

## REFERRAL FORM – PRIMARY HEALTH CARE (GP/NURSE)

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### REFERRER DETAILS

Referral date: \_\_\_\_\_

Have you obtained client consent for this referral?  Yes  No

Referring organisation: \_\_\_\_\_

Referrer name: \_\_\_\_\_

Role: \_\_\_\_\_

T: \_\_\_\_\_

F: \_\_\_\_\_

E: \_\_\_\_\_

### CLIENT DETAILS

Male  Female  Other

Surname: \_\_\_\_\_

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of birth:     /     /

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Mobile: \_\_\_\_\_

Year of arrival to Australia: \_\_\_\_\_

Boat or  Plane arrival

Country of birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Ethnicity: \_\_\_\_\_

Languages spoken: \_\_\_\_\_

Interpreter required:  Yes  No

Current visa type: \_\_\_\_\_

Applied for Protection visa:  Yes  No

*(please supply/attach copy)*

Medicare:  Yes  No

Medicare Number: \_\_\_\_\_

SRSS:  Yes  No

Medicare Expiry Date:     /     /

SRSS provider (if relevant):  AMES  Life Without Barriers

Work rights:  Yes  No

Employment status: \_\_\_\_\_

Income: \_\_\_\_\_

Support from any other agency: \_\_\_\_\_

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**SECTION A: Reason for referral**

Does the client have a previous or current GP they have been attending?  Yes  No

**GENERAL PRACTITIONER DETAILS**

GP practice name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

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**Please describe the current health issues experienced and their urgency below.**

**Include current medications if known.**

***If the person is experiencing a medical emergency, please call 000 or present to any public hospital.***



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### Service description

- The Hub provides access to a range of health services for people seeking asylum. These services include nurse-led primary health care and assessments, immunisations, GP clinics, psychiatry (requires a GP referral), psychology, physiotherapy and specialist mental health support.
- The Hub works in partnership with other asylum seeker agencies and where able, assists with referrals to community health and specialist services such as dental, optometry, allied health, infectious diseases and paediatrics.

### Priority of access

People seeking asylum are eligible for health care at the Hub, and priority is given to people who:

- Do not have a Medicare card
- Have a Medicare card with limited or no income support
- Are receiving SRSS and require psychiatry, specialist mental health care or have complex medical needs
- Are in community detention

### Cost

All services provided at the Hub will be free to all clients.

- Medicare ineligible clients will receive free service
- Medicare eligible clients will be bulk-billed (clients will need to present their Medicare card)

### Referral process

- **Psychiatry services - requires a GP referral letter**
- Referrers may call (03) 8388 7874 to discuss referrals
- Hub staff will inform referrer of the acceptance of the referral and liaise with clients about their appointments

### Additional referral documentation

- Please attach a copy of any relevant medical documentation such as detention health records, arrival health screening, immunisation records, discharge summaries.
- Please attach relevant documents showing current visa status, lodgement of protection application, current placement in community detention or other supporting documents showing status as a person seeking asylum.