Opioid Management

HealthPathways

HealthPathways is a clinical tool that enables GPs, specialists and other health professionals to meet and work through medical and health issues that are important for our local area. These are accessible via an online information portal. HealthPathways is designed to be used at the point of care and provides information on how to assess and manage medical conditions and health problems, and how to refer patients to local specialists and services in the timeliest way.

Available Pathways

The opioid management team has worked alongside the Western Victoria Primary Health Network HealthPathways team and various subject matter experts in developing pathways relevant to opioid dependence, pain management and opioid replacement prescribing and dispensing, these include:

- Opioid dependence
- Prescribing naloxone
- Medications in chronic pain
- Opioid Pharmacotherapy Dispensing - Information for Pharmacists
- Patient Requests for Combination Analgesics Containing Codeine (CACC)
- Opioid replacement pharmacotherapy
- Chronic Pain
- Referral for pain management services
- Combination Analgesics Containing Codeine Dependence

Who Can Use The HealthPathways Portal?

Only GPs, Pharmacists and other health practitioners can access HealthPathways. The portal is not designed to be used by patients or general community members. Access to the portal is by using a secure login and password.

https://westvic.healthpathways.org.au
Login: westvic
Password: p4thways

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Not sure who to contact? All opioid management team members will be able to assist or connect you to the most appropriate team member.