Some women will have had initial visit with their Shared Maternity Care Affiliate (SMCA). Some may be referred out to a SMCA after Booking, in which case comprehensive notes need to be faxed to SMCA after MAC visit. Any queries re process can be directed to Shared Care Coordinator (SCC) sharedcarecoordinator@monashhealth.org Mob: 0466 412 885 Fax: 9554 8188.

| HOSPITAL Midwife Telehealth | 10-12 weeks | - Document history/psychosocial assessment and review investigations performed.  
- Discuss and refer for outstanding screening investigations including aneuploidy screening with copy to: SMCA name and Provider number  
- Post to patient: pathology form, team wallet, handheld record (MRF03)chart & tape measure  
- Fax to SMCA: BOS printed copy (MRF01 page 1 and 2) |
| SMCA Telehealth +/- Face to face | 16-18 weeks | - Review faxed hospital pregnancy (BOS) record*  
- Check results of investigations*  
- Offer influenza vaccine if not already given  
- Perform BP (if none documented)  
- Check taking aspirin if mod - high preeclampsia risk  
- Provide referral for 20-22 week ultrasound; copy to: Shared Care Coordinator Fax: 9554 8188. |
| SMCA Telehealth | 22 weeks | - Check morphology ultrasound result  
- Offer pertussis vaccination  
- Provide referral for 26-28 week investigations with copy to: Shared Care Coordinator Fax 9554 8188 |
| HOSPITAL Face to face | 28 weeks | - Pregnancy check and document in handheld record.  
- Full physical check if not yet performed.  
- Check results of investigations and arrange GDM referrals if necessary  
- Instruct women on self-measuring SFH importance of fetal movements, sleeping on side  
- Give Anti D prophylaxis if Rh negative.  
- Offer pertussis vaccination if not already given.  
- Discuss mode of birth if previous caesarean section (CS)  
- Confirm suitability to remain in shared care |
| SMCA Telehealth | 31 weeks | - Ask about fetal movements and preeclampsia symptoms  
- Check BP and SFH self-measurements  
- If concerns re growth or have not done home BP check, will need F2F check |
| SMCA Telehealth | 34 weeks | - Ask about fetal movements, growth and preeclampsia symptoms  
- Check BP and SFH self-measurements  
- If concerns re growth or have not done home BP check, will need F2F check |
| HOSPITAL Doctor Face to face And midwife Telehealth | 36 weeks | - Pregnancy check and document in handheld record.  
- GBS screen and FBE/ferritin if required with copy to: SMCA name and Provider number.  
- Anti D prophylaxis if Rh negative  
- Mode of birth confirmed for women with prior CS  
- Organise post-dates investigations for women of South Asian background (from 39 weeks)  
- Labour and postnatal planning information via https://monashwomens.org |
| SMCA **Face to face or Telehealth | 38/39 weeks | - Pregnancy check and document in handheld record (or check BP/FH self-measurements)  
- Check results of GBS screen +/- FBE /Ferritin  
- Check post-dates monitoring has been organised for women of South Asian background |
| SMCA Face to face | 40 weeks | - Pregnancy check and document in handheld record  
- Check NEXT hospital appointment made  
- Ensure patient knows to bring handheld record to hospital for birth |
| Hospital visit – Doctor Face to face | 41 weeks | - Post-dates management |

*if not available, contact Shared Care Coordinator  
** could be Telehealth if has home BP, low risk of growth restriction as assessed by hospital
GP/SMCA SUPPORT

- **Maternity Shared Care Coordinator (all sites)**

  For appointments or non-urgent clinical support - response in 48 hours acceptable.
  E.g. arranging referral for gestational diabetes
  E: sharedcarecoordinator@monashhealth.org  M: 0466 412 885

- **Pregnancy Assessment Unit - if URGENT**

  E.g. decreased fetal movements, high BP, malpresentation after 36 weeks, COVID-19 confirmed or suspected; antepartum haemorrhage
  **Clayton**, 9594 5032 (Select Option 3) **Dandenong**, Birth Suite 9554 8180  **Casey**, Birth Suite 8768 1755

- **Monash Genetics**

  E.g. abnormal/high risk aneuploidy test
  P: 9594 2026

- **Fetal Diagnostic Unit**

  E.g. significant abnormality on ultrasound – phone: 9594 2343 or 9594 2171 (Mon-Fri)

  **For other concerns, contact: Maternity GP Liaison Officer** – Dr Rebecca Fradkin
  via Monash Health Switchboard 9594 6666 (Option 6) or rebecca.fradkin@monashhealth.org

**RELATED PROCEDURES and GUIDELINE**

- Pregnancy care: visits, tests, information, immunisations CG
- Pregnancy tests, investigations and key visit information Procedure
- Down syndrome, aneuploidy and high risk screening CG
- Preparation for labour, birth, breastfeeding and early parenting
- Birth after a previous caesarean
- Rhesus D negative women
- Aspirin to help prevent pre-eclampsia (patient information)

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