

Name:
 D.O.B.:
 Gender:
 Phone:
 U.R.:
 In-Patient: Yes No



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This laboratory has been accredited by the Thoracic Society of Australia and New Zealand

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Clinical History:

APPOINTMENT

- The Austin Hospital
- Repatriation Hospital
- The Northern Hospital
- Bethlehem Hospital

Date: ____/____/____

Time: ____ . ____

Request:

- 1 Spirometry/Flow-volume Curve
- 2 TLCO (CO transfer factor) including CO-Oximetry
- 3 Plethysmographic Lung Volumes
- 4 Bronchial Provocation
 Select: a) Methacholine b) Mannitol c) Exercise
- 5 Arterial Blood Gases CO-Oximetry
- 6 Shunt
- 7 Maximal Respiratory Pressures
- 8 Treadmill Exercise (Oximetry Only)
- 9 Cardiopulmonary Exercise Test
- 10 Altitude Simulation Test
- 11 Skin Prick Test
- 12 Nasal Resistance
- 13 Other (Specify)

Referring Doctor's Signature

Print Name

Address / Phone Number

Instructions to patients for respiratory function tests

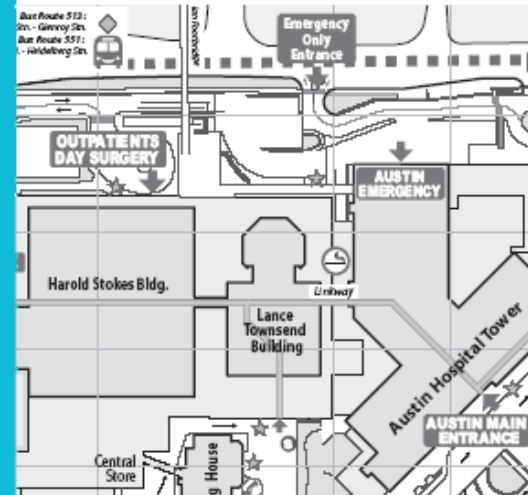
1. If your spoken English is weak an interpreter may be arranged free of cost. This should be requested at the time your appointment is made.
2. Before your appointment **do not take** the following for the times indicated unless absolutely necessary:
 - a) Inhalers (puffers) or nebulisers..... **6 hours**
 - b) Long acting inhalers (Seretide, Symbicort, Spiriva, Oxis) **48 hours**
 - c) Antihistamines **48 hours**
 - d) Large meals, strenuous exercise **2 hours**
 - e) Caffeine containing products..... **4 hours**
3. Exercise testing requires loose clothing suitable for cycling (no skirts/dresses).
4. **Parking may be congested** at the hospital, **please allow 20 minutes to find a parking space** and locate the Unit. There are several twenty minute "drop off" and "pick up" zones in the disabled car park (SEE STARS★) on the map below.

If you are unable to attend at your appointment please call (03) 9496 5739 to reschedule.

DIRECTIONS TO THE RESPIRATORY LABORATORY (RL)

At The Austin Hospital

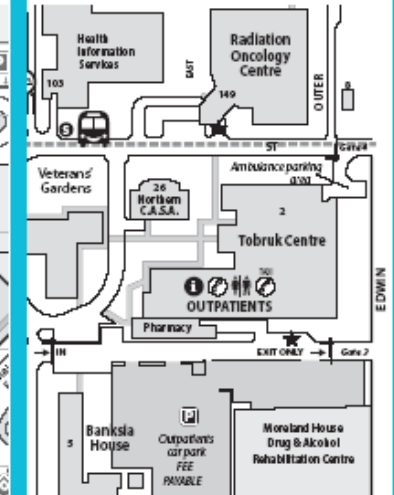
Best access to the RL is from the **Harold Stokes Building (HSB)** Outpatient entry on Level 3 **OR** to access HSB from the Austin Main entry, take the lift to Level 3 and follow the blue line. You then need the lift down to Level 1. Turn left and left again on leaving the lift and the RL is in front of you.



At The Repatriation Hospital

The laboratory is on Level 1 of the **Tobruk Centre**.

There is parking in front of the building and a drop off zone at the Main Entrance.



At The Northern Hospital

The Laboratory is in the **Outpatient clinic** area. Parking is best in the main car park and from the main entry, follow the signs to out-patients and report to reception desk 'B'.

At Bethlehem Hospital

Local MND clinic requesting procedures will guide patients.