

Antenatal, postnatal and newborn care during the COVID-19 pandemic

Where possible, face-to-face antenatal care that is usually provided in a hospital based maternity outpatients department may be provided in the community and be supported by telehealth.

For GPs providing GP Antenatal Shared Care, Postnatal Care, Newborn Care including health checks and immunisations, please continue to provide care that is safe for women and newborns as well as for GPs, their practice staff and other patients. This is a rapidly changing landscape and GPs may be asked to provide additional antenatal, postnatal and newborn care support.

Useful resources:

- [MBS](#) – New telehealth and telephone items have been introduced to support the response to COVID-19
- [HealthPathways](#) – In addition to the COVID-19 resources available in HealthPathways, Metro North Hospital and Health Service has developed COVID-19 [Maternity Patient resources](#)
- [Queensland Clinical Guidelines](#)
- [The Royal Australian and New Zealand College of Obstetricians and Gynaecologists](#) – COVID-19 statement
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- [Royal College of Obstetricians and Gynaecologists](#) – COVID-19 infection and pregnancy