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PRACTICE NURSE NETWORKS

The Division is currently exploring the establishment of Local Practice Nursing Networks throughout the region. These networks would be open to all nurses employed in general practice and would offer:

- Peer Support
- Educational Opportunities
- Exchange of ideas based on members needs.

Format for meetings would be flexible and depend on the preference of members.

For further information regarding the Practice Support Registered Nurse Program (PSRN) contact your local PSRN

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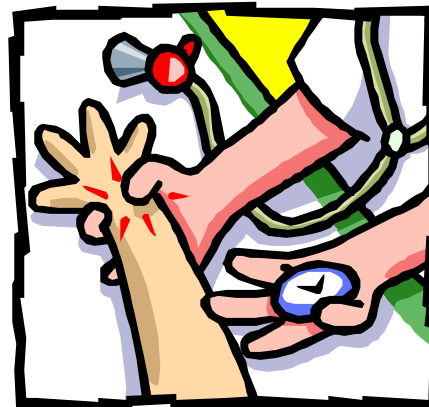
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The Practice Support Nursing Service was established in July 2001. The service currently employs 5 registered nurses in 4 geographic subdivisions, providing a range of services to general practices.

This program is available to practices regardless of whether or not they have a practice nurse.

THE SERVICE AIMS TO:

- ➔ Support General practice by offering a range of services, which will serve to reduce workload and maximise remuneration, ultimately improving lifestyle and morale for our GP's.
- ➔ Afford the opportunity for those practices currently without practice nurses to recognise the potential for this role.
- ➔ Provide a skilled nursing workforce to general practices for issues such as nurse relief.



SERVICES PROVIDED:

- ➔ General nursing Support to practices
- ➔ Nursing Staff relief/Locum support
- ➔ Enrolled Nurse Supervision (if required)
- ➔ Nursing Support to GPs in assessment and education of patients with asthma
- ➔ Nursing Support to GPs in sign up to Diabetes register or practice based register and recall for diabetes SIP
- ➔ Immunisation clinics
- ➔ EPC - health assessments
- facilitation of care plans and case conferences
- ➔ Wound management clinics
- ➔ Data entry/clinic data management
- ➔ Accreditation/reaccreditation support
- ➔ Local Practice Nurse Support Networks.

SERVICES UNDER DEVELOPMENT:

- ➔ Nursing support to GPs for cervical screening & breast examination
- ➔ ACIR data cleaning & overdue patient recall

This list is not exhaustive and other support services may be negotiated as requested by practices. We are always looking to broaden our repertoire and are happy to discuss other services required by general practices.

COST RECOVERY REQUIREMENTS:

Due to Department of Health and Aged Care requirements some clinical and other services are required to be provided on a costs recovery basis. These are those activities subject to:

- ➔ A direct Medicare rebate
- ➔ PIP Incentive

These services will be charged at a rate equivalent to \$25.00 per hour.

Services affected are:

- ➔ Health assessments (EPC)
- ➔ Asthma education 3+plans (SIP)
- ➔ Diabetes education (SIP)
- ➔ Dopplers
- ➔ ECGs
- ➔ Spirometry
- ➔ Pap smear for high risk women (SIP)

