

Mater Private After Hours Service

Can all GPs who receive reminders for the Mater After Hours Service during the Christmas period please promptly fax them back to the Division by 11 December 2009 on 4953 4681.

New Dietician

BRHS is pleased to announce that a new dietician – Imogen Randall will be starting 17 December 2009. For more information about fees or to make a booking, please call BRHS on 4942 0311.

New Physiotherapist

BRHS is pleased to announce that a new physiotherapist – Liz Elliot will be starting 18 January 2010. For more information about fees or to make a booking, please call BRHS on 4942 0311.

Podiatry in Sarina and Proserpine

BRHS podiatrist will be visiting Sarina every Wednesday. The podiatrist will be in Proserpine on the 17 December 2009. The podiatrist is available for custom-made foot orthotics and pressure relief insoles. For more information or to make a booking, please call BRHS on 4942 0311.

Occupational Therapist

BRHS occupational therapist is available for Workcover appointments and ergonomic assessments. For more information about fees or to make a booking, please call BRHS on 4942 0311.

MDGP Christmas Closure

We would like to advise that MDGP (including BRHS) will be closed for the Christmas period from close of business on the 18 December 2009 and will reopen on 4 January 2010.

Reminder – Patients with Mental Health Problems

This is a reminder that patients referred to see a Division Psychologist should have a mild to moderate mental health problem. Patients with a more severe condition, who are not acutely unwell, can be referred to the Division's GP Mental Health Nurses. Patients, that you are concerned may be at risk of self-harm, should be referred directly to the Base Hospital or, if appropriate, to a GP Mental Health Nurse. The waiting list for Psychologists is often two weeks.

Certificate in Sexual and Reproductive Health

Family Planning Queensland is holding a 6 day workshop that aims to expand the knowledge of sexual health and contraceptive techniques. For more information or to register please visit www.fpq.com.au/training or call 07 3250 0240.

Visiting Specialists

Dr P Bastian – Geriatrician	14 December 2009	For booking please contact the Pioneer Valley Hospital. Phone - 4942 1144
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