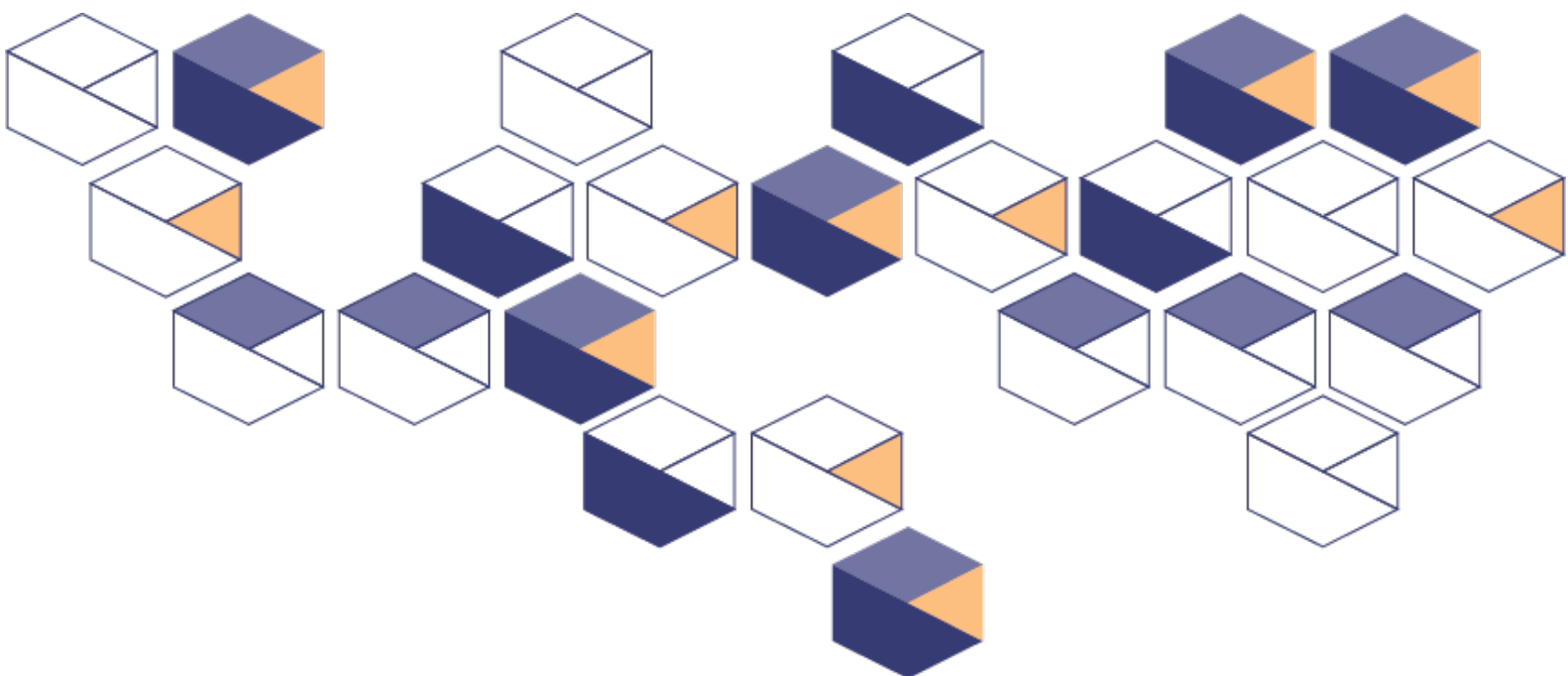




Contact list for General Practitioners

Rockingham General Hospital

9599 4000



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Please note

All emergency or urgent referrals should be discussed with the relevant team during the specified hours rather than being sent to the Emergency Department.

For advice regarding the urgent care of a particular patient, most specialities have a consultant and/or registrar on call 24 hours / 7 days.

Website for GPs

For more information visit <https://www.rkpg.health.wa.gov.au/For-health-professionals/GPs>

RGH outpatient referrals

Outpatient referrals are coordinated through the WA Health Central Referral Service (CRS).

Referrals are allocated according to the patient's residential address, medical condition, the level of care required and the waiting times at various facilities.

Fax: 1300 365 056

Email: centralreferralservice@health.wa.gov.au

RGH referral service

Some referrals are out of scope for the CRS - including referrals to obstetrics, mental health, nursing and allied health services – these should be directed to the RGH Referral Service.

Fax: 9599 4659

Email: rhout@mmex.gsmhn.com.au

Urgent referral service

GPs should contact the relevant specialty at RGH by telephone (contact details below) and if the patient is accepted a referral should be faxed or emailed to the RGH referral service immediately.

Fax: 9599 4659

Email: rhout@mmex.gsmhn.com.au

Specialty	Routine enquiries (business hours)	Urgent advice
<p>Anaesthetics</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Head: Dr Tehal Kooner • For patients requiring surgical, obstetric and diagnostic procedures • Preadmission Clinic for pre anaesthetic patients • Acute pain service for treatment of severe or treatment related pain. 	<p>General enquiries Administrative Assistant Ph: 08 9599 4638</p> <p>Preadmission clinic via Hospital Switch 9599 4000 Inpatient APS available in hours, not a community service and does not include chronic pain.</p>	<p>Duty Anaesthetist via Hospital Switch 9599 4000</p>
<p>Cardiology</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Consultative inpatient services only via Hearts West 	<p>Cardiology outpatient referrals via CRS(No external referrals solely for cardiology procedures)</p>	<p>Cardiology registrar via Fiona Stanley Hospital Ph: 6152 7617 Available 24 hours,7 days</p>
<p>Emergency Department</p> <p>Head: Dr Asheila Narang</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Age group: Paediatric and adult • Emergency medicine • Emergency short stay unit 	<p>For paediatric patients <12 yrs definitely requiring surgical, urological or gynaecological assessment, referrals may best be directed to PCH to reduce the need for transfer.</p> <p>Stable burns patients <16 yrs should be referred to PCH.</p>	<p>Admitting Officer Ph: 9599 4624</p> <p>Available: 24 hours, 7 days (Please phone for discussion or guidance. Otherwise a referral letter to present at triage is welcome.)</p>
<p>Endocrinology & Diabetes</p>	<p>Endocrinology and Diabetes outpatient referrals via CRS</p>	<p>Endocrinology Consultant Phone: Hospital Switch 9599 4000 If unsure of rostered Consultant, please contact Department on 9599 4697 Available: 8am – 4pm, Tues – Fri Other, please call FSH Endocrinology Registrar (0800-1600 Mon) On call FSH consultant (1600-0800and weekends)via 6152 2222</p>

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<p>Gastroenterology</p> <p>Head: Dr Andrew Thompson Medical Co Director - Surgery & Specialist Care</p> <p>Outpatient and Inpatient Consultative Services</p> <p>Diagnostic and therapeutic interventions</p>	<p>Gastroenterology outpatient referrals via CRS</p> <p>Referrals for endoscopy via form on RGH website : https://www.rkpg.health.wa.gov.au/</p>	<p>FSH Gastroenterology Registrar via help desk 6152 2222</p>
<p>General Medicine</p> <p>Head: Dr Raj Malvathu</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Following admission through the Medical Unit patients requiring further general medical care are transferred to a general medical team 	<p>Non-urgent general medical outpatient referrals via CRS General enquiries re current or recently discharged inpatients via the Helpdesk Ph: 08 9599 4000 pager 288</p>	<p>Medical Registrar Available: 24 hours, 7 days Ph: 9599 4000 pager 288</p>
<p>General Surgery</p> <p>Head: Mr Shelbin Neelankavil</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Elective and emergency surgery Acute surgical unit with 24/7 admission 	<p>Elective outpatient referrals via CRS</p>	<p>General Surgery Registrar Available: 24 hours, 7 days Ph: 0466 400 693</p>
<p>Geriatric Service</p> <p>Head: Dr Mugunthan Krishneswaran</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Acute Geriatric Service 	<p>Aged Care Advanced Trainee Available: 8am–4pm, Mon–Fri</p> <p>After hours and weekends via General Medical as above</p> <p>Ph: via switchboard 9599 4000</p>	<p>Aged Care Advanced Trainee Available: 8am–4pm, Mon– Fri</p> <p>After hours and weekends via General Medical as above</p> <p>Ph: via switchboard 9599 4000</p>

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<p>Haematology</p> <p>Head: Dr Margherita Nicoletti</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Outpatient and Inpatient consultative service. • Benign and malignant haematological disorders for investigation and management including chemotherapy services and bone marrow biopsy. • Exclusions include high grade malignancy, severe bleeding disorders and paediatrics. 	<p>Outpatient referral via CRS</p> <p>Haematology enquiries Outpatient referral Fax to 9599 4659.</p> <p>Enquires and urgent referrals- haematology/oncology registrar via 9599 4000</p> <p>Haematology registrar</p> <p>Available: 8am–5pm, Mon–Fri</p>	<p>Urgent advice</p> <p>In business hours Haem/Onc Registrar via Ph: 9599 4000</p> <p>Out of hours FSH Haematology Registrar via help desk 6152 2222</p>
<p>Immunology</p> <p>Clinician: Dr Jody Tansy</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Outpatient consultative service • Alternative Wednesdays RGH 	<p>Outpatient referral via CRS</p> <p>General and enquiries :Fiona Stanley Hospital 6152 8006</p>	<p>Immunology FSH Consultant or Registrar 0800-1600 on 6152 8006</p> <p>Immunology on Call Consultant or Registrar available 24 hours 7 days via FSH 6152 2222</p>
<p>Infectious Diseases</p> <p>Clinicians: Dr Siong Hui</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Adult acute and chronic infections – inpatients and outpatients • Outpatient intravenous antibiotic therapy • Hepatitis B and C 	<p>General enquiries: Infectious Diseases on-call consultant via Ph;95994000</p> <p>Non-HIV outpatient referrals via CRS</p> <p>HIV referrals to Fiona Stanley</p> <p>Hospital Infection and Immunity Clinical Nurse Specialist via helpdesk 61522222</p>	<p>Monday to Friday 0800 - 1600: Infectious Diseases on-call consultant at Rockingham Hospital via Ph:95994000</p> <p>After hours and weekends: Infectious Diseases on-call consultant at Fiona Stanley Hospital via helpdesk 61522222</p>

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<p>Intensive Care Medicine</p> <p>Head: Dr Ravi Sonawane</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 10 bed level 2 ICU managing a wide range of critical conditions needing organ support – invasive ventilation, renal replacement therapy, haemodynamic support. Donor care for organ donation 	<p>General enquiries: Intensive Care Unit on-call consultant via switchboard 95994000</p>	<p>ICU registrar Ph: 95994000</p> <p>(available 24 hours, 7 days) Duty Consultant Ph: 9599400</p>
<p>Medical Assessment Unit (MAU)</p> <p>Head: Dr Raj Malvathu</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Acute medical admissions for general medicine and a range of subspecialties 	<p>All enquiries MAU Registrar Available: 24 hours, 7 days Ph: 08 9599 4000 pager 191</p>	<p>MAU Registrar Available: 24 hours, 7 days Ph: 08 9599 4000 pager 191</p>
<p>Medical Imaging</p> <p>Head: Dr Ashu Gupta</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Computed Tomography (CT) General Radiography Orthopantomography (OPG) Radiographic Fluoroscopy Ultrasound 	<p>Medical Imaging enquiries Ph: 9599 4690</p> <p>Referrals from GPs and Private Consultants accepted</p>	<p>Radiology Consultants on site 0900-1700</p> <p>Phone via 9599 4815</p>

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<p>Mental Health</p> <p>Head: Dr Gordon Shymko</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Adult Services • Acute mental health • Older Adult Community Services 	<p>General enquiries Ph: Community Triage Officers and GP Liaison Officers Rockingham - 9528 0600 Peel - 95318080</p> <p>Older Adult Community Triage Officer 6557 4900</p>	<p>Triage Officers : Rockingham - 9528 0600 Peel - 9531 8080 (available 0830-1630)</p> <p>Emergency Department Mental Health Registrar : Ph: 9599 4000 (available 24 hours, 7 days)</p>
<p>Nephrology</p> <p>Head: Dr Raj Malvathu</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Outpatient and Inpatient consultative services • No haemodialysis unit on site 	<p>Nephrology outpatient referrals via CRS</p>	<p>Nephrology Consultant via 9599 4000 (0800 – 1600)</p> <p>Outside these hours please contact FSH Nephrology Registrar or Consultant Ph:via Helpdesk 6152 2222</p>
<p>Neurology and Stroke</p> <p>Head: Dr Mugunthan Krishneswaran</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Stroke unit • Acute and chronic neurological conditions 	<p>Neurology outpatient referrals via CRS</p>	<p>Medical Registrar Available: 24 hours, 7 days Ph: 9599 4000 pager 288</p>
<p>Obstetrics and Gynaecology</p> <p>Head :Dr Vasantha Narayana Reddygari</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • level 4 Maternity Service for low to moderate risk pregnancy and birth • Shared Antenatal Care only • Early Pregnancy loss • general Gynaecology services for all common benign pathologies • Colposcopy 	<p>Antenatal referrals via form on RGH website –link</p> <p>Gynaecology referrals via CRS</p>	<p>Obstetrics and Gynaecology Registrar Ph via 9599 4000 Available 24 hours 7 days</p> <p>Early Pregnancy Loss-if symptomatic refer to ED</p> <p>If asymptomatic refer to Early Pregnancy Loss Clinic faxed to (08) 9599 4288 with a formal ultrasound scan report confirming pregnancy loss as well as patients recent haemoglobin and the Rhesus type.</p>

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<p>Oncology</p> <p>Head: Dr Margherita Nicoletti</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Outpatient and inpatient consultative service • Treatment of most common cancers. • Do not treat primary CNS tumours or children 	<p>Oncology enquiries Contact Oncology /Haematology registrar 0800-1700 via Ph 9599 4000 Referrals- Fax 9599 4659 after discussion with Registrar or Consultant</p>	<p>Oncology registrar Available: 0800-1700, Mon–Fri Ph: 9599 4000 After hours call the Oncology Registrar at FSH Via help desk on 6152 2222</p>
<p>Orthopaedic Surgery</p> <p>Head: Dr Ben Jeffcote</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Level 4 spoke service with hubs located at Fremantle Hospital (FHHS) and Fiona Stanley Hospital (FSH). • Predominantly planned adult surgeries (common and intermediate procedures for low and moderate risk patients) • Some short-stay, planned, paediatric orthopaedic surgery • Some semi-elective cases (non-urgent trauma) • Some paediatric trauma • Complex outpatient assessment and follow-up for orthopaedic and fracture clinic patients 	<p>Orthopaedic referrals via CRS</p> <p>Orthopaedic clinics (includes fracture clinic) Ph: 9599 4000</p>	<p>Orthopaedic Registrar Ph-via 9499 4000 0800-1700 and via FSH Helpdesk 6152 2222</p> <p>Available 8am-10pm, 7 days</p>

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<p>Paediatrics & Neonatology</p> <p>Head: Dr Rafiq Hemani</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Inpatient and Outpatient services for the management of children and young people under the age of 16 years. 	<p>Paediatric outpatient referrals via CRS</p>	<p>Paediatric Consultant Ph: via 9599 4000 (available 24 hours, 7 days)</p>
<p>Palliative Care</p> <p>Head: Dr Margherita Nicoletti</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Outpatient clinics and Inpatient consultancy service 	<p>Referrals- Fax 9599 4659 after discussion with Palliative Care team</p>	<p>To speak with a member of the team ring RGH 9599 4000 and page Palliative care</p>
<p>Plastic Surgery</p> <p>Head: Dr Colin Song</p> <p>Spoke service with hub at Fiona Stanley Hospital</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> elective low to medium complexity surgery predominantly including skin cancer surgery. 	<p>Plastic surgery outpatient referrals via CRS</p>	<p>Plastics Registrar Ph: via FSH helpdesk 61522222 Available: 8am-10pm, 7days</p>

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<p>Respiratory Medicine</p> <p>Head: Dr Raj Malvathu</p> <p>Consultant – Dr Su Lyn Leong</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Age group: Adult • General Respiratory conditions (not Lung Cancer) • Pulmonary Physiology Services (performed by Respiratory Testing Services) • Pulmonary Rehabilitation program-GPs can refer directly for Pulmonary Rehabilitation 	<p>Respiratory outpatient referrals via CRS</p> <p>General Enquiries Ph: 9599 4000</p>	<p>Respiratory Consultant via switchboard Ph: 9599 4000</p> <p>Available Monday, Tuesday, Thursday 0800-1600</p> <p>Outside these hours please contact FSH Respiratory Registrar or Consultant Ph: via Helpdesk 6152 2222</p>
<p>Rheumatology</p> <p>SMHS wide service:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Specialty clinics at FSH are inflammatory arthritis, gout, CTD, scleroderma and musculoskeletal ultrasound. • Specialist biologics nurse runs a helpline that patients or GPs can ring if they have problems and this should be the first point of call for biologics issues. 	<p>Rheumatology outpatients referrals via CRS</p>	<p>Rheumatology Registrar Ph: via Helpdesk 6152 2222 Available: 8am–5pm, Mon–Fri</p>
<p>Urgent Care Clinic</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • For semi-urgent review by Geriatrician and not requiring ED presentation • Operating hours 10am-6pm 	<p>General Enquiries via 9599 4695</p>	<p>Contact Geriatric Medicine Advance Trainee between 8am-4pm. Via 9599 4000</p>

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