**Home**

Welcome to the Tamworth General Practice.

Tamworth General Practice is a medical practice owned and operated by local General Practitioners and visiting specialists.

Our experienced team of doctors, nurses and administrative staff strive to deliver the highest standard of primary care to the region.

We have a strong focus on the doctor-patient relationship, and are committed to providing you and your family your personal and professional medical care.

All pensioners, concession card holders and children under 17 are bulk billed.

**About Us**

Tamworth General Practice is run by local General Practitioners, and places a strong focus on the doctor-patient relationship and long-term patient care.

The team of GPs are experienced and caring professionals, with extensive experience across a range of medicine. They are also committed to ongoing professional development.

In addition to general practice, the doctors have their own fields of interest. These include skin cancer medicine, travel medicine, industrial health, minor surgery, asthma and diabetes.

**Services**

Tamworth General Practice provides a comprehensive range of medical and nursing services.

•Family Medicine

•Well Women's check ups, including pap smears, breast checks, contraception, including implanon and mirena insertions, sexual health checks, shared pregnancy care, postnatal care, skin check

•Children's health, including baby checks, developmental checks, & free childhood immunisations

•Men's health check ups, including heart and lung checks, prostate/testicular checks, sexual health check ups, skin check

•Skin cancer check ups & treatment

•Minor surgery, including removal of moles, skin cancers, suturing of lacerations, draining abscesses and toenail surgery.

•Heart checks with ECG monitor

•Lung function tests (spirometry)

•Travel health advice, including travel vaccinations

•Weight loss management

•Quitting smoking advice

•Stress management

•Dive medicals

•Insurance medicals

•Work place injuries

•GP management of long term medical conditions, such as:

◦Asthma

◦Diabetes

◦High blood pressure

◦High cholesterol

◦Osteoarthritis

◦Chronic airways disease

◦Depression / anxiety

◦Osteoporosis

Preventative health

Our practice considers prevention of illness and maintaining excellent health is really important. We encourage all adults to have a well woman or well man's check every one to two years, depending on your doctor's recommendations.

Industrial

We provide Corporate and Industrial Medicine in the Tamworth region.

The Practice provides services such as pre-employment and exit medicals and work-injury management for a range of industries. We perform spirometry and drug and alcohol testing. We also provide on-site staff vaccinations in your work place, including the yearly influenza vaccination.

Travel

Tamworth General Practice provides up to date and location specific medical advice. All generally used travel vaccinations are available on site.

Skin Cancer Clinic

Highly experienced in the early detection, diagnosis and treatment of skin cancer and melanoma. We are the longest established skin cancer clinic in the Northwest. Also, outreach skin cancer services are provided at Inverell, Narrabri and Gunnedah.

For further information please visit [www.skinchecktoday.com.au](http://www.skinchecktoday.com.au)

**Consultation Fees**

General Practice

Pensioners, concession card holders, veterans and children under 17 are bulk billed for all Medicare services.

A gap fee of $25 per each general practice service applies if you are not a concessional patient, and settlement of your account on the day of your appointment is expected and appreciated. We accept EFTPOS, visa and mastercard.

Please return to the reception desk after your consultation and settle your account. Failure to do so will result in a $5 administrative fee added to your account.

House calls for non-concessional patients attract a $100 “call-out” fee. The consultation fee is covered by Medicare.

Skin Cancer Clinic

Please enquire regarding skin cancer doctor’s fees.

Medicare Cheques

Please return Medicare Cheques to reception as soon as possible, and remember to leave to the remittance advice attached to the cheque.

Find Us

We are conveniently located near the centre of Tamworth at 275 Marius Street - right next to McDonalds. There is ample car parking available.

Contact Us

For appointments or any queries please feel free to ring 6766 3888

Walk-in service is available so you are welcome to drop in when convenient.

Opening hours

We are open 9 to 5 Monday – Friday, with afterhours and Saturday appointments available by prior arrangement.