

Speciality	CLINIC NO. 246C and 247C ADULT ORTHOPAEDICS CLINIC
Program	SURGICAL SERVICES
Description of the services	<p>For clients with orthopaedic conditions including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Upper and lower limbs ▪ Major joints ▪ Hip and back problems ▪ Fractures or pain. <p>Clients are seen by an orthopaedic surgeon, a nurse and allied health. Pre and postoperative clients are booked in this clinic.</p>
Eligibility criteria	As above
GP Investigations to be performed	Relevant diagnostic imaging (X-Ray/CT/MRI) of affected area. Client to bring films at time of appointment.
Cost	<p>Nil to clients eligible for Medicare.</p> <p>Note: Patients ineligible for Medicare will be charged a fee for all services provided</p>
Site	MMC Clayton
Clinic Times	Clinic B - Monday: 8:30am – 12:00pm, Weekly
Staff	Clinic/Unit Head: Mr Ton Tran
External referral process	<p>1300 3 iCARE – Access Unit</p> <p>Tel: 1300 3 iCARE – 1300 342 273</p> <p>Fax: 959 iCARE – 9594 2273</p> <p>NB: GP's are requested to refer onto this service using the Victorian Statewide Referral Form housed in most clinical software.</p> <p>(More information on VSRF – www.gpv.org.au then click on Resources) or contact your local Divisions of General Practice.</p>
Internal referral process	<p>Tel: Extension 49888</p> <p>Fax: 959 iCARE – 9594 2273</p>
Referrals will be received from	▪
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