

Practice update

Mater Queensland eConsultant provides Specialist advice to GPs within 3 business days, supporting continuity of care and avoiding the need for out-patient attendance.

What is Mater Queensland eConsultant?

Mater Queensland eConsultant provides specialist advice within three business days and is free for private and public patients.

The service provides a documented record of the eConsultant advice for both the GP and Mater. Scan the QR code to learn more.



How to access the service

The service uses the Consultmed digital platform and is asynchronous. GPs will receive feedback from the Mater Queensland eConsultant team within 3 business days.

Mater Queensland eConsultant is easily accessed via Consultmed. Requests for advice are auto populated from Best Practice and Medical Director with access via a portal for those with other practice software.

Log on to www.consultmed.co and set up a free account.

Meet your Mater Queensland eConsultants

Cardiology - Dr Alex Dashwood
Dermatology - A/Prof Jim Muir
Endocrinology - Prof David McIntyre and Dr Julian Pavey
Geriatric Medicine - Dr Paul Varghese
Haematology - Dr Heshani Mediwake, Dr Naadir Gutta and Dr Jenny Wang
Immunology - Dr Daman Langguth
Infectious Diseases - Dr Jill Parkes-Smith
Nephrology - Dr Vishwas Raghunath
Neurology - Dr Andrew Swayne and Dr Reuben Beer
Obstetric Medicine/ Medical Complications of Pregnancy - Prof David McIntyre, Dr Jill Parkes-Smith, Dr Julian Pavey and Dr Vishwas Raghunath
Paediatric Dermatology - Dr Asoka Herat
Respiratory & Sleep Medicine - Dr Olivia Dixon

Are there other specialties that you would use an eConsultant for? You can let us know by completing the GP close out survey when using Mater Queensland eConsultant or for any further information email econsultant@mater.org.au

Obstetric Medicine/Medical Complications of Pregnancy

Obstetric Medicine advice is available as part of the Mater Queensland e consultant program. Obstetric Medicine, also termed "Medical Complications of Pregnancy" deals with chronic medical conditions affecting women of childbearing potential as well as specific medical complications which arise during pregnancy (e.g. hypertensive disorders of pregnancy and gestational diabetes).

Questions regarding general antenatal care (e.g. Rhesus disease, common infections and vaccinations, routine antenatal testing, prevention of (preeclampsia) should be directed to the clinician(s) caring for the woman during her pregnancy.

Some relatively simple questions regarding Preconception care may be suitable for an e consult, but complex / multiple medical problems in preconception care will almost always require face to face clinical review.