy |
| Dr Andrew Bisits | Director of Obstetrics |
| Dr Louise Fay | Antenatal Shared Care (ANSC) Obstetrician |
| Dr Willem Gheysen | Maternal Fetal Medicine/High Risk Pregnancy |
| Dr Wendy Hawke | Staff Specialist Obstetrician |
| Professor Sandra Lowe | Obstetric Medicine |
| Dr Giselle Kidson-Gerber | Haematologist |
| Dr Helen Barrett | Obstetric Medicine |
| Dr Amanda Beech | Obstetric Medicine |
| Dr Sarah Livingstone | Staff Specialist Obstetrician |
| Dr Stephen Coogan | Antenatal Shared Care (ANSC) Obstetrician |
| Specialist – unnamed referral | Please do NOT use this going forward if aware of sub-speciality requirement for your antenatal patient. |

When referring women for ANSC pregnancy care at RHW, patients are typically assigned either to:

* Dr. Louise Fay
* Dr. Stephen Coogan

If the patient prefers MGP and there is available capacity, please continue to refer to either ANSC obstetrician. Once the referral is received, RHW will assign an appropriate MGP obstetrician internally.

We thank you for your ongoing engagement with the eReferral process. Your commitment to using this system plays a vital role in enhancing communication, streamlining patient care, and improving overall service delivery. Your support is appreciated, and we look forward to continuing to work together to provide timely, coordinated care for our antenatal patients.

For further enquires surrounding eReferrals please reach out to the RHW ANSC Liaison Midwives:

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