

Emergency Response Planning Tool for general practice

The Emergency Response Planning Tool (ERPT) is a cloud-based tool that assists general practices to better prepare for, respond to and recover from the effects of emergencies and pandemics. The ERPT aims to assist practices to continue to provide high-quality clinical care to patients by ensuring they are prepared, well stocked and ready to respond when faced with disease outbreaks like a pandemic.

North Western Melbourne Primary Health Network (NWMPHN) is providing general practices in our catchment with free access to the ERPT in 2020. An annual subscription for this tool is valued at \$330.

What are the benefits for your practice?

The tool guides users through a series of planning templates into which critical information about the practice can be entered and saved. The pandemic planning section contains content from the Royal Australian College of General Practitioners (RACGP) and covers principles that can be used to develop plans for pandemic influenza and for other new, highly transmissible or severe communicable diseases.

The information is used to create an emergency response plan which is individually tailored to the general practice. Your practice's custom emergency response plan is then saved and stored in the cloud. It can also be printed as a hard copy resource at any time.

How to apply

If you are interested in free access to the Emergency Response Planning Tool please complete the application form on page two and return by email to:

Primary Health Care Improvement
North Western Melbourne Primary Health Network
E: primarycare@nwmpHN.org.au

Applications are open until further notice.

For enquiries please contact the Primary Health Care Improvement Team on (03) 9347 1188.

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Application

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PRACTICE ADDRESS:

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