

Medicinal Cannabis

The low down.



Am I eligible?

Eligibility for medicinal Cannabis is dependent on the individual.

Patients must have a chronic illness – an illness lasting 3 months or more and not responding to standard treatment and medications, or the current treatments have side effects.

Patients must have evidence of trial of other medical treatments before trialling medicinal cannabis.

What to bring to consultation?

A valid referral letter from your current GP.

A list of current and past medications.

Consultation Fees and payment:

Initial Consultation	\$240.00	Medicare rebate	\$80.10
<i>* Prepayment required prior to securing an appointment</i>			
Standard follow up consultations	\$120.00	Medicare rebate	\$41.40
Longer or complex follow up	\$195.00	Medicare rebate	\$80.10
Follow up requiring additional approval	\$240.00	Medicare rebate	\$80.10

How do I obtain a prescription for medicinal cannabis?

Prescriptions for Medicinal cannabis are not issued to patients on the day, they require approval prior to being forwarded to the chemist dispensary.

The Chemist Dispensary we forward MC prescriptions to is AC Pharma located in Ashmore.

Prescriptions can take up to a week to be dispensed depending on approval.

Treating Doctor:

Dr Wyndham is the only practitioner at her Medical approved to treat patients in relation to medicinal cannabis.

I am currently prescribed medicinal from another GP – can I get a new script at her Medical?

Medicinal cannabis is heavily regulated and strict guidelines apply therefore you will require an initial consultation with Dr Wyndham and all relevant paperwork will be required.

Prescription Fees:

The cost of Medicinal Cannabis is not included in your consultation fee, and you can expect to pay between \$4.00 and \$10.00 per day

For queries regarding your consultation please contact Specialty Team on 07 5616 8070

