

Population Health Team operations @ COVID-19 level 4

Outreach Immunisation across the district

Essential service- Outreach Childhood immunisations, some additional priority groups

- Phone 0800 247224
- Email enquiries to: Publichealthnursing@southerndhb.govt.nz

Immunisation Coordinators

Essential service – advice & support immunisation providers

- Central lakes: Meg Paulin 027 5397889
- Otago: Helen Turner 027 6004802
- Southland: Suzanne Knowler 027 5397888

Free phone / text 0800 247224

Email enquiries to: Publichealthnursing@southerndhb.govt.nz

National Immunisation Register (NIR)

Reduced Services

- Phone 0800 855 066 option 5 then option 3
- Email enquiries to: NIR.Southland@southerndhb.govt.nz

Sexual Health Services

From 1 April 2020 until further notice:

Dunedin Clinic

- Open Monday to Friday 1-4pm
- Consultation will be via phone calls in the first instance and patients will be seen as needed.
- Schedules are in- place for any patients requiring injection treatment
- 0800742546 ext 1

Invercargill clinic

- Open Mondays 11am-4pm
- Consultation will be via phone calls in the first instance and patients will be seen as needed
- Schedules are in- place for any patients requiring injection treatment
- Phone 0800742546 ext 2

Urban and rural Youth health clinics - Youth health & wellbeing, sexual health / contraception

From 1 April 2020 until further notice:

Reduced service - All clinics closed

- Consultation will be via phone calls in the first instance. Some appointments by prior arrangement -home delivery contraception available
- Phone free phone / text 0800 247224
- Email enquiries to: Publichealthnursing@southerndhb.govt.nz

Dunedin / Invercargill PHN (cover for High school clinics)

Alexandra / Cromwell PHN (cover Central Lakes clinics)

Oamaru PHN (cover for High school clinics)

Balclutha PHN (cover for High school clinics)

Gore PHN (cover for High school clinics)

Cervical Screening Programme (NCSP)

Reduced Service

- Phone 0800 729 727 or urgent calls to 0800 50 60 50
 - Email enquiries to: Cervical.Screening@southerndhb.govt.nz
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Public Health Nursing Service – District - child, youth and family health & wellbeing, school preschool visits, HPV School based immunisation program, home visits, **before school checks**, additional school based services, Puketai, Gateway, group homes alternative education **all on hold**.
From 1 April 2020 until further notice:

- **Some reduced services available**
- Consultation will be via phone calls in the first instance. available
- Phone 0800 247224
- Email enquiries to: Publichealthnursing@southerndhb.govt.nz

Vision Hearing Technicians national screening programme (VHT)

From 23 March 2020 until further notice:

- All VHT screening work suspended
- School and Early Childhood Education Centres closed. No clinic appointments.
- Free phone 0800 885504
- Or email visionhearing@southerndhb.govt.nz

Universal **Newborn Hearing Screening** Early Intervention Programme (UNHSEIP)

From 23 March 2020 until further notice:

Queen Mary Maternity and Southland Hospital Maternity

- Inpatient screenings only in Maternity and NICU – 7 days from 0800hrs
- No outpatient screenings
- Free phone 0800 885544 24/7 – for messages or referrals. (Post COVID-19 restrictions being lifted all births in the community and/or homebirths will be phoned directly by the UNHSEIP team)
- Or email newborn.hearing@southerndhb.govt.nz

Audiology

- All audiology appointments are postponed, audiologists will be available for anything urgent e.g. meningitis referral
 - Email audiology@southerndhb.govt.nz
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