

# Doctors of Ivanhoe – DOI Home Visits and Other Visits Policy

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## Overview

Where safe and reasonable, our practice makes visits to regular practice patients in their homes, aged or residential care facilities, or in hospitals within and outside of normal working hours. We also have After Hours arrangements that provides home visits.

Requests for home visits are individually assessed by the doctor on case-by-case basis with regard to personal circumstances of patient & Dr, safety & reasonableness to visit the home, consideration of clinical appropriateness for alternative care provision such as telehealth or video consultation, doctor's agreeability to attend the home and travel distance generally no greater than 5 kilometers.