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# Needle and Syringe Program

Alcohol, Tobacco and Other Drugs Service  
(ATODS)



**Queensland  
Government**

*We offer a discreet, confidential service  
for injecting drug users*

## Our services



### North Ward Health Campus:

- **Free** sterile injecting equipment, 8:00am - 4:30pm, Monday-Friday
- External safe disposal bins
- Health information and harm reduction education
- Connect you to counselling and health services
- Needle Dispensing Machine (NDM), 1ml and 3ml syringe kits
- NDM kits cost \$2.00 coin per kit and contain 5 needles and syringes, alcohol wipes, cotton filters and a safe disposal container.



### Kirwan Campus:

- Needle dispensing machine (1ml and 3ml syringe kits)
- External safe disposal bins
- 1ml, 3ml and 5ml syringe kits (available at reception).

## Who can use this service?

Anyone needing sterile injecting equipment and harm reduction information for illicit drug use.

## Outside hours support

### Alcohol and Drug Info Service (ADIS)

24-hour free and confidential alcohol and drug counselling, information, and advice.

**Phone: 1800 177 833**



### QLD Needle & Syringe Program App

This FREE app allows clients to search for public and pharmacy NSPs across Queensland. It also contains useful information about safe injecting practices, blood-borne viruses and overdose.



To download the app, scan the QR Code or visit the app store on your mobile device

## How do I access the Needle and Syringe Program?

Business hours are:

8:00am - 4:30pm, Monday - Friday.

### North Ward

Main reception, ground floor of the North Ward Health Campus (Gregory Street).

### Kirwan

Main reception (adult end) of the Kirwan Health Campus.

### Rural

Needle and Syringe support is provided in outlying areas including (but not limited to) Ingham, Ayr, Palm Island and Charters Towers. Call 4433 9600 for more locations and details.

## What is the government's view on Needle and Syringe Programs?

Needle syringe programs are an important part of Australia's National Harm Reduction Strategy.

By providing sterile injecting equipment we reduce the harm associated with illicit drug use for both people who inject drugs and the wider community.