

PATIENT ELIGIBILITY

Who is eligible to be referred to providers under PAHS?

- ✓ Health Care Card Holders
- ✓ Pensioners or
- ✓ Patients on a **LOW** income who would not otherwise be able to access a local service

If patient doesn't satisfy one of these criteria, please refer using MBS or a private referral.

Who should NOT be referred to providers under PAHS?

- x Patients who can afford to pay for a private service
- x Patients with Private Health Cover
- x In-patients
- x Residents living in Aged Care Facilities
- x Workers Compensation or Third Party cases
- x Department of Veterans Affairs patients (DVA)

HOW TO REFER

- All patients must have a PRIORITY ALLIED HEALTH SERVICES referral form (current version) and satisfy the eligibility criteria. Self-referrals can be accepted. Please complete all sections.
- Allied Health Professionals (AHPs) and practice nurses are able to refer patients to appropriate PAHS services. The patient's regular GP must be notified and included in correspondence between AHPs.
- Patients are eligible for only one PRIORITY ALLIED HEALTH SERVICES referral, per Allied Health Service, in a 12-month period, except in extenuating circumstances.

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

- Health Care Card Holder Pension Card Holder Low income as discussed with GP

PATIENT DETAILS

- ATSI Not ATSI **Referral Date:** ____/____/____

Name _____ Date of Birth ____/____/____ Age _____

Address _____ Phone _____

Reason for referral: (Tick service below) _____

Referring GP/AHP Name _____ Referring GP/AHP Signature _____

Medical Practice Name _____

MEDICAL HISTORY

- Diabetic-not requiring insulin Diabetic-requiring insulin CHD COPD Arthritis Other _____

Medications _____ Allergies _____

PATIENT CONSENT *(must be signed at time of referral)*

I understand that personal information regarding the reason for my referral may be shared with other care providers such as HealthWISE and their Allied Health providers. Any information held is strictly confidential and I give permission for these health professionals to access this information solely for the purpose of this referral.

Patient signature _____ Date ____/____/____

PRIORITY ALLIED HEALTH REFERRAL FORM

(Western) Priority Allied Health Services Program (PAHS) - Updated 14March2018

Patient Name: _____

TO MAKE AN APPOINTMENT

PATIENTS NEED TO CONTACT THE PROVIDER TO BOOK THEIR APPOINTMENTS.

PATIENTS SHOULD NOTIFY THE PROVIDER THAT THEY HAVE A PAHS/HealthWISE REFERRAL FORM.

- This referral will cover the actual session cost. There is no direct cost to the patient.
- Patients are eligible to receive up to 6 sessions per PAHS referral – Number determined by treatment plan.
- Any additional materials or items provided will be at the patient's own expense, unless otherwise arranged.

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<input type="checkbox"/>	Dietetics –	Phoebe Nelson, HealthWISE	Phone 6752 7196 or Fax 6752 6616
<input type="checkbox"/>	Exercise Physiology –	ReHealth	Phone 0427 050 485 or Fax 6752 6044
<input type="checkbox"/>	Podiatry –	Tamworth Podiatry Centre	Phone 6766 3314 no fax
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<input type="checkbox"/>	Dietetics –	Phoebe Nelson, HealthWISE	Phone 6752 7196 or Fax 6752 6616
<input type="checkbox"/>	Exercise Physiology –	ReHealth	Phone 0427 050 485 or Fax 6752 6044
<input type="checkbox"/>	Occupational Therapy –	Safety in Focus	Phone 6792 2342 or Fax 6792 5504
<input type="checkbox"/>	Podiatry-	Sole Solution Footcare	Phone 6721 4466 or Fax 6721 4477 – Appointments in Inverell
BOGGABRI			
<input type="checkbox"/>	Exercise Physiology –	RuralFit	Phone 6765 9866 or Fax 6700 0601
<input type="checkbox"/>	Occupational Therapy –	Jodie Maunder	Phone 0457 434 519 no fax
<input type="checkbox"/>	Physiotherapy –	Bernadette McEvoy Physiotherapy	Phone 0427 424 462 no fax
<input type="checkbox"/>	Podiatry	PK Podiatry	Phone 6742 4268 or Fax 6742 2096
<input type="checkbox"/>	Speech Pathology –	Rany Chou, HealthWISE	Phone 6792 5514 or Fax 6792 5518
BOOMI			
<input type="checkbox"/>	Occupational Therapy-	Ruth Hickson	Phone 0448 719 798 or email otrhickosn@gmail.com
GUNNEDAH			
<input type="checkbox"/>	Dietetics –	Anne Segboer	Phone 0478 770 269 or Fax 6742 7532
<input type="checkbox"/>	Exercise Physiology –	Rural Fit	Phone 6765 9866 or Fax 6700 0601
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<input type="checkbox"/>	Speech Pathology –	Kylie Toynton	Phone 6842 9136 or languageforlife@ipstarmail.com.au
MOREE			
<input type="checkbox"/>	Dietetics –	Phoebe Nelson, HealthWISE	Phone 6752 7196 or Fax 6752 6616
<input type="checkbox"/>	Exercise Physiology –	ReHealth	Phone 0427 050 485 or Fax 6752 6044
<input type="checkbox"/>	Occupational Therapy –	Alex Downes	Phone 0429 394 431 or alexdownes.ot@gmail.com
<input type="checkbox"/>	Podiatry –	Lucy Shorter	Phone 0481 350 839 or Fax 6752 4561
MUNGINDI			
<input type="checkbox"/>	Exercise Physiology –	ReHealth	Phone 0427 050 485 or Fax 6752 6044
<input type="checkbox"/>	Occupational Therapy –	Ruth Hickson	Phone 0448 719 798 or email otrhickson@gmail.com
<input type="checkbox"/>	Podiatry –	Lucy Shorter	Booking through Shellie Phone 6705 6158
NARRABRI			
<input type="checkbox"/>	Dietetics –	Phoebe Nelson, HealthWISE	Phone 6752 7196 or Fax 6752 6616
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<input type="checkbox"/>	Occupational Therapy –	Safety in Focus	Phone 6792 2342 or Fax 6792 5504
<input type="checkbox"/>	Physiotherapy –	Narrabri Physiotherapy	Phone 6792 4085 or Fax 6792 4064
<input type="checkbox"/>	Podiatry –	Helen Madden	Phone 6792 6084 or Fax 6792 5667
<input type="checkbox"/>	Speech Pathology –	Rany Chou, HealthWISE	Phone 6766 1394 or Fax 6766 1372
WARIALDA			
<input type="checkbox"/>	Dietetics –	Phoebe Nelson, HealthWISE	Phone 6752 7196 or Fax 6752 6616
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<input type="checkbox"/>	Physiotherapy –	Narrabri Physiotherapy	Phone 6792 4085 or Fax 6792 4064
<input type="checkbox"/>	Podiatry –	Genevieve Graaf Podiatry	Phone 6795 4969 no fax
<input type="checkbox"/>	Speech Pathology –	Anna Haire, HealthWISE	Phone 6792 5514 or Fax 6792 5518