SEMPHN OCP Melanoma Pathways Referral Service Information

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Disclaimer
### Alfred Hospital – Victorian Melanoma Clinic: Acute & Non-Acute Dermatology Referrals. Melbourne, City of Melbourne

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<th>Specialist Consulting Clinics, The Alfred Centre, Level 1</th>
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<td><strong>Inclusion criteria:</strong></td>
<td>Facility Name:</td>
<td>Alfred Hospital</td>
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<td>Biopsy proven melanoma (primary or</td>
<td>Street Address:</td>
<td>99 Commercial Rd</td>
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<td>metastatic)</td>
<td>Town:</td>
<td>Melbourne</td>
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<td><strong>Exclusion criteria:</strong></td>
<td>Postcode:</td>
<td>3004</td>
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<td>Routine skin checks are only provided for high risk patients e.g. immunosuppression</td>
<td>State:</td>
<td>VIC</td>
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### Pre-referral guidelines

**Melanoma Referral Guidelines**

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<td><strong>Fax:</strong> (03) 9076 5799 For urgent referrals, also contact the Melanoma Clinic Coordinator on (03) 9076 0365. Referral Form <a href="#">Melanoma Clinic Referral Form</a> GP referrals accepted. <strong>Phone:</strong> (03) 9076 0365 or (03) 9076 0523 during Clinic hours (Wednesday mornings)</td>
<td>Melanoma Clinic weekly on a Wednesday 8am-12pm (except public holidays) Melanoma Follow Up Clinic fortnightly on a Wednesday from 2.00-5.00pm (except public holidays)</td>
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### Information for referrer

**Urgent clinical advice:** Patients requiring immediate assessment should be sent to the Emergency & Trauma Centre. Urgent cases must be discussed with the Melanoma Clinic Coordinator on (03) 9076 0365 to obtain appropriate prioritisation and a referral letter faxed to (03) 9076 5799.

**Referral advice:** Patients with urgent conditions are scheduled to be seen within 30 days. Patients with routine conditions are given the next available appointment according to clinical need.

**Administrative advice:** To ensure appropriate and timely triage, include all demographic and clinical details as well as relevant investigation results. Please include high quality images or dermoscopy if available with your referral.

**Director/Head of Unit:** A/Prof Victoria Mar

**Waiting time:** The referral is triaged by the specialist unit according to clinical urgency, which will dictate the waiting time.
# Moorabbin Hospital - Peter MacCallum Medical Centre (PMCC:) Acute & Non-Acute Melanoma Referrals. Moorabbin, Glen Eira

## Additional service-specific criteria

### Inclusion criteria:

### Exclusion criteria:

Doesn't offer routine examinations in otherwise well patients.

### Pre-referral guidelines

**PMCC Moorabbin Melanoma & Skin Referral Guidelines**

## Referral options

**Fax:** (03) 8559 7371  
**Referral Form**  Download and install an auto-populating referral template for Medical Director, Best Practice or ZedMed available at [https://www.petermac.org/referrals](https://www.petermac.org/referrals), or email referrals@petermac.org, addressed to a named clinician. Or complete the standard referral form **PMCC Generic Referral Form**, print, sign and fax to (03) 8559 7371 or email referrals@petermac.org, addressed to a named clinician.  
**Email:** referrals@petermac.org.au  
**Phone:** (03) 9928 8901 or (03) 8559 5020 for appointment enquiries.

## Service Address

- **Ground level, Moorabbin Hospital**
- **Facility Name:** Monash Cancer Centre
- **Street Address:** 823-865 Centre Rd
- **Town:** East Bentleigh
- **Postcode:** 3165
- **State:** VIC

## Clinics

- **See and Treat Clinic:** (03) 8559 6209  
  - Monday (morning and afternoon)  
  - Tuesday (Morning)  
  - Thursday (morning and afternoon)  
  - Friday (Afternoon)
- **Melanoma Clinic:**  
  - Thursday (Afternoon)  
  - Friday (Morning)
- **Skin Clinic:**  
  - Tuesday (Morning)  
  - Thursday (Afternoon)

## Information for referrer

**Urgent clinical advice:** Click or tap here to enter text.  
**Referral advice:** Referrals should be made to PMCC Parkville in the first instance.  
**Administrative advice:** Refer to ‘All Services’ on the referral form if specific services are unknown. All referrals will be triaged within 48-72 hours.

**Director/Head of Unit:** Professor Michael Henderson

**Waiting time:** Click or tap here to enter text.
Monash Health – Monash Medical Centre Clayton: Dermatology Clinic. Clayton, Monash

Additional service-specific criteria

**Inclusion criteria:**
- Histologically confirmed melanoma requiring a re-excision
- Suspicious lesions which are not easy to excise

**Exclusion criteria:**
- Click or tap here to enter text.

**Pre-referral guidelines**
Monash Health Dermatology Referral Guidelines

Service Address: Click or tap here to enter text.
Facility Name: Monash Medical Centre
Street Address: 246 Clayton Rd
Town: Clayton
Postcode: 3168
State: VIC

Fax: (03) 9594 2273 (central intake)
Email: Click or tap here to enter text.
Website: Monash Health Dermatology Clinic
Phone: 1300 342 273 (central intake) or (03) 9594-6666 (switchboard)

**Referral options**

Fax: (03) 9594 2273 (central intake)

**Referral Form** The GP Referral Template is the preferred referral tool (previously known as the Victorian Statewide Referral Form) - GP Referral Form

Email: Click or tap here to enter text. [**only provide if email is secure**]
Phone: 1300 342 273 (central intake) or (03) 9594-6666 (switchboard)

**Information for referrer**

**Urgent clinical advice:** Phone the Emergency Department on-call physician to discuss. Follow up the phone call by faxing a referral to the relevant hospital and inform the patient to take a copy of the referral and any medications to the hospital.

**Referral advice:** All referrals received by Monash Health are triaged by clinicians to determine urgency of referral.

**Administrative advice:** Referrals should be addressed to the Head of Unit Dr Adrian Mar. The referral should indicate that it is valid for an indefinite period.

**Director/Head of Unit:** Adrian Mar

**Waiting time:** Patients assessed as having an urgent need are offered an appointment within 30 days as assessed by the clinician.
Patients assessed as having a non-urgent need for appointments in clinics where there is no waiting list, are offered an appointment within 4 months on a ‘treat in turn’ basis.
Patients assessed as having a non-urgent need for appointments in clinics that have a waiting list, referrers and patients will be notified of the expected wait times.
Where the wait time does not meet patient needs, alternative service providers can be found by searching the National Health Services Directory at National Health Service Directory
Monash Health – Dandenong Hospital: Plastic Surgery Clinic.
Dandenong, City of Dandenong

Additional service-specific criteria

**Inclusion criteria:**
Melanoma confirmed or suspected

**Exclusion criteria:**
Click or tap here to enter text.

**Pre-referral guidelines**
Monash Health Plastic Surgery Referral Guidelines

**Service Address:** 135 David St Dandenong
**Facility Name:** Dandenong Hospital
**Street Address:** 135 David St
**Town:** Dandenong
**Postcode:** 3175
**State:** VIC

**Fax:** (03) 9594 2273 (central intake)
**Email:** DHSC_PLASTICS@monashhealth.org, outpatient_enquiries@monashhealth.org (not secure)
**Website:** Monash Health Plastic Surgery Clinic
**Phone:** 1300 342 273 (central intake) or (03) 9594-6666 (switchboard for discussion of complex or urgent referrals with the on-call registrar)

**Referral options**
**Fax:** (03) 9594 2273 (central intake)
**Referral Form** The GP Referral Template is the preferred referral tool (previously known as the Victorian Statewide Referral Form) - [GP Referral Form](#)
**Email:** DHSC_PLASTICS@monashhealth.org, outpatient_enquiries@monashhealth.org (not secure)
**Phone:** 1300 342 273 (central intake) or (03) 9594 6666 (switchboard for discussion of complex or urgent referrals with the on-call registrar)

**Clinics:** Outpatient Plastic Surgery Clinics for adult patients are only available at Dandenong Hospital. However, referrals are directed via Monash Medical Centre.

**Information for referrer**
**Urgent clinical advice:** Patients requiring immediate assessment should be sent to the Emergency Department. For urgent clinical advice phone switchboard on (03) 9594 6666 and ask to speak with the Plastics Registrar.
**Referral advice:** For referral advice phone Outpatients on 1300 342 273
**Administrative advice:** For general enquires phone 1300 342 273. Address referrals to A/Prof Michael Leung

**Director/Head of Unit:** A/Prof Michael Leung
**Waiting time:** Information not available.
Additional service-specific criteria

**Inclusion criteria:**

Biopsy proven malignant Melanoma

**Exclusion criteria:**

Suspicion only of Melanoma

**Pre-referral guidelines**

Peninsula Health Plastic Surgery Referral Guidelines

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**Referral options**

**Fax:** (03) 9788 1879

**Referral Form**

The GP Referral Template located within the Mastercare Referralnet system is the preferred referral tool. New referrals may also be made directly to the rooms of Plastic Surgeons affiliated with Frankston Hospital (see Specialist Directory) who will then place the patient directly on the public surgical waiting list at Frankston Hospital if surgery is required.

**Phone:** (03) 9784 2600

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**Clinics:**

The Plastic Surgery Outpatient Clinic operates on a Monday AM, Tuesday PM, Wednesday PM & Thursday AM

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**Information for referrer**

**Urgent clinical advice:** Phone the Plastics Registrar on-call via Switchboard: (03) 97847777

**Referral advice:** Clinical Enquiries Acute Outpatients (for GPs only) phone: (03) 9788 1432 8.30 am-5.00 pm Mon-Fri

**Administrative advice:** Referrals are required before appointments can be made. Electronic referrals are preferred. General Outpatient Enquiries: (03) 9784 2600

**Director/Head of Unit:** Dr Patricia Terrill

**Waiting time:** Within 2-4 weeks