

Bendigo Health Site Profile

Bendigo Health Overview:

- Leading regional health service with over 5000 staff, a catchment area covering a quarter of the size of Victoria and services to: Mildura, Echuca, Swan Hill, Kyneton and Castlemaine
- A 778-bed service, Bendigo Health treats more than 57,000 inpatients, deals with more than 60,000 emergency attendances and delivers around 1,700 babies
- These services are complemented by an integrated Cancer Centre, which administers around 9000 chemotherapy treatments each year, and 11 operating theatres where 17,000 surgical procedures are performed annually

Therapeutic Areas with Potential for Clinical Trials (Phases II, III & IV)

- Allied Health
- Cardiovascular
- Endocrinology
- General Surgery
- Haematology
- Infectious Disease
- Intensive Care Unit
- Oncology (also Phase I)
- Orthopaedics
- Renal
- Respiratory
- Women's & Children's

Site Services:

Local Imaging – Bendigo Health Medical Imaging

- **Services:** X-Ray, CT, MRI, PET, DEXA, US, Fluoroscopy & Interventional Radiology

Contact: Bendigo Health Medical Imaging

E: imaging@bendigohealth.org.au

P: 03 5454 8630

Local Pathology

- Australian Clinical Labs (ACL) conducts pathology onsite and offers a clinical trials service
 - NATA Accredited
 - Hours: Inpatients - 24/7, Outpatients - Monday to Friday 8:00am to 4:00pm
- Site equipment: centrifuge (ACL), -80°C Freezer, 2-8°C Fridge

Local Pharmacy – Bendigo Health Clinical Trials Pharmacy

- Secure, temperature controlled and monitored storage of Investigational Product (IP), temperature records available on request (ambient, 2-8°C, and -20°C)
- Clinical Trial Pharmacy Services: Shipment Receipt, Accountability, Dispensing, Interactive Response Technology, Maintaining Blind, On-site process for destruction of IP, On-site Aseptic and Cytotoxic Manufacturing of IP, Maintaining Pharmacy Site Files, Archiving

Contact: Clinical Trials Pharmacist

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Ethics and Governance:

Bendigo Health Human Research Ethics Committee

- NHMRC Registration number: EC00209
- Single site review only
- HREC meets monthly – meeting and submission dates are available on the website

Contact: Research Governance Manager

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Bendigo Health Research Governance

- Site accepts single ethics review of multi-site research projects under NMA

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Start-Up Contacts:

For enquiries related to Oncology clinical trials

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For enquiries related to Intensive Care Unit clinical trials

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For general enquiries and all other therapeutic areas

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