

# What is Tasmanian HealthPathways?

Tasmanian HealthPathways is an online portal designed to be used by health professionals at the point of care.

It is accessible to Tasmanian GPs and other healthcare providers, including nurses and allied health professionals.

Tasmanian HealthPathways aims to guide best-practice assessment and management of common medical conditions, including how to refer patients to local specialists and services in the most timely and efficient way.

It is based on the HealthPathways approach being used across Australia, New Zealand and the United Kingdom.

Primary Health Tasmania has worked with local health professionals and health organisations including GPs, hospital specialists, nurses and allied health professionals to develop more than 900 pathways. Pathways are routinely reviewed to ensure they contain the latest best-practice guidance and reflect the provision of care in Tasmania.

Pathways are developed and updated through various consultation methods including clinical work groups.

To get involved in Tasmanian HealthPathways, for example by joining a clinical work group, email [healthpathways@primaryhealthtas.com.au](mailto:healthpathways@primaryhealthtas.com.au)

# How does Tasmanian HealthPathways help Tasmanians?

Tasmanian HealthPathways supports a smoother, more connected care journey for Tasmanians. It is designed to ensure more people get the right treatment or specialist care in the right place at the right time, with less waiting time.

The portal helps GPs and other health professionals deliver care by outlining:

- ✔ the best available management and treatment options for common medical conditions
- ✔ information on how and where to refer to the most appropriate local services and specialists
- ✔ educational resources and information for clinicians and patients.

## Want to know more?

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 **GO TO**  
tasmania.communityhealthpathways.org

 **LOG IN**  
username   
password

 **THEN** use the **contents** menu on the left to navigate through the pathways

 **OR** use the **search** function to find what you are looking for

## USER TIPS

To avoid needing to log in every time, tick the 'Remember me' box at the login screen, or allow your browser to remember login details.

When using the search function:

- **limit your search** to a maximum of three words
- **medical terminology** will provide more relevant results than lay terms (e.g. search 'hypertension' rather than 'high blood pressure').

Select 'About HealthPathways' from the contents menu to learn more.

## CONTENTS

To view a pathway, click on a topic in the **contents** menu on the left and the list of relevant pathways will appear. On a mobile device, the contents menu is condensed at the top left.

## SEARCH

Use the **search** box to find a particular pathway.

## FEEDBACK

To provide **feedback** about the portal or a particular pathway, click the 'Send feedback' icon on the bottom right of the screen.