

# Hepatitis B & C Management in Primary Care Box Hill

Did you know that approx. **1/4** of all **people living with CHB** in Victoria were born in mainland **China, Hong Kong, or Taiwan** (estimated at 14, 700)?

**37% live within the Eastern Melbourne PHN catchment.**

The topics most practical to those working in the primary care setting will be covered: at risk populations, modes of transmission, and management, including: risk assessment, screening, testing, diagnosis, and suitability and preparation for treatment.

Whilst this course is specifically targeting GPs of Chinese heritage or those who see a large amount of patients of Chinese ancestry, all GPs are welcome to attend.

## Learning Objectives

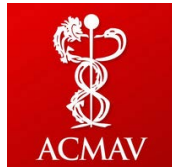
- Improve patient outcomes through early diagnosis, follow up, and appropriate management of hepatitis B & C, including vaccination for hepatitis B
- Ensure regular screening of at risk patients and confidently interpret hepatitis B and hepatitis C test results
- Assess for advanced liver disease, monitor for hepatocellular carcinoma and refer appropriately
- Describe new hepatitis C treatment guidelines and mechanisms for prescribing in consultation with, or without, a specialist
- Discuss with patients the hepatitis B treatment options and importance of regular monitoring

This session will be facilitated by Dr Christopher Leung (Clinical Gastroenterologist, Austin and Royal Melbourne Hospital and Clinical Tutor and Researcher, The University of Melbourne Department of Medicine) and Dr Lilia Iliina (General Practitioner at Coolaroo Clinic and Royal Australian College of General Practitioners Examiner).



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## HEPATITIS VICTORIA



**Tuesday 26th March 2019**

6.30 - 7.00 pm: Dinner and registration

7.00 - 9.00 pm: Training session

RSVP by: Tuesday 19th March 2019

Registrations are essential

*A light dinner will be provided*

### Venue:

Eastern Melbourne PHN  
18-20 Prospect Street, Box Hill 3128  
Banksia Room, Ground Floor

### For more information:

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### RACGP:

This course has been approved for 4  
Category 2 points



National Viral Hepatitis Mapping Project, The Doherty Institute

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