

GP ADVICE FORM

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Why does the hospital need GP details?

- Because your child's continuing care and follow-up are often done by your GP, it is important that hospital staff can contact the GP by phone or letter to help manage your child's care after being in hospital.
- Your GP is the person who knows you and your family best. The specialist and your GP can work together to care for your child.
- Your GP knows the health resources in your community and can help coordinate other services for your child.

If you do not have a GP

- Ask friends or family members who they recommend
- Ask your Maternal & Child Health Nurse
- Helpful websites see: www.rch.org.au/kidsconnect/gp.cfm
- Yellow Pages – visit several GP clinics near your home before deciding.

GP details

GP and/or clinic name:

Address:

Tel:

Fax:

Dr provider number (if you know it):

Details for your child / the patient *(or add pt label)*

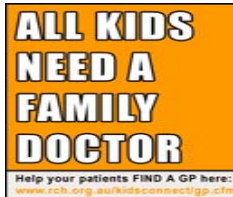
Full name:

Date of birth:

Today's date:

Hospital UR number (if you know it):

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