

GET THE RIGHT CARE

EVERYTHING YOU NEED TO MAKE THE RIGHT CALL
AT NIGHT, ON WEEKENDS OR PUBLIC HOLIDAYS



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Find the right after hours health service for you

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IN AN EMERGENCY CALL TRIPLE ZERO



In a medical emergency call Triple Zero (000) and ask for an ambulance.

As a guide, here are a few examples of medical emergencies which would require you to call Triple Zero (000):

- chest pain or chest tightness
- sudden onset of weakness, numbness or paralysis of the face, arm or leg
- breathing difficulties
- sudden collapse or loss of consciousness
- unexplained fitting in adults or children
- major trauma and injury, such as a car accident, stabbing or shooting

AFTER HOURS GP HELPLINE

CALL 1800 022 222



Funded by the Australian Government, the after hours GP helpline is free* and provides you with access to a GP at night, on weekends and public holidays.

When your GP is not available and you have a health concern, call the after hours GP helpline for peace of mind. You will receive advice on what to do about your health concern and where to go if you need face-to-face care.

When you call the after hours GP helpline, a registered nurse will complete an assessment and based on your symptoms the nurse may offer you a call back from a GP. The GP will contact you within 15 minutes or 1 hour depending on the severity and urgency of your health issue.

* free on landlines and some mobile phones

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