

FibroScan Services

ECCQ provides free FibroScan services for migrants and refugees, regardless of visa status, who have chronic Hepatitis B or Hepatitis C.

Chronic Hepatitis

Chronic hepatitis is a common health issue in CALD populations living in Australia. People living with chronic hepatitis B or hepatitis C may develop liver cirrhosis or liver cancer without showing any signs. Regular checkups and testing by doctors is the key to reducing the risk of liver cirrhosis and liver cancer. A Fibroscan test is one of them.

FibroScan



Fibroscan is a safe, fast and painless test for the liver to check for cirrhosis (liver damage). It can replace liver biopsy which is a painful and longer procedure. ECCQ

provides a free Fibroscan service.

How to Access

- Anyone from a CALD background with chronic Hepatitis B or Hepatitis C can have free FibroScan tests at ECCQ.
- A referral letter or a completed referral form (download at www.eccq.com.au/bbv) from your GP is required.
- If you need to talk about our free FibroScan services you can email referrals@eccq.com.au or phone 3844 9166.

FREE

All our services are free. We can provide services at a time and venue you choose if feasible. We also work outside normal business hours, including weekends.

Feedback

We value your feedback on our services. You can speak to the staff who delivered the service directly or contact the Program Manager using the contact details below.

Contact Us

Website: www.eccq.com.au/bbv

Phone: **3844 9166**

Fax: **3844 3122**

Email: health@eccq.com.au

You can also speak to our bilingual community health workers.

Languages we speak	Phone	Email
Acholi, Juba Arabic, Swahili, English	0479 036 383	christineo@eccq.com.au
Burmese, English	0481 827 751	evelynp@eccq.com.au
Chinese, English	0479 130 997 3844 6877	chinese@eccq.com.au
Dari, English	0419 468 859	iqbalp@eccq.com.au
Dinka, Arabic, Juba Arabic, English	0479 062 234	daniela@eccq.com.au
French, Kirundi, Kinyarwanda, English	0481 838 692	angelinem@eccq.com.au
Korean, English	0428 484 595	korean@eccq.com.au
Swahili, Kirundi, English	0479 153 742	lazarok@eccq.com.au
Vietnamese, English	0428 223 052	vietnamese@eccq.com.au

Please find up to date list of languages on our website www.eccq.com.au/bbv



ECCQ Hepatitis, HIV & Sexual Health Program



About Us

Our state-wide Hepatitis, HIV & Sexual Health Program is funded by Queensland Health to provide free, culturally and linguistically appropriate health education, information, resources and support to people from culturally and linguistically Diverse (CALD) populations living in Queensland.

Community Information

We provide information in different languages on topics relating to Hepatitis, HIV and STIs via phone, social media, email and face-to-face meetings.



Community Resources

We provide free resources relating to Hepatitis, HIV and STIs in various languages. We also have resources for protection, such as free condoms.

You can order the resources by phone, email, fax or our website. You can also download translated information from our website www.eccq.com.au/bbv



What We Do

Community Education

We provide a variety of culturally tailored free education sessions on Hepatitis, HIV and Sexually Transmissible Infections (STIs) to groups, families and individuals. The service is provided to small or large groups, with some sessions able to be delivered in community languages.

Community Support

We provide support to people from CALD backgrounds living with viral hepatitis and their families via face-to-face meetings, phone, email or social media. For further information about our support services, please contact our bilingual community health workers directly or alternatively the Program Manager. We maintain strict confidentiality for people we support.

Service Providers Training

- Cultural training and information for health professionals working in Hepatitis, HIV and STIs.
- Training on Hepatitis, HIV and STIs for multicultural service providers.

