Monkeypox vaccination

If you're in a high risk group, **you need the monkeypox vaccine.**

But sometimes you don't have the time to travel to a city vaccination centre. At other times, it's too difficult. And sometimes you may just plain simply don't want to go there – whatever the reason. We get that.

That's why we've talked to the Department of Health and have been accredited to provide monkeypox vaccinations to our patients. You need this vaccine, if you're in one of these groups:

- All sexually active gay and bisexual men (cis and trans).
- Their sexual partners
- Sex workers
- Health care workers at increased risk

If you're on the fence about this vaccine make an appointment with your trusted Eleanor Clinic doctor and talk to us. Otherwise: what are you waiting for?

What else do I need to know?

- The monkey pox vaccine is safe. You need two doses a minimum of 28 days apart to get the best protection. It'll take another 14 days before the vaccine is fully effective.
- Mostly men who have sex with men are affected, following an international outbreak since 2022.
- Mpox can be spread
  - from person-to-person
  - by skin-to-skin contact
  - by contact with contaminated surfaces or objects
  - by respiratory droplets
- Symptoms can include a rash, fever, chills, muscle aches, backache, swollen lymph nodes, sore throat and exhaustion. It can also cause rectal pain or discomfort during urination.

Ok – stop talking. Let's just get it done.

[Book your free MPOX vaccine with Eleanor Clinic online](#)

Or call our friendly reception team on 9318 4666 to book.

Mpox is available for all those eligible. Even if you're not usually a patient of Eleanor Clinic we will be providing this service as part of the Western Immunisation Clinic to help protect as many people as possible.

If you would like to attend Eleanor Clinic as a regular patient you will need to book a New patient appointment in addition to your vaccination appointment.