

# WELCOME TO PETER MAC

WITHIN THE VICTORIAN COMPREHENSIVE CANCER CENTRE BUILDING MELBOURNE





## PARTNERING TO DELIVER OUR SERVICES

Peter Mac's cancer care services are provided in partnership with The Royal Women's Hospital and The Royal Melbourne Hospital as members of the Victorian Comprehensive Cancer Centre Alliance. This means our patients may from time-to-time be referred to The Women's and/or Royal Melbourne for particular treatments. Referral processes to Peter Mac remain the same.

For more information speak to your Peter Mac care team.

#### **WELCOME**

Welcome to Peter MacCallum Cancer Centre within the Victorian Comprehensive Cancer Centre (VCCC) building.

Each day, Peter Mac strives to provide the very best in care, better treatments and potential cures for cancer.

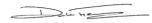
Our entire team is focused on improving your health and supporting you, your family and carers.

This booklet includes useful information to help you access Peter Mac, find your way to your appointment/s and make the most of the services and amenities available to you.

We encourage you to take the time to read it before you visit us.

Thank you and welcome.

Sincerely



**Dale Fisher** 

Chief Executive

"NOTHING BUT THE BEST IS GOOD ENOUGH IN THE TREATMENT OF CANCER."

SIR PETER MACCALLUM, 1949

#### **OUR LOCATION**

Peter Mac's main centre in Melbourne is located at the intersections of Grattan Street, Flizabeth Street and Flemington Road, near the northern edge of the city centre.

The main public entrance is on Grattan Street, opposite The Royal Melbourne Hospital.



NEED HELP GETTING TO PETER MAC? **CALL US ON 03 8559 5000** 

#### Patient and visitor drop off

There is a 5-minute drop off and pick up area for vehicles along Grattan Street in front of our main public entrance.

Patients can also be dropped off and picked up in front of the car park lift lobbies on Level B3 or B4 (entry from Flemington Road), as there is no charge for using the car park for less than 30 minutes

There are also wheelchairs available in these lift lobbies for patients requiring assistance.



#### Map key



Bus stop



Tram stop



Taxi rank



Train station





Suggested vehicle approach



Traffic light pedestrian crossing



No right-hand turn into car park



Main public entrance



Patient drop off and pick up



Car and motorcycle parking entrance



Ambulance Bay



Loading Dock



Touch screen information kiosks



Welcome Lounge



Toilet



Public lifts



Car park lifts



Research lifts



#### **GETTING TO PETER MAC**

There are many ways to get to Peter Mac.

We are in a busy area, so some careful planning is recommended before the day of your appointment.



#### **CAR PARK FAST FACTS**

- The car park is open 7 days a week from 6:00am to 9:00pm
- It has spaces for over 300 visitor cars and 50 motorcycles
- Access to the car park is from Flemington Road, when travelling towards the city, via the left service lane.
   If you're travelling from the city on Flemington Road, a U-turn is permitted opposite The Royal Women's Hospital
- Please pay for your parking using the ticket payment machines located in the car park lift lobbies (Levels B3 and B4) prior to leaving
- Refer to the map on pages 4 and 5 of this booklet for further information on how to access the car park
- There is a concession rate of \$10 per visit available to eligible patients. If you are attending regular appointments with us you may also be entitled to the concession rate. Please check with your Peter Mac care team to see if you are eligible

TRANSPORT	COSTS*		ENTRY/LOCATION	
Car	0 - 0.5 hours 0.5 - 1 hours 1 - 2 hours 2 - 3 hours	Free \$10 \$14 \$17	Located underground on Levels B3 and B4 Access to the car park is from the left service lane on Flemington Road, when travelling towards the city	
	3 - 4 hours 4 - 5 hours 5 - 6 hours 6+ hours (daily max) Evening rate (6:00pm to 9:00pm)	\$20 \$23 \$26 \$30 \$12	*Our car parking rates are comparable with public parking costs across the Parkville precinct, and are a little less than at other major metropolitan health services.	
	Weekend day (Sat and Sun) Lost ticket Concession (per visit)	\$12 \$30 \$10		
Motorcycle	Free		Entry and access as per car parking  Carefully wheel your bike around the boom gate and park on either Level B3 or B4 in the dedicated motorcycle spaces.  The same process applies on exiting the car park	
Bicycle	Free		Public bike racks are on Elizabeth Street, Grattan Street and Flemington Road. Please note that locks are not supplied	
Taxi	Free		There are short term pick up and drop off spaces along Grattan Street in front of the main public entrance (opposite The Royal Melbourne Hospital)	



PLEASE CONTACT YOUR PETER MAC CARE TEAM IF YOU REQUIRE TRANSPORT HELP OR ASSISTANCE WITH CAR PARKING FEES



PLEASE NOTE THAT YOU CAN ONLY ACCESS OUR CAR PARK FROM FLEMINGTON ROAD, TRAVELLING TOWARDS THE CITY

#### **PUBLIC TRANSPORT OPTIONS**

TRANSPORT	ROUTE	DETAIL		
Tram	<b>Tram 19 – City to North Coburg</b> via Elizabeth Street/Royal Parade	Get off at tram stop number 10 on Royal Parade at the corner of Grattan Street		
	<b>Tram 58 – Toorak to West Coburg</b> via William and Peel Streets/Flemington Road	Get off at tram stop number 14 on Flemington Road at the corner of Grattan Street		
	<b>Tram 59 – City to Airport West</b> via Elizabeth Street/Flemington Road	Get off at tram stop number 14 on Flemington Road at the corner of Grattan Street		
Train	Catch a <b>Williamstown, Werribee, Sunbury, Craigieburn or Upfield</b> line train to North Melbourne Train Station	<ol> <li>Get off at North Melbourne Train Station</li> <li>Walk outside to bus shelter</li> <li>Catch bus 401 and get off at Peter Mac on Grattan Street</li> </ol>		
	Catch a South Morang, Hurstbridge, Lilydale, Belgrave, Alamein, Glen Waverley, Pakenham, Cranbourne, Stony Point, Frankston or Sandringham train to Flinders Street Train Station	<ol> <li>Cross the road from Flinders Street Station to Elizabeth Street</li> <li>Catch tram number 19 or 59 and get off at the corner of Grattan Street</li> <li>Cross the road and walk to William Street</li> <li>Catch tram number 55 and get off at the corner of Grattan Street</li> </ol>		
	Catch any <b>City Loop train</b> to Melbourne Central Station	Your options from Melbourne Central Train Station are:  — walk to Elizabeth Street and catch either tram number 19 or 59 and get off at the corner of Grattan Street  — walk to William Street and catch tram number 55 and get off at the corner of Grattan Street  — walk approximately 15 minutes down Elizabeth Street to Peter Mac OR  Get off at Flagstaff Train Station, catch tram number 55 and get off at the corner of Grattan Street		
	Regional train (V/Line) Catch any regional V/Line train service to Southern Cross Train Station	<ol> <li>From Southern Cross Train Station:</li> <li>Catch any City Loop train</li> <li>Get off at Flagstaff Train Station</li> <li>Walk to William Street, catch tram number 55 and get off at the corner of Grattan Street</li> </ol>		
Bus	<b>Bus 401</b> – North Melbourne Train Station to The Royal Melbourne Hospital	From North Melbourne Train Station: 1. Walk outside to bus shelter 2. Catch bus 401 and get off in front of Peter Mac on Grattan Street (Monday to Friday)		
	<b>Bus 402</b> – Footscray Train Station to East Melbourne via North Melbourne	From Footscray Train Station: Catch bus 402 and get off in front of Peter Mac on Grattan Street		











#### **ON ARRIVAL**

#### Welcome Hall

Our Welcome Hall and atrium are the main points of arrival in the VCCC building. Here there is a Welcome Lounge area for patients to wait for admission and transport — with two separate desks for these functions. There is also a staffed enquiries desk to answer any questions you may have, as well as toilets and seating.

#### **Admission and appointments**

Specialist Clinic appointments

If you have an appointment at 2C or 2D Specialist Clinics, you can scan your appointment letter at the touch screen self-check-in system in the reception area at these locations. You will then receive a numbered ticket and your number will appear on the monitors when your clinician is ready to see you.

#### All other appointments

For all other appointments, check in with staff at the reception desk where your appointment is. Your appointment letter will include this information. See over page for important information on finding your way around.

#### **FINDING YOUR WAY AROUND**

Signs inside Peter Mac help to identify the floor you are on and the area you are in. For example "2D" means you're on level 2 and in section D.

Your appointment letter will tell you the location of the reception desk you need to find for your appointment, for example "2D Specialist Clinics". Follow the lift directory to that level and follow the signs to the reception desk where your Peter Mac team will help you.

There are touch screen information kiosks located in the Welcome Hall, in the car park lift lobbies on Levels B3 and B4, and on Levels 1, 2 and 7. These kiosks can help you find where you need to go and print a map for you.



#### **FEATURES OF OUR MAIN CENTRE**

The centre has been designed to meet current and future needs.



Capacity for **96** overnight inpatient beds



**85** beds and chairs for services such as same day medical and chemotherapy



Access to Intensive Care Unit provided on the north side of the facility by The Royal Melbourne Hospital



A dedicated Clinical Trials Unit



300+ visitor car parking spaces



Country patient accommodation apartments



**25,000** square metres of dedicated cancer research space



6 operating theatres and...

2 procedure rooms



adiation therapy bunkers with...

6 linear accelerators



Outdoor gardens and dedicated spaces for patients, families and carers. Please remember to protect your skin when outside



**4,800** people visit the centre each day including staff, inpatients, outpatients and other visitors

#### **USING OUR PUBLIC LIFTS**



- 1. Choose the level you want to go to
- 2. Swipe your hand under the touch screen to call a lift
- 3. Enter your level number using the touch screen



4. The system will advise you which lift you need to catch. Move to the lift that is shown on the screen. (Note, the lifts are named and ordered alphabetically)



5. The lift will then take you where you need to go. The floor number/s it will stop at are indicated inside the lift, alongside the door





#### **TOP 10 THINGS** YOU NEED TO KNOW

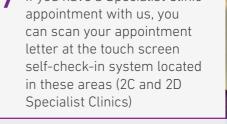


- Our car park is only accessible via Flemington Road, heading towards the city
- Your appointment letter will include information regarding the location of your appointment. There are staffed reception desks located in all patient areas



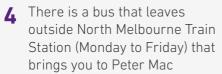
Tram routes from the city to Peter Mac are 19 and 59 (via Flizabeth Street) and 55 (via William Street)

7 If you have a Specialist Clinic appointment with us, you can scan your appointment letter at the touch screen self-check-in system located in these areas (2C and 2D Specialist Clinics)





- The closest train stations to Peter Mac are North Melbourne. Flagstaff and Melbourne Central
- Our outdoor terrace on Level 7 is a place where vou can relax in the fresh air. Please remember to protect your skin when outside



Smoking is not permitted inside or within 50 metres of Peter Mac and the VCCC building



- Touch screen information kiosks are in the Welcome Hall. car park lift lobbies on Levels B3 and B4, and on Levels 1, 2 and 7. These will help you find where you need to go
- 10 Need help? Just ask. Peter Mac staff are always here to support you



#### **SERVICES AND AMENITIES**

You, your family, friends and carers are encouraged to make the most of the services and amenities available to you at Peter Mac.



#### **Auxiliary Shop (Ground)**

Find a gift for yourself or loved one in our Auxiliary Shop, run by our wonderful team of volunteers



#### Cafés and shops (Ground and Level 7)

Serving Healthy Choices to support your wellbeing



#### **Cancer information (Level 1)**

Browse the range of free resources in our information centre. Skilled volunteers are available to offer support



#### Cashier (Level 2)

Go here for payments for Peter Mac services including pharmacy and imaging, and if you are eligible for concession parking



#### **Gardens (throughout Peter Mac)**

Enjoy fresh air and light on our outdoor terrace and in green spaces. Please remember to protect your skin when outside



#### Interpreter and language services

We provide an interpreter service for many different languages. Please let us know if you need an interpreter by calling us in advance



#### **Patient Library (Ground)**

Borrow a book, CD or DVD from our Patient Library near the Enquiries Desk



#### Patient Accommodation (Level 1)

An accommodation service for country patients is available



#### Reflection Space (Ground)

For when you need a quiet moment to yourself



#### Social work services

Our social work team is available to help patients, their families and carers with emotional and practical challenges that arise when a patient or family member has cancer



#### Spiritual care

A way for patients, families, friends and carers to reflect on and explore life issues and the impact of cancer



#### **Transport services (Ground)**

Transport can be arranged for eligible patients when other forms of transport are not an option for you — find us at the Welcome Lounge near the Ambulance Bay



### Vending machines and coffee carts (throughout Peter Mac)

Grab a healthy snack on the go



#### **Volunteer Services (Ground)**

Speak to our volunteers about services including our *Look Good Feel Better* program, massage and reflexology. They can also assist with headwear, wigs and hairdresser requests and many other items you may need



#### Wellbeing Centre (Level 1)

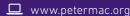
A sanctuary for our patients, their families and carers. Drop in any time and a make a cup of tea, sit, read or relax



For more information on any of these services or amenities, please contact us



03 8559 5000



# ACCESSING SERVICES AND AMENITIES (A TO Z)

SERVICE/NEED TO KNOW	LEVEL	RECEPTION NAME	PHONE
Admissions and Registration	Ground	Welcome Lounge	03 8559 5020
Allied Health Go here for:  — Aboriginal Health — Occupational Therapy — Clinical Psychology — Pastoral Care — Exercise Physiology — Physiotherapy — Interpreter and — Psychiatry Language Services — Social Work — Music Therapy — Speech Pathology — Nutrition	2	2D Specialist Clinics	03 8559 5220
Auxiliary Shop	Ground		03 8559 6811
<b>Bicycle Facilities</b> Public bike racks are on Elizabeth Street, Grattan Street and Flemington Road. Please note that locks are not supplied			
Cafés Entry to Super 8 is via the Welcome Hall. Entry to Think Asia and Sargon Coffee Co. is from outside on Grattan Street	Ground		
The Loft Café	7		
Car Park See the table on page 6 for further information	B3 and B4		
Cashier (Open 8:30am-5:00pm, Monday to Friday)	2		
Convenience Store  Access to the <i>Urban Hub</i> convenience store is from outside on Grattan Street	Ground		
<b>Day Therapy</b> Medical appointments, Apheresis and Clinical Trials	3	3B Day Therapy	03 8559 5330
Chemotherapy, Medical Assessment and Blood Transfusion	3	3C Day Therapy	
Dental Oncology	2	2C Specialist Clinics	03 8559 5555
Enquiries Desk  Located in Welcome Hall for general information and directions	Ground		

SI	ERVICE/NEED TO KNOW	LEVEL	RECEPTION NAME	PHONE
Fa	amilial Cancer Centre	1	1B Familial Cancer Centre	03 8559 5322
X-1	naging -ray, MRI, and interventional procedures ncluding bone marrow biopsies)	5	5B Imaging	03 8559 5510
СТ	T, PET, SPECT, Mammograms and Ultrasounds	5	5C Imaging	
Fo —	patient Ward or patients in these streams:  - Head and Neck - Lung - Skin and Melanoma - Paediatrics	3	3A Ward	03 8559 5300
Fo	patient Ward or patients in these streams:  — Breast — Haematology	5	5A Ward	03 8559 5500
Fo	patient Ward or patients in these streams:  Gynaecology  Upper and Lower GI  Neuro-oncology  Urology	6	6A Ward	03 8559 5600
De Go	elivered in partnership with The Royal Melbourne Hospital (RMH) o to Level 7 and take the link bridge from Peter Mac to RMH.  ake the "B Building" lifts down to Level 6	6 (The Royal Melbourne Hospital)		03 9342 9100
In	nterpreter and Language Services	2	2D Specialist Clinics	03 8559 5220
Li	ink to The Royal Melbourne Hospital (bridge)	2 and 7		
	lotorcycle parking ee the table on page 6 for further information	B3 and B4		
	NTrac at Peter Mac ictorian adolescent and young adult cancer services	1	1D You Can Centre	03 8559 6880
0ι	utdoor Terrace	7		
	arent Room  ocated next to public toilets	Ground and 2		
	athology lood collection, cannulation, specimen collection etc.	2	2B Pathology	03 8559 7284
Pa	atient Accommodation	1	1A Patient Accommodation	03 8559 7454

SEF	RVICE/NEED TO KNOW		LEVEL	RECEPTION NAME	PHONE
Ther less Ther	Patient drop off and pick up  There is no charge for using the car park for less than 30 minutes  There are also wheelchairs available in these lift lobbies for patients requiring assistance.		Grattan Street in front of public entrance Drop-off zones in front of the car park lift lobbies on Levels B3 and B4		
	Pharmacy Main dispensary and information on medication		2	2A Pharmacy	03 8559 5202
	Pharmacy (retail) Entry to HealthSmart Pharmacy is outside on Grattan Street		Ground		
	Radiation Therapy  Take the car park lifts, public lifts or stairs		B1	B1 Radiation Therapy	03 8559 6000
Ref	Reflection Space		Ground		
	curity ated at the Enquiries Desk		Ground		
Soc	Social Work		2	2D Specialist Clinics	03 8559 5220
Spe	ecialist Clinics		2	2C Specialist Clinics 2D Specialist Clinics	03 8559 5555
Sur	Surgery		6	6C Surgery	03 8559 5650
Tax	Taxi drop off and pick up  Toilets  Transport		Grattan Street in front of main public entrance		
Toil			All levels		
Tra			Ground	Welcome Lounge	03 8559 5015
Volu	Volunteer Services		Ground		03 8559 6811
_ _ _	Enquiries Desk Patient Library Public seating	Touch screen information kiosk and map printing facility Volunteer Services Welcome Lounges (for admission and transport)	Ground		
Wel	llbeing Centre		1	1C Wellbeing Centre	03 8559 6260
Whe	eelchair access		B3, B4		

#### **CONTACT INFORMATION**

ADDRESS

Peter MacCallum Cancer Centre

Victorian Comprehensive Cancer Centre Building 305 Grattan Street Melbourne Victoria 3000

VISITING HOURS

11:00am to 8:00pm, daily

**TELEPHONE** 

03 8559 5000

In case of an emergency, call 000

FAX

Main: 03 8559 7379

Referrals: 03 8559 7371

WEBSITE

www.petermac.org

#### **OUR COMMUNITY**

- Peter MacCallum Cancer Foundation
- @PeterMacCC
- in Peter MacCallum Cancer Centre

