**Accommodation information for patients, relatives and carers**

The following is a list of apartments, hotels and motels in East Melbourne and surrounding areas that provide accommodation. This list is by no means exhaustive and other comparable options may be available.

Please contact the accommodation provider listed for room availability and current rates prior to attending The Royal Victorian Eye and Ear Hospital (Eye and Ear). Please note: all rates listed are subject to change without notice.

When booking accommodation, please mention that a patient is or will be attending the Eye and Ear as you may be eligible for reduced rates of stay. It is good practice to book directly with the accommodation provider to ensure you secure the best rates. Further information on accommodation options around the hospital can be found online at [www.hospitalstays.com.au](http://www.hospitalstays.com.au).

Country patients may also be eligible for the [VPTAS](https://www2.health.vic.gov.au/hospitals-and-health-services/rural-health/vptas-how-to-apply) (the Victorian Patient Transport Assistance Scheme) rebate. Further information can be found on the VPTAS website or by calling 1300 737 073. Application forms are available online or at the reception desks at Eye and Ear.

All other states and territories operate a patient travel assistance scheme. Further information may be obtained in your state or territory.

If you would like to provide any feedback regarding the options available or alternatives that are not listed here, please feel free to email us at [info@eyeandear.org.au](mailto:info@eyeandear.org.au).

**Features**

**Georgian Court Guest House Bed & Breakfast**

**21-25 George Street, East Melbourne**

Phone: (03) 9415 8221 or 0433 454 491 for after-hours service

Email: [info@georgiancourt.com.au](mailto:info@georgiancourt.com.au)

Web: [www.georgiancourt.com.au](https://eyeandearorgau-my.sharepoint.com/personal/scigdem_eyeandear_org_au/AppData/Local/Microsoft/Windows/INetCache/Content.Outlook/5SGOUZRG/www.georgiancourt.com.au)

Tea and coffee making facilities, colour television and fridge, air conditioning, lounge area. Guest laundry facilities (fees apply).

**Room types and rates**

* Single standard from $105.00 (One person)
* Double and twin en-suite from $115.00 (Two people)
* Family standard / en-suite from $155.00 (3 People)

**Parking and Transport**

Complimentary parking, limited spaces available.

5 min drive to Eye and Ear.

17 min walk to Eye and Ear.

**City Square Motel**

**67 Swanston Street, Melbourne**

**Contact details**

Phone: (03) 9664 1700

Email: [admin@citysquaremotel.com.au](mailto:admin@citysquaremotel.com.au)

Web: [www.citysquaremotel.com.au](http://www.citysquaremotel.com.au)

**Features**

Free wi-fi, en-suite bathroom, air conditioning. Wheelchair accessible.

**Room types and rates**

* Standard / deluxe single room from $90.00
* Standard / queen room from $119.00
* Standard / deluxe queen room from $139.00
* Standard twin room from $159.00
* Family room from $179.00

**Parking and Transport**

City Square Motel do not have on-site car parking.

Be aware only taxis and emergency vehicles can drive along Swanston St. Parking is available through Wilsons Parking at 172 Flinders St next to St. Pauls Cathedral (3 min walk from the Motel). The hotel has the ability to validate your ticket to receive a discounted rate of $31 for 24 hrs. Please collect your validated ticket at reception upon arrival.

Trams nearby.

9 min drive to Eye and Ear.

16 min walk to Eye and Ear.

**Knightsbridge Apartments**

**101 George Street, East Melbourne**

Phone: (03) 9973 9868

Email: [book@knightsbridgeapartments.com.au](mailto:book@knightsbridgeapartments.com.au)

Web: [www.knightsbridgeapartments.com.au](http://www.knightsbridgeapartments.com.au)

**Features**

Kitchenette, en-suite bathroom, air-conditioning, 51cm TV, free wi-fi available. Dry cleaning & laundry, same day service (fees apply).

**Room types and rates**

* Studio / King bed from $120.00
* Studio / Twin from $130.00
* Family room from $190.00

**Parking and Transport**

Limited off-street parking available. Can offer some on-street parking permits. Please note parking is not guaranteed nor can it be reserved.

4 min drive to Eye and Ear.

14 min walk to Eye and Ear.

**Features**

**CityEdge Serviced Apartments**

**179 Powlett Street, East Melbourne**

Phone: (03) 9005 5399

Email: [ceem@cityedge.com.au](mailto:ceem@cityedge.com.au) or use ‘Contact Us’ tab on website.

Web: [www.cityedge.com.au/locations/east-melbourne/](http://www.cityedge.com.au/locations/east-melbourne/)

Kitchenette, guest laundry. Wheelchair accessible.

**Room types and rates**

* $159.00 family/studio
* $159.00 one bedroom apt + $30.00ea extra person
* $189.00 two bedroom apt + $30.00ea extra person

**Parking and Transport**

Free off-street parking.

4 min drive to Eye and Ear.

15 min walk to the Eye and Ear.

**Features**Buffet breakfast room ($15.00 per adult, $10.00 per child), on-site gym & pool.

**Best Western Atlantis Hotel**

**300 Spencer Street, Melbourne**

Phone: (03) 9600 2900

Email: [sales@atlantishotel.com.au](mailto:sales@atlantishotel.com.au)

Web: [www.atlantishotel.com.au](http://www.atlantishotel.com.au)

**Room types and rates**

* Standard (2 people, queen size bed)
* Superior twin (2 people, 2 single beds)
* Executive twin (3 people, 1 queen bed, 1 single bed)
* Family suite (4 people, 1 double bed, 2 single beds)

Rates from $130.00 Sunday – Thursday, $180.00 Friday – Saturday, market rate Saturday – Sunday

**Parking and Transport**

Parking $25.00 per day.

Trams nearby.

9 min drive to Eye and Ear.

38 min walk to Eye and Ear.

**Features**

**Melbourne Metropole Central**

**44 Brunswick Street, Fitzroy**

Phone: (03) 9411 8100 or 1800 061 441

Email: [reservations@metropolecentral.com.au](mailto:reservations@metropolecentral.com.au)

Web: [www.metropolecentral.com.au/](https://eyeandearorgau-my.sharepoint.com/personal/scigdem_eyeandear_org_au/AppData/Local/Microsoft/Windows/INetCache/Content.Outlook/5SGOUZRG/www.metropolecentral.com.au/)

Free wi-fi, outdoor swimming pool, gym, air-conditioning, guest laundry, restaurant & bar (restaurant & bar subject to Covid restrictions).

**Room types and rates**

Rates based on one person.

* Studio from $168.00, junior from $173.00
* One bed apartment from $198.00
* Two bed apartment from $239.00
* Two bed deluxe apartment from $239.00

Mention that you are a patient/family member or staff member for the Eye and Ear Hospital to access potential discounted rates.

**Parking and Transport**

Complimentary undercover car parking.

2 min drive to Eye and Ear.

5 min walk to Eye and Ear.

**Features**

**Birches Serviced Apartments**

**160 Simpson Street (Cnr Albert Street), East Melbourne**

Phone: (03) 9417 2344 or 1800 651 623

Email: [info@birches.com.au](mailto:info@birches.com.au)

Web: [www.birches.com.au](http://www.birches.com.au)

Free wi-fi, guest laundry (coin operated), barbeque area, pet friendly. Wheelchair access.

**Room types and rates**

* One bedroom queen / twin / wheelchair accessible from $140.00
* Deluxe one bedroom from $150.00
* Extra person/pet can stay for $30.00

Contact hotel directly to enquire about best rates.

**Parking and Transport**

Secure on-site parking at $20.00 per night.

Trams nearby.

4 min drive to Eye and Ear.

16 min walk to Eye and Ear.

**Comfort Hotel East Melbourne**

**90 Albert Street, East Melbourne**

Phone: (03) 9418 6666 or 0451 367 688

Email: [info@comforthoteleastmelbourne.com.au](mailto:info@comforthoteleastmelbourne.com.au)

Web: [www.choicehotels.com/en-au/victoria/east-melbourne/comfort-inn-hotels/au908](http://www.choicehotels.com/en-au/victoria/east-melbourne/comfort-inn-hotels/au908)

**Features**

Free wi-fi, Foxtel, kitchen facilities, guest laundry.

**Room types and rates**

* Standard (twin or double) $155.00
* Deluxe $155.00
* Premier $165.00

Additional guests stay for an extra $30 per person, per night.

**Parking and Transport**

Parking is free, but with limited bays available. Cannot reserve. Hotel provides discounted parking tickets for nearby paid parking, $24.00 per day.

Tram 12 or 109 nearby.

3 min drive to Eye and Ear.

15 min walk to Eye and Ear.

**Punthill Little Bourke**

**11-17 Cohen Place, (Chinatown) Melbourne**

Phone: 1300 964 821

Email: [info@punthill.com.au](mailto:info@punthill.com.au)

Web: [punthill.com.au/hotels/punthill-little-bourke/](https://punthill.com.au/hotels/punthill-little-bourke/)

**Features**

Free wi-fi, kitchenette, guest laundry, housekeeping services, food delivery. Pet friendly.

**Room types and rates**

* Studio Apartment from $159.00

Booking code: EYENEAR

**Parking and Transport**

Parking available (fee applies).

5 min drive to Eye and Ear.

10 min walk to Eye and Ear.

Close to trams.

**Features**

**Punthill Flinders Lane**

**267 Flinders Lane, Melbourne**

Phone: 1300 964 821

Email: [info@punthill.com.au](mailto:info@punthill.com.au)

Web: [punthill.com.au/hotels/punthill-flinders-lane/](https://eyeandearorgau-my.sharepoint.com/personal/scigdem_eyeandear_org_au/AppData/Local/Microsoft/Windows/INetCache/Content.Outlook/5SGOUZRG/punthill.com.au/hotels/punthill-flinders-lane/)

Free wi-fi, kitchenette, guest laundry, housekeeping services, food delivery. Pet friendly.

**Room types and rates**

* Studio Apartment (2 people) from $155.00
* One Bedroom (3 people) from $187.00
* Two Bedroom (4 people) $245.00
* Booking code: EYENEAR

**Parking and Transport**

Parking available (fee applies). Pre-book at [www.secureparking.com.au](http://www.secureparking.com.au).

10 min drive to Eye and Ear.

20 min walk to Eye and Ear.

Tram from Collins St.

**Features**

**Punthill Manhattan**

**57 Flinders Lane, Melbourne**

Phone: 1300 964 821

Email: [info@punthill.com.au](mailto:info@punthill.com.au)

Web: [punthill.com.au/hotels/punthill-manhattan/](https://punthill.com.au/hotels/punthill-manhattan/)

Free wi-fi, kitchenette, guest laundry, housekeeping services, food delivery. Pet friendly.

**Room types and rates**

* One Bedroom superior apartment from $172.00
* Booking code: EYENEAR

**Parking and Transport**

Parking available at 121 Exhibition St. Pre-book on [www.secureparking.com.au](http://www.secureparking.com.au)

6 min drive to Eye and Ear.

12 min walk to Eye and Ear.

Tram from Collins St.

**Features**

**Quest East Melbourne**

**48 Wellington Parade, East Melbourne**

Phone: (03) 9413 0000

Email: [questeastmelbourne@questapartments.com.au](mailto:questeastmelbourne@questapartments.com.au)

Web: [www.questeastmelbourne.com.au/](http://www.questeastmelbourne.com.au/)

Free wi-fi, Foxtel, kitchenette, breakfast options, pantry shopping, valet dry cleaning (charges apply).

**Room types and rates**

* $170.00 Studio
* $190.00 Studio Executive
* $290.00 Studio Twin

**VALID FOR STAYS TO 31/12/21** – Book direct with property and mention the Eye and Ear Hospital for special rates to apply.

**Parking and Transport**

Secure, undercover parking $35.00 per night. $20 on-street parking permit.

7 min drive to Eye and Ear.

22 min walk to Eye and Ear.

**Features**

**Best Western Plus The Travel Inn**

**225 Drummond Street (Cnr Drummond and Grattan Sts) Carlton**

Phone: (03) 9347 7922 or 1800 625 357

Email: [res@travelinn.net.au](mailto:res@travelinn.net.au)

Web: [www.thetravelinn.com.au](http://www.thetravelinn.com.au)

High speed wi-fi, guest laundry facilities, courtyard and heated pool, same-day dry cleaning available.

**Room types and rates**

* Deluxe queen / king room $165.00 (1-2 adults, 3 adults $200)
* Family room / 2 rooms $315.00 (3 adults). Interconnecting rooms available.

**Parking and Transport**

Secure on-site parking.

7 min drive to Eye and Ear.

25 min walk to Eye and Ear.

**Features**

**Jasper Hotel**

**489 Elizabeth Street, Melbourne**

Phone: (03) 8327 2777

Email: [stay@jasperhotel.com.au](mailto:stay@jasperhotel.com.au)

Web: [www.jasperhotel.com.au/](http://www.jasperhotel.com.au/)

* Access to offsite fitness centre and pool, Café Jas. Wheelchair accessible.

**Room types and rates**

* Deluxe & Twin rooms from $159.00
* Family & Balcony rooms from $209.00
* Suites from $229.00

**Parking and Transport**

Guest parking is not available on-site at Jasper Hotel. Secure parking nearby is operated by [CBD Park](http://www.cbdpark.com) on Franklin St. Call 03 8589 4558 or email [info@cbdpark.com](mailto:info@cbdpark.com). Vouchers are available from the Jasper Hotel reception desk for guests staying in-house, which will apply a **25% discount to your parking rates**.

Close to trams.

11 min drive to Eye and Ear.

15 min walk to Eye and Ear.

**Vizard House**

**70 Clarendon Street, East Melbourne**

Phone: (03) 9419 8628

Email: [reservations@vizardhouse.com.au](mailto:reservations@vizardhouse.com.au)

Web: [vizardfoundation.org.au/vizard-house/](https://vizardfoundation.org.au/vizard-house/)

**Features**

* Single or twin share room in fully renovated historic home with shared facilities.
* Family rooms with large living space also available.
* Shared fully renovated kitchen, laundry & lounge room.
* Outdoor barbeque area in undercover courtyard.
* Wi-fi facilities provided.

**Room types and rates**

* $49.50 per night for patients and carer/family

PLEASE NOTE: Accommodation at Vizard House is only available to patients and friends or family supporting patients in Melbourne hospitals, and not for patients alone. In addition, guests must be in personal circumstances which make it impractical for them to use commercial accommodation for the duration of their stay.

The cost to stay at Vizard House will depend on a variety of factors, including your place of residence, but nightly costs for a single guest are generally equivalent to the [VPTAS](https://www2.health.vic.gov.au/hospitals-and-health-services/rural-health/vptas-how-to-apply) (the Victorian Patient Transport Assistance Scheme) rebate. This results in a fully reimbursed stay for eligible guests. Modest extra fees will apply for additional guests.

**Parking and Transport**

Limited off-street parking, no on-site parking, cars are not recommended.

10 min walk to the Eye and Ear.

**Ryder-Cheshire Ivanhoe Homes**

**10-14 Donaldson Street, Ivanhoe**

Phone: (03) 9254 2400

Email: [office@rydercheshirehomes.com.au](mailto:office@rydercheshirehomes.com.au)

Web: [rydercheshirehomes.com.au/](https://rydercheshirehomes.com.au/)

**Features**

* 43 self-contained units, set in peaceful garden surrounds.
* Each apartment contains two or three single beds, an en-suite bathroom, and fully equipped kitchenette.
* Bed linen and towels are provided and laundry facilities are available.
* Meals and nursing are not provided.

**Room types and rates**

* $45 per night

PLEASE NOTE: Initial bookings must be made by a doctor, liaison nurse, social worker or other professional at the patients’ treating hospital.

Rates are variable and subject to consideration of rebates from TAC, Workcover and State Patient Transport Schemes. The cost to residents is kept to a minimum and is usually tied to the amount claimable from Workcover, TAC or the Patient Travel Assistance Scheme of their home state. Eligibility and payments vary from state to state.

**Parking and Transport**

Adequate parking on-site or in Donaldson Street.

20 min drive to Eye and Ear.

Within walking distance to Ivanhoe train station and bus stops.

**Features**

**Indigenous Hospitality House**

**1/907 Drummond St, North Carlton**

Phone: (03) 9387 7557

Email: [house@ihh.org.au](mailto:house@ihh.org.au)

Web: [www.ihh.org.au](http://www.ihh.org.au)

The Indigenous Hospitality House is a Christian community house in Melbourne that offers rooms for Indigenous families who have come from out of town to support a family member in hospital.

**Room types and rates**

* Bookings only available by referral through Indigenous Liaison Workers or Social Workers registered through IHH.

**Parking and Transport**

Plenty of parking available.

Tram nearby, approx. 30 mins.

12 min drive to Eye and Ear.