



Primary Care Access Reminder

Sunshine Coast COVID Physician Task Force

April 7, 2020

Attention: Sunshine Coast Residents

We would like to remind our community that our **Family Physicians' offices and clinics are still actively looking after patients** during the COVID-19 pandemic.

For any medical concerns (new, routine, follow up, prescription refills, or referrals), our Family Physicians are still open and caring for all of the patients on the Sunshine Coast. Patients should continue to contact their family physicians' offices with their medical concerns as they normally would.

Patients who do not currently have a family physician are now able to contact any of the clinics on the Sunshine Coast and can access medical care on a walk-in basis.

Please note: During the current COVID-19 Pandemic, the majority of medical visits will be done virtually by telephone or videoconference in order to reduce the need for people to leave their homes, and to facilitate social distancing measures. Your clinic will give you instructions on how to prepare for a virtual visit at the time you are booked.

If your physician feels that you need to be seen in-person for a physical examination or procedure, they will arrange this with you at an appropriate time.

- The Sunshine Coast COVID Physician Task Force,
Sunshine Coast Division of Family Practice

Respiratory Assessment Clinic

Open 7 days a week for any **cough, cold, flu, fever or breathing concerns**.

Contact the clinic directly or your Family Physician can also arrange a referral for assessment.

Phone/text: 604-740-1252

Email:

coastrespclinic@gmail.com

Medical Clinics

Arbutus: 604-885-2384

Cowrie: 604-670-6222

Gibsons: 604-886-2868

Sechelt: 604-885-2257

Pender Harbour Health

Centre: 604-883-2344

Upstream: 604-885-6400