



We offer support to children who are experiencing delay in mainly one developmental area.

Our skilled Paediatric Occupational Therapists will work with you and/or your child to increase independence in everyday activities at home, pre-school, school, and in the community.

## You may wish to see one of our Paediatric Occupational Therapists for:



Fine motor skills- dexterity, grasping, holding a pencil, copying shapes, using scissors and handwriting



Visual-perceptual skills - discriminating shapes, letters, numbers, matching skills



Emotional regulation and behaviour: Managing feelings and calming self, coping with changes in routine



Coordination and gross motor skills - hopping, skipping, catching a ball, posture



Self-care skills - getting dressed, using cutlery, toileting



Play skills - playing with toys and playing with others



Sensory processing: Sensitivities or seeking behaviours in relation to sound, textures, movement or touch



Attention and concentration- attending to tasks and completing activities and routines

## What to expect:

After an initial assessment of your child, we will create a Client Care Plan. This is a written agreement about how we can work together to help your child achieve the agreed goals.

Your child's therapy may consist of one or more of the following options:

- > Group Therapy
- > Individual Sessions
- > Home Programs
- > Monitoring and/or a Review





## Who can use this service

This service is for children aged 0 – 8 years with mild to moderate delay in mainly one developmental area.

We accept self-referrals, and referrals from GPs, paediatricians, specialists, maternal and child health nurses, other health professionals, carers and early years educators.

For children who require long-term therapy or have a disability, we can help you to access more appropriate services for their needs, such as our Early Childhood Intervention Service or the NDIS (National Disability Insurance Scheme).

## Fees

For more information on fees, see our Client Fees Schedule at [dpvhealth.org.au](https://dpvhealth.org.au)

## 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.

## Service locations



### Craigieburn

55 Craigieburn Road  
Craigieburn VIC 3064



### Mill Park

20 Civic Drive  
Mill Park VIC 3082

## How to make an appointment

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

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 [info@dpvhealth.org.au](mailto: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.