



CASA clients and their non-offending family members can access appointments with the MDC community health nurse when needed.

The community health nurse is as part of the suite of services available at the MDC, supporting health and wellbeing with respect, care and compassion.

Ways the community health nurse can provide support include:

- Arranging STI checks for adults and children of all ages and genders.
- Arranging pregnancy testing for females of all ages.
- Providing a referral for assessment, assistance and support with mental health issues.
- Helping to find a GP who suits individual needs.
- Arranging cervical screening (previously known as pap tests), mammograms and other screening tests.
- Arranging transport to appointments and attending appointments with you when requested (particularly during the COVID-19 lockdown).
- Co-ordinating service assistance and liaising with services.
- Providing ongoing general health and wellbeing support.

The community health nurse is available Monday to Friday 9am to 5pm. When required the nurse can accommodate appointments after these hours. Telephone and video appointments are available.