

Specialist Obstetrics Services

Zero Out of Pocket Fees



Dr Martin D'Arcy-Evans Obstetric Information & Fees

ABOUT OUR SERVICE

Dr Martin D'Arcy-Evans is a specialist Obstetrician and Gynaecologist with over 30 years' experience. Before moving his practice to the North West Private Hospital in 2005 he was active in practice, research, teaching and supervising of junior doctors in the Queensland public hospital system as a consultant in Obstetrics & Gynaecology (Redcliffe and Caboolture Hospitals). He has also been active on the QLD training and accreditation committee of the College (RANZCOG). Additionally, Dr D'Arcy-Evans worked in Melbourne and the UK (London & Liverpool).

The principal practice is located at the Ramsay Place Consulting Suites, North West Private Hospital, but also consults at Caboolture Private Hospital and the QML Specialist Centre, North Lakes. Obstetrics operative procedures are conducted at the North West Private Hospital.

Jane and Lindy are our secretarial staff and will happily assist with any queries you may have.

MEDICARE PLUS SAFETY NET

Patients are now protected against large cumulative medical bills for Medicare services provided **outside** hospital, including specialist consultations.

Patients are encouraged to register with Medicare for the Medicare Plus Safety Net.

PRACTICE FEES

In-Rooms:

Listed below is a breakdown of standard fees for obstetric services:

Description of Service	Practice Fee	Medicare Rebate	OUT OF POCKET
Initial Visit	\$0.00	\$72.50	\$ 0.00
Antenatal Visits	\$40.10	\$40.10	\$ 0.00
Planning & Management Fee - payable after 20 weeks	\$275.50	\$275.50	\$ 0.00
Post-Natal Check	\$ 36.55	\$36.55	\$ 0.00
DELIVERY	Health Fund & Medicare Rebate		\$ 0.00

ADDITIONAL EXPENSES

Accounts for the following will be issued separately by the relevant practitioner/s:

Antenatal Screening of Blood - there may be a gap after Medicare rebate, although Doctor D'Arcy-Evans requests bulk billing with QML Pathology.

Pregnancy Scans - additional screening may be required for nuchal skin fold measurements, fetal growth and/or morphology. Doctor D'Arcy-Evans also does his own free bedside scans.

Anaesthetic Services – should you require pain relief during labour or an epidural during a caesarean delivery although many anaesthetists charge a gap fee.

Paediatric Services – a paediatrician will review your baby following delivery and routinely attends a caesarean delivery.

FAQ'S

Who books the hospital?

The patient is required to register with the North West Brisbane Private Hospital on 1800 555 549 or www.northwestprivatehospital.com.au at around 12 to 15 weeks of pregnancy.

Should bookings for delivery be required, Dr D'Arcy-Evans and his staff will organise this in consultation with the patient.

Patients are advised to make enquires directly to North West Private Hospital regarding antenatal classes and hospital costs. The pre-admission form sent from the hospital will require endorsement by Dr D'Arcy-Evans during the course of consultations.

Will Dr be available to deliver my baby? Patients are advised of Dr D'Arcy-Evans' availability for their confinement date or advised of his planned leave.

Who covers for Dr when he is away on leave? In order to maintain safe working practices, Dr D'Arcy-Evans participates in an on-call roster with the following doctors: Dr Terry Sheahan, Dr Robert Watson, Dr John Howland, Dr Nam Bajra and Dr Vila Tuicolo. Patients are welcome to meet with these doctors during the antenatal period if required.

Can my partner attend? Yes. Partners are encouraged and welcome to attend for consultations and the delivery.

Can I choose a paediatrician? Yes. Every attempt will be made to make arrangements for the paediatrician and/or anaesthetist of the patient's choice depending upon their availability.

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ALSO CONSULTING AT:

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QML Specialist Centre

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