



Patient Bay - Emergency, Ambulatory Treatment

Room Code	PTB-E-AMT
Briefed Area	6.50 m ²
Ceiling Height	2.7 m
Occupancy	1 patient; 1 visitor; 1-2 staff intermittently
Hours of Operation	24 hours

Description | The Patient Bay - Emergency, Ambulatory Treatment (also referred to as “Fast Track”) provides the space equipment and services for assessment, treatment and observation of ambulant patients with non-complex (e.g. single system) acute conditions and injuries requiring a short episode of care within the Emergency Unit.

Electrical	PROTECTION: body protected <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	HVAC	AIRCONDITIONING: general <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	PROTECTION: cardiac protected <input type="checkbox"/>		AIRCONDITIONING: HEPA filtered <input type="checkbox"/>
Lighting	LIGHTING: general <input type="checkbox"/>	AIRCONDITIONING: positive pressure <input type="checkbox"/>	AIRCONDITIONING: negative pressure <input type="checkbox"/>
	LIGHTING: colour corrected <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	VENTILATION: exhaust <input type="checkbox"/>	VENTILATION: supply <input type="checkbox"/>
	LIGHTING: dimmable <input type="checkbox"/>	VENTILATION: natural <input type="checkbox"/>	
	LIGHTING: indirect <input type="checkbox"/>		
Nurse Call and Duress	NURSE CALL SYSTEM: buttons / handset <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Medical Gas	MEDICAL GAS: general anaesthesia <input type="checkbox"/>
	NURSE CALL SYSTEM: annunciator <input type="checkbox"/>		MEDICAL GAS: special care <input type="checkbox"/>
	DURESS: fixed <input type="checkbox"/>		MEDICAL GAS: special care, neonatal ventilation <input type="checkbox"/>
	DURESS: wireless coverage <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		MEDICAL GAS: birthing <input type="checkbox"/>
Security	ACCESS CONTROL: to door <input type="checkbox"/>	Hydraulic	WATER: drinking <input type="checkbox"/>
	ACCESS CONTROL: to item / joinery <input type="checkbox"/>		WATER: specialty <input type="checkbox"/>
	INTERCOM: service communications <input type="checkbox"/>		DRAINAGE: sanitary <input type="checkbox"/>
	INTERCOM: security and access control <input type="checkbox"/>		DRAINAGE: specialty <input type="checkbox"/>
	CCTV: camera coverage within room <input type="checkbox"/>	Fire	DETECTION: smoke <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	INTRUSION DETECTION: door monitoring <input type="checkbox"/>		DETECTION: heat <input type="checkbox"/>
	INTRUSION DETECTION: spatial monitoring <input type="checkbox"/>		
ICT and Audio Visual	AUDIO VISUAL: patient entertainment system <input type="checkbox"/>	Shielding	SHIELDING: ionising radiation <input type="checkbox"/>
	AUDIO VISUAL: visitor experience system <input type="checkbox"/>		SHIELDING: magnetic and radio frequency <input type="checkbox"/>
	AUDIO VISUAL: virtual collaboration system <input type="checkbox"/>	Acoustics	SPEECH PRIVACY: not private moderate private confidential
	AUDIO VISUAL: clinical support system <input type="checkbox"/>		NOISE SENSITIVITY: not sensitive low medium high
	AUDIO VISUAL: digital operating room system <input type="checkbox"/>		NOISE GENERATION: low moderate high very high
Accessibility	AUDIO: hearing augmentation <input type="checkbox"/>		
	VISUAL: luminance contrast <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
	SIGNAGE: accessible, statutory <input type="checkbox"/>		

Additional Considerations

- Clear line of sight to the patient in the patient bay from a staff station/write-up area is required for patient observation.
- A handwash basin is to be provided for every 4-6 patient bays. Quantity and location of handwashing basins in relation to the patient bay will be subject to the overall department layout and informed by ensuring reasonable travel distances and ease of access from each patient bay. Close access to dedicated PPE bays shared between patient bays is also required separate to bays for handwashing basins. Refer to Part D: Infection Prevention and Control for more information.
- A wall clock should be visible from all clinical areas in the Emergency unit. The location and type of clocks provided, including any required connection to a master clock system, is to be determined at a project level.

- The content and configuration of the medical services panel (MSP), including medical gases, power and data, will be dependent on clinical services requirements and the services requirements of selected equipment. Final configuration is to be confirmed at project level.
- The clear area required on each side of the patient trolley for use of transfer aids (such as mobile hoists, patient slides, hover mats, etc.), the space for the trolley or wheelchair the patient is being transferred to, and the staff required to assist/complete the patient transfer, is to be considered and confirmed at project level. Work Health and Safety (WHS) policies and patient transfer devices that are intended to be used in the patient bay should be confirmed by the project team.
- The weight capacity of recliners selected must be considered to suit a wide range of patient requirements. The recliner must also have the ability to lay completely flat.
- Mobile duress coverage is to be assessed and planned at a department level and coverage is to meet local security and WHS policies as well as operational service requirements.
- It is recommended that a dedicated power outlet, clearly separate from the medical services panel (MSP), is provided to support patient and visitor use for charging portable devices. Inclusion of integral USB outlets will depend on local ICT policies.
- In some spaces, such as patient bays, a level of speech privacy of “confidential” would be recommended to protect sensitive patient information. However, due to clinical services requirements for patient care and observation, these spaces cannot be fully enclosed and therefore cannot achieve this level of speech privacy. The speech privacy rating of “not private” has been noted in relation to the elements of the physical environment that can contribute to speech privacy, however, operational approaches to maintaining confidentiality during discussions with patients and support persons must be considered.
- Size, type and quantity of waste bins provided within the patient bay, including sharps bins, will be dependent on clinical service requirements, operational models for waste management (including separation of waste streams and frequency of waste removal) and local infection prevention and control (IPC) policies. It may be determined that bins for specific waste streams are to be located in a shared area between multiple patient bays and possibly brought to the patient bay as required.
- Provision and extent of emergency/standby power and/or uninterruptible power supply (UPS) is to be confirmed to suit clinical services requirements and site conditions. Confirmation of power requirements is to be based on risk assessment considering the impact of a power outage on patient care/safety and medical equipment specifications.
- Provision of cleaner’s power outlets is to be rationalised across the department and spaced in accordance with AS/NZS 3003.
- Access to natural light and an external outlook is desirable. However, patient privacy must also be considered when determining window placement. Where high-level windows are provided to the bedhead wall of patient bays consideration must be given to the location of wall mounted items such as patient monitors.
- The type, materiality and cleaning requirements of window coverings to external windows is to be confirmed at project level to suit local infection prevention and control (IPC) policies and risk assessments. Refer to Part D Section 6.4 for more information.



Finishes

CODE	DESCRIPTION	COMMENT
FLVY-101	FLOOR FINISH: vinyl, seamless, standard slip resistance	
FLSK-021	SKIRTING: vinyl, integral with floor vinyl, coved	
WLFI-002	WALL FINISH: paint, clinical areas	
CLTI-024.02	CEILING: drop-in tiles, anti-microbial, acoustic, prefinished, 600 x 1200	flush set ceiling is also acceptable
CLCN-041	CORNICE: wall trim fixing, prefinished	square set cornice acceptable if flush set ceiling is provided
WLPR-002	WALL PROTECTION: bedhead wall panel, low height	



Fittings, Furniture and Equipment (FF&E)

CODE	DESCRIPTION	GROUP	QTY	COMMENT
FIDI-241	DISPENSER: alcohol-based hand rub, wall mounted	2	1	
FIHR-101	BRACKET: suction bottle, wall mounted	2	1	
FIHR-161	BRACKET: storage basket, wall mounted	2	1	type and extent of storage for consumables is to be confirmed to suit clinical services requirements, operational models for stock centralisation/decanting and local IPC policies
FIRT-051	TRACK: curtain, privacy	1	1	

CODE	DESCRIPTION	GROUP	QTY	COMMENT
FQBS-101	CHAIR: visitor, clinical areas	3	1	
FQGE-101	CURTAIN: privacy screen	3	2	
FQGE-113	BASKET: storage, for wall mounted panel, medium	3	1	type and extent of storage for consumables is to be confirmed to suit clinical services requirements, operational models for stock centralisation/decanting and local IPC policies
FQWS-003	BIN: sharps, clinical, medium	3	1	size to suit clinical services requirements and operational models for frequency of disposal; may alternatively be provided as wall mounted or on clinical trolleys that are shared across the unit and brought to the patient bay as required; solution to suit clinical services requirements and local IPC policies
FQWS-031	CART: sharps bin, clinical	3	1	sharps bin may alternatively be wall mounted or on a clinical trolleys that are shared across the unit and brought to the patient bay as required; solution to suit clinical services requirements and local IPC policies
FQWS-051	BIN: general waste, 20L	3	1	size, type, quantity and location of waste bins will be dependent on clinical services requirements, operational models for waste management and local IPC policies
MMBE-091	CHAIR: patient, recliner, clinical, electric	3	1	selected item to be able to lay flat
MMGE-191	CANNISTER: suction bottle	3	1	
MMGE-238	DIAGNOSTIC SET: otoscope, ophthalmoscope and thermometer, wall mounted	2	1	configuration of diagnostic equipment to be confirmed to suit clinical services requirements



Engineering Services

CODE	DESCRIPTION	GROUP	QTY	COMMENT
ELGP-101	GPO: single, wall mounted	1	1	to diagnostic set
ELGP-131	GPO: single, emergency power, wall mounted	1	1	low height, for patient recliner
ELGP-201	GPO: double, wall mounted	1	1	for patient and visitor use to charge portable devices; inclusion of integral USB outlets is dependent on local ICT policies
ELPR-071	RCD: residual current device, wall mounted	1	1	quantity and type to be confirmed to suit finalised power allocations
ELPR-081	RCD: residual current device, emergency power, wall mounted	1	1	quantity and type to be confirmed to suit finalised power allocations
ITCL-111	LIGHT: nurse call indicator, ceiling mounted	1	1	outside curtain at foot of recliner; location to ensure visibility along paths of travel
ITCL-181	BUTTON: nurse call, staff assist, with cancel, wall mounted	1	1	may be combined on a single face plate with patient to staff call button; located to support quick access by staff
ITCL-191	BUTTON: nurse call, emergency, with cancel, wall mounted	1	1	located to support quick access by staff
ITCL-251	HANDSET: nurse call, patient to staff call	1	1	with holder and cable management items as required
LIFX-111	LIGHT: examination, ceiling recessed	1	1	light switch located on MSP; may alternatively be provided as an articulated examination light with fixture mounted controls



Medical Services Panels and Pendants

CODE	DESCRIPTION	GROUP	QTY	COMMENT
Panel 1				
MMSP-051	MEDICAL SERVICES PANEL: wall mounted	①	1	to patient's right; content and configuration to be confirmed based on clinical services requirements and medical equipment selection
ELGP-146	GPO: single, emergency power, on services panel	①	2	
ELPR-083	RCD: residual current device, emergency power, on services panel	①	1	
ELSW-001	SWITCH: light	①	1	to ceiling recessed examination light; fixture may alternatively be provided as an articulated examination light with fixture mounted controls
ITIN-025	OUTLET: data, double RJ45, on services panel	①	1	
MGAS-022	OUTLET: medical air, on services panel	①	1	
MGAS-042	OUTLET: oxygen (O2), on services panel	①	1	
MGAS-062	OUTLET: suction, on services panel	①	1	
MGFP-021	FLOWMETER: medical air	③	1	
MGFP-041	FLOWMETER: oxygen	③	1	
MGFP-061	ADAPTER: suction	③	1	
Panel 2				
MMSP-051	MEDICAL SERVICES PANEL: wall mounted	①	1	to patient's left; content and configuration to be confirmed based on clinical services requirements and medical equipment selection
ELGP-146	GPO: single, emergency power, on services panel	①	2	
ELPR-083	RCD: residual current device, emergency power, on services panel	①	1	
ITCL-133	BUTTON: nurse call, patient to staff call, with cancel, with handset connection point, on services panel	①	1	may be combined on a single face plate with staff assist call button; located to support quick access by staff

For guidance on how to use the Room Data Sheet, please visit the [AusHFG website](#).