



**HUTT maternity**

Hutt Valley Maternity Care

# **Maternity Assessment Unit (MAU)**

Information for women and their  
families

## What is MAU?

MAU is an outpatient area similar to doctor's rooms. We see a wide range of pregnant women for assessment. Each assessment is individual, and may include blood tests, ultrasound scans, vaginal examination, and specialist doctor review.

It is our aim to provide access to diagnosis, treatment and support for women experiencing pregnancy complications, of any gestation, from early pregnancy up until term.

We are located on the Ground Floor of the Heretaunga Block in the Main Foyer Entrance, High Street (Opposite the Florist)



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## Your appointment

Please phone us in MAU on 587 2652 (if you haven't heard from us by 9.30am) to confirm your appointment time, which will be some time after 1230, on:

Date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

On arrival please have a seat in our waiting area. You will be greeted by one of our Staff and taken through to a consulting room.

You may then be sent to the Laboratory and/or Valley Imaging for investigations as part of your assessment.

Once the results of all the investigations are available they will be reviewed and a plan discussed with you. This may take up to 3-4 hours. It is a good idea to bring a book to read.

You may eat and drink as normal.

If you feel your problem is worsening or you have increasing pain or bleeding before your above appointment, please contact your GP, LMC or the Emergency Department.

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## **Our Contact Details**

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