

Specialist Guide for GPs

Mater Private Hospital Rockhampton has been supporting the health and wellbeing of the local community for more than a century. We continue to deliver personalised healthcare of the highest standards, providing exceptional care.

About us

Mater Private Hospital Rockhampton has continuously and consistently supported the health of people living in and around Rockhampton since 1915.

Over a hundred years on, we now boast 134 beds and access to high level services and clinical expertise across multiple specialties and disciplines.

The experience and dedication of our people cement our ability to offer flexible, comprehensive, high-quality care to, and within, our community.

Our services

Our range of core services and facilities combine to offer outstanding clinical care:

- Emergency Care Centre
- Five operating theatres
- Endoscopy
- Cardiac Catheter Lab
- Coronary/High Dependency Care unit
- Mothers and babies
- Special Care Nursery
- Paediatrics
- Cancer Services
- Day surgery
- Rehabilitation Unit
- Sleep Disorders Unit.

Refer a patient

To refer a patient to Mater Private Hospital Rockhampton, please send a private referral to one of our admitting private specialists.



Our specialists

Name and specialty	Interests and experience	Phone	Fax
Cardiology			
Dr Syed Atique	Cardiology	07 4931 3555	07 4931 3360
Dr Debora Garcia	Cardiology	07 4931 3555	07 4931 3360
Gastroenterology and Hepatology			
Dr Kavin Nanda	Inflammatory bowel disease, pancreaticobiliary diseases, liver disease, functional disorders of the gut, colorectal cancer screening, mucosal resection, obesity management, nutrition to support coeliac disease diagnosis, ERCP and EUS	07 3554 0282	07 3539 9811
General Surgery			
Dr Nicholas Palmer	Laparoscopic cholecystectomy and hernia repair, colonoscopy, gastroscopy, gastrointestinal surgery (i.e. cancers and perianal conditions), varicose veins, skin cancer including plastic reconstruction, paediatric conditions (i.e. hernia repair, hydrocoeles and circumcisions), vasectomy, breast disease and breast cancer surgery, thyroid and parathyroid surgery, management of melanoma disease	07 4923 7600	07 4923 7003
Dr Andrew Russell	Laparoscopic sleeve gastrectomy, advanced laparoscopic surgery, upper and lower gastrointestinal surgery endoscopy, upper gastrointestinal and pancreatic surgery	07 4922 8423	07 4922 8341
Geriatric Medicine			
Dr Dhiraj Saini	General physician, geriatrician, internal medicine, falls assessment, delirium, dementia	07 4931 3571	07 4931 3489
Haematology			
Dr Rajesh Mamadigi	Diagnosis and management of malignant and non-malignant haematologic diseases including myeloma, lymphoma, leukaemia, myeloproliferative disorders, myelodysplastic syndromes, blood cell and thrombotic disorders	07 4931 3156	07 4927 4666
Dr Stephen Fanning	Leukaemia, myelodysplasia, lymphoma, Hodgkin's disease	07 3737 4734	07 3737 4701
Dr Robert Hensen	General, consultative and haemato-oncology	07 3737 4500	07 3737 4601
Medical Oncology			
Dr Matthew Burge	Oncology, gastrointestinal malignancies	07 4931 3487	07 4931 3262
Dr Suhakar Vemula	Clinical interest in oncology across multiple solid tumour streams	07 4931 3487	07 4931 3262
Dr David Wyld	Medical Oncology	07 4931 3487	07 4931 3262
Neurosurgery			
Dr Martin Wood	Spinal surgery, complex tumour surgery including base of skull, surgery for trigeminal neuralgia and hemifacial spasm, the treatment of hydrocephalus and surgery for epilepsy, acoustic neuroma and meningioma and endoscopy	07 3163 3600	07 3163 3601
Dr Jason McMillen	Cerebrovascular surgery, paediatric neurosurgery, adult cranial and spinal neurosurgery including minimally invasive spinal surgery and neuro-oncology	07 3163 3600	07 3163 3601
Obstetrics and Gynaecology			
Dr Tanya Davenport	General gynaecology, colposcopy and vaginal surgery, first-time mothers, twins, high-risk pregnancy	07 4931 8730	07 4931 8731
Dr Ian Etherington	Generalist obstetrician and gynaecologist, colposcopy and cervical pathology, fractionated laser treatment in women's health	07 4931 3550	07 4931 3553
Dr Akash Roopnarinesingh	Obstetrics, antenatal care, ultrasounds, low risk and high-risk pregnancy, caesarean delivery, post-natal care	07 4931 3556	07 4931 3554
A/Prof David Shaker	Obstetrics, Gynaecology, Urogynaecology and advanced laparotomic surgery	07 4921 0013	07 4921 0037
Ophthalmology			
Dr Andre Horak	Ophthalmologist, medical and surgical vitreoretinal disease, macular degeneration, vitreoretinal surgical problems	07 4942 6444	07 4942 6777
Dr Kate Hogden	Comprehensive ophthalmology, with interests in glaucoma and cataract surgery	07 4927 4222	07 4931 3573
Dr Thomas Moloney	Retinal and macular disease and vitreoretinal surgery	07 3831 8606	07 3831 4304
Dr Anil Sharma	Cataract surgery, retinal diseases and surgery, I-stent surgery for glaucoma, glaucoma management, pterygium removal, intra-ocular injections, YAG, SLT and retinal laser procedures	07 4927 4222	07 4931 3573
Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery			
Dr Kemal Akbiyik	Facial trauma, reconstructive surgery, bone grafting, dental extractions, dental implants, oral pathology, orthodontic extractions and exposures	07 3369 1999	07 3369 4111
Dr Nicholas Beech	Facial trauma, orthognathic/jaw surgery, wisdom teeth, dental implants	07 4922 9266	07 5437 8988
Dr Ian Young	Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery	07 4922 9266	07 5437 8988

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Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery			
Dr Malcolm Linsell	Plastic and reconstructive surgeon, primary expertise cosmetic and skin cancer surgery	1300 227 221	07 4922 7111
Orthopaedic Surgery			
Dr Kieran Hirpara	shoulder, elbow, wrist and hand procedures including surgeries, arthroscopy, joint replacements and microvascular surgery	07 4931 3530	07 4931 3531
Dr Willem Pretorius	Adult reconstruction, sports medicine, shoulder surgery, foot and ankle surgery, patients with complex conditions involving the musculoskeletal system, anterior hip surgery	07 4819 9600	07 4819 9602
Dr Matt Rau	Upper limb and knee, joint replacements, arthroscopic surgery, and sports injuries.	07 4931 3538	07 4931 3528
Dr Adriaan Smith	Orthopaedic surgery, hip replacement, knee replacement, shoulder surgery, arthroscopic knee surgery, hand surgery	07 4931 3483	07 4931 3488
Dr Michael South	Knee replacement, ACL reconstruction and meniscus repair, hip replacement, carpal tunnel decompression, medico-legal assessment and reporting	07 4922 7220	07 4922 7211
Dr David Wheatley	Hip, knee, foot and ankle, sports surgery of the lower limb, trauma	07 4922 7220	07 4922 7211
Otolaryngology (ENT)			
Dr Evan Matthews	Otolaryngology (head and neck surgery), paediatric otolaryngology, thyroid and parotid gland surgery, rhinology, Indigenous Ear Disease	07 4922 2690	07 4922 6934
Paediatrics			
Mater Paediatric Clinic	General Paediatrics and neonatology	07 4931 3557	07 4931 3594
Dr Leonie Gray	General paediatrics and neonatology with interest in insulin dependent diabetes mellitus, neurology, and telepaediatrics	07 4921 4079	07 4921 4086
Dr Vijay Challa	General paediatrics and neonatology with special interest in child behaviours and mental health problems.	07 49 214 079	07 4921 4086
Pain Medicine			
Dr Ramsay Jabbour	Management of spinal pain, persistent post-surgical pain, neuropathic pain, CRPS and musculoskeletal overuse injuries	07 3391 7111	07 3112 6885
General Medicine			
A/Prof Thin Han	General Medicine and nephrology	07 4926 7137	07 4819 1554
Dr Mark Hendricks	Hypertension, diabetes, immunology, connective tissue disorders and allergology (asthma).	07 4931 3565	07 4931 3585
Dr Vikash Ashokumar	General Medicine	07 4931 3195	07 4931 3197
Rehabilitation Medicine			
Dr Ganesh Gnanasekaran	Cardio-pulmonary, parkinsonism, stroke, cognitive impairment, orthopaedic injury/joint replacements, deconditioning and traumatic brain injury and spinal injury, rehabilitation medicine	07 4931 3370	07 4931 3364
Respiratory and Sleep Medicine			
Dr Sudhakar Koduri	General medicine, respiratory medicine, sleep medicine	07 4931 3156	07 4927 4666
Urology			
Dr Antonio Vega Vega	Prostate, uro-oncology, renal stone disease, andrology and erectile dysfunction, incontinence, female urology and endourology, one stage services, paediatric urology	07 4931 3324	07 4931 3360
Dr Kenneth P'Ng	Urological surgery, general adult urology	07 4927 2866	07 4927 2765
Dr Peter Heathcote	Cancer of the prostate, bladder and stone diseases	07 4922 588	07 3830 3399
Dr Alexander Yeates	Minimally invasive surgery, kidney cancer, prostate cancer, bladder cancer, kidney stones, enlarged prostate, voiding difficulties	07 4931 3417	07 4931 3418
Dr Gregory Malone	Urological oncology, stones, laparoscopy, severe erectile dysfunction, and male voiding dysfunction, erection restoration surgery, post-radical prostatectomy urinary incontinence	07 3830 3330	07 3830 3399
Vascular Surgery			
Dr Andrew Cartmill	Vascular and endovascular surgery, with clinical interest in minimally invasive surgery for the treatment of aortic disease, peripheral vascular disease, carotid artery stenosis, varicose veins and renal access.	07 3834 3375	07 3834 3376

Mater hospitals have played a key role in the provision of healthcare in Queensland since 1906.

Across the state, as Queensland's largest not-for-profit healthcare provider, we work with leading private specialists and highly skilled clinical and support staff, to deliver healthcare that supports local community needs.

Our location

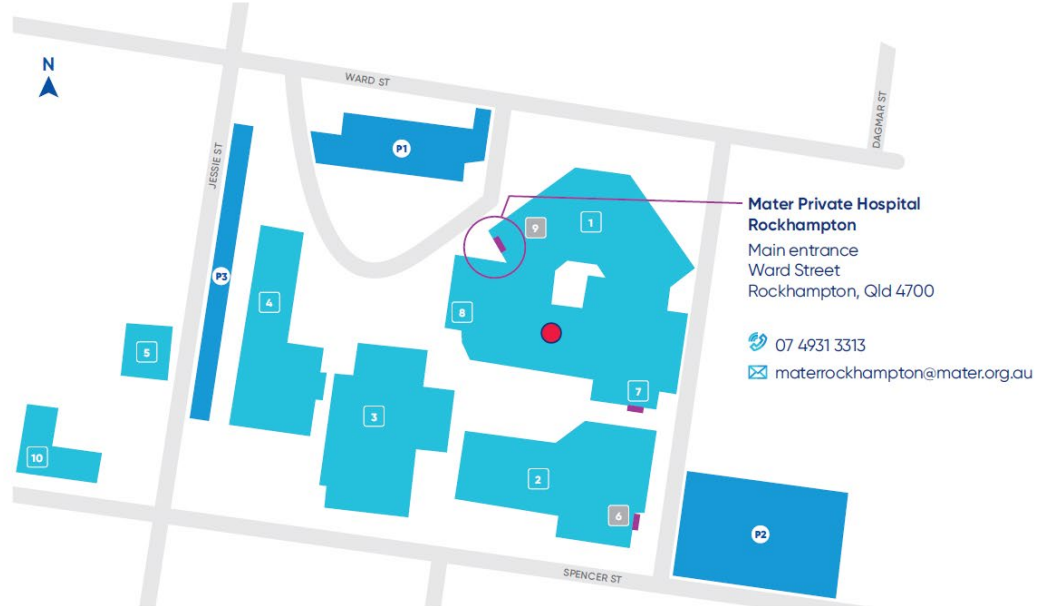
Mater Private Hospital Rockhampton
 Ward Street
 Rockhampton QLD 4700

Buildings

- 1 Catherine McAuley Building
• Mater Mothers' Private Rockhampton
- 2 Mercy Boyan Building
- 3 Kenmore Building
- 4 Mater Medical Centre
- 5 Mater Specialists Outpatient Centre
- 6 I-Med
- 7 Oncology
- 8 Ambulance Bay
- 9 Pharmacy
- 10 Mater Patient Accommodation

Key

-  Main entrance
-  Ward Street Car Park
-  Spencer Street Car Park
-  Jessie Street Car Park
-  Private Emergency Care Centre



Need urgent care?

Choose Mater Emergency

7am - 11pm 365 days a year

We specialise in:

- Sporting injuries
- Slip, trip and fall injuries
- Chest pain
- Heart attacks
- Strokes
- Burns
- Allergic reactions
- Respiratory problems
- Eye injuries
- Pregnancy complications
- Fevers
- Unwell children

Minimal wait time. No appointment or referral needed.