



# **Improving Childhood Asthma Management (ICAM) Community of Practice - session 2: Reducing household allergens and triggers for asthma**

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**Pathways are written by GP clinical editors with support from local GPs, hospital-based specialists and other subject matter experts**



- **clear and concise, evidence-based medical advice**
- **Reduce variation in care**
- **how to refer to the most appropriate hospital, community health service or allied health provider.**
- **what services are available to my patients**



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