

## ATAPS Referral Process

GP initiates referral if appropriate as per ATAPS eligibility criteria (see below for eligibility info)



GP completes Mental Health Treatment Plan (MHTP) and referral letter



GP sends both the MHTP & referral to Marathon Health Centralised Intake Service for triage and assessment

Secure fax: **(02) 6882 7224**

Or ARGUS:

**mentalhealthargus@marathonhealth.com.au**



Referral reviewed by Marathon Health—if accepted, referral will be forwarded to an ATAPS provider to commence sessions

(see below for more info)



Patient to be reviewed by GP following initial 6 sessions with provider.

Patient can access up to 12 sessions per year

(or up to 18 in exceptional circumstances)

For more information, please refer to our website:  
[www.marathonhealth.com.au](http://www.marathonhealth.com.au)  
or contact the ATAPS Information Line: (02) 6826 5271



# ATAPS Eligibility Criteria

## General ATAPS & MHSRRA

- Health care card holder and/or in genuine financial hardship
- Mild-moderate mental health diagnosis
- Completed Mental Health Treatment Plan (MHTP) & Referral

Available: see [website](#) for list of locations

Format: 12 sessions available per referral—6 sessions initially, then GP review of MHTP to continue. A further 6 sessions (up to max. 18) are available in exceptional circumstances

## ATAPS - Child Mental Wellbeing Service

- Be aged less than 12 years old
- From a family in genuine financial hardship and/or hold health care card
- Be showing signs of an emerging childhood emotional, behavioural or mental disorder  
OR have a diagnosis of mild-moderate disorder
- Have a completed MHTP or [Child Treatment Plan](#) & Referral

Available: Dubbo, Bathurst, Cowra, Gilgandra, Coonabarabran

Format: As per General ATAPS

## ATAPS - Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Mental Health

- Identify as Aboriginal/Torres Strait Islander
- Health care card holder and/or in genuine financial hardship
- Mild-moderate mental health diagnosis
- Have a completed Mental Health Treatment Plan (MHTP) & Referral

Available: Dubbo, Orange, Peak Hill, Coonamble, Condobolin, Wellington, Forbes & Gilgandra

Format: As per General ATAPS

## ATAPS - Perinatal Depression Service

- ***Does not need to be low income/health care card holder/in financial hardship***
- Be in duration of current pregnancy or have baby less than 1 year old
- Be at risk of developing mental health issue OR have a diagnosed mild-moderate mental health issue
- Have a completed Mental Health Treatment Plan (MHTP) & Referral

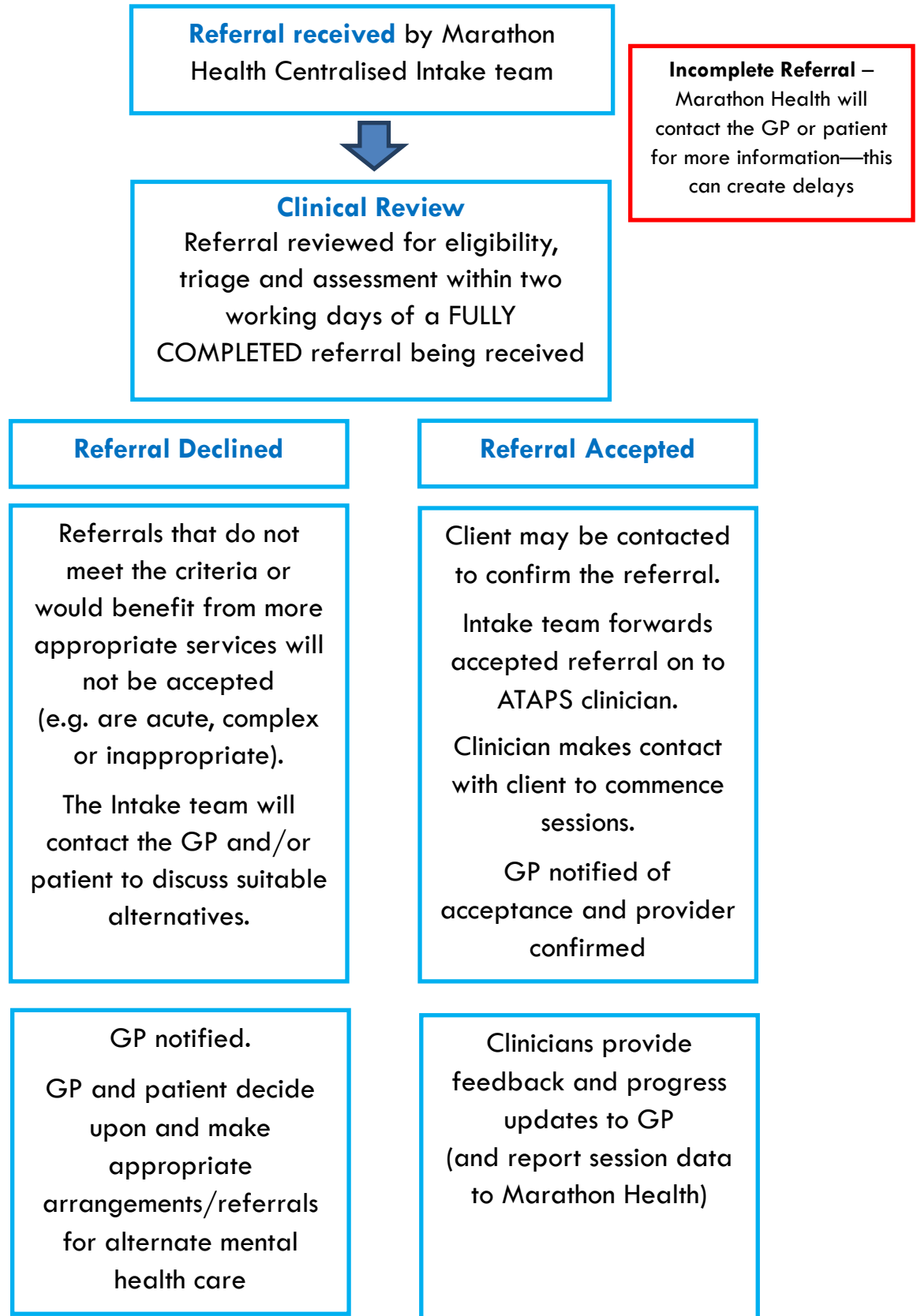
Available: Dubbo, Bathurst & Orange

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# Centralised Intake Assessment Process



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