



The DPV Health Community Asthma Program (CAP) provides asthma education and support for children (1- 17 yrs) with asthma or preschool asthma.

Our program offers one-on-one education, support, and a full health assessment from one of our qualified Asthma Nurse Educators who will assist you and your child to understand asthma/wheeze and how to manage it.

When to use this service

You may wish to use our service for support around management of asthma and preschool asthma. We also advise on related conditions such as eczema, allergies, and hay fever.

The Community Asthma Program can help you:



Understand and manage your child's asthma or preschool asthma



Identify triggers and learn how to control them



Recognise mild, moderate, and severe signs of asthma or preschool asthma



Demonstrate correct puffer and spacer use



Better understand your child's medications



Develop a written asthma action plan



Learn Asthma first aid



Liaise with your GP, school, or childcare provider.





Who can use this service

Children and young people aged 1 - 17 years who are diagnosed with asthma or preschool asthma, living in the areas of Whittlesea, Hume, Darebin, Nillumbik, Merri-bek (Moreland), Mitchell Shire, Macedon Ranges, Banyule, Loddon Mallee.

Residents outside of these areas can receive the CAP service via telehealth. We accept self-referrals and referrals from health care professionals and education settings.

Fees

This is a free service.

Access to Interpreter Services

We offer FREE interpreter access to all clients who need it.

If you require an interpreter, please let our staff know at the time of making an appointment.

Locations



Mill Park

20 Civic Drive
Mill Park VIC 3082



Epping

230 Cooper Street
Epping VIC 3076



Broadmeadows

42-48 Coleraine Street
Broadmeadows VIC
3047



Whittlesea

40-42 Walnut Street
Whittlesea VIC 3757

Home visits can be arranged if required.

How to make an appointment

To make an appointment call **1300 234 263**, and select **Option 4** (All Other Health Services).

Or email cap@dpvhealth.org.au

 1300 234 263

 [dpvhealth.org.au](https://www.dpvhealth.org.au)

 info@dpvhealth.org.au



DPV Health acknowledges the traditional Custodians, Elders and Lands of the Wurundjeri people. DPV Health is committed to the Victorian Child Safe Standards in policy and in practice, to promote and protect the best interests of all children involved in our services.