

Townsville community to benefit from new radiology clinic

Access to high end imaging services boosted by the opening of I-MED Radiology in Thuringowa

4 March 2019: Patients and practitioners in Townsville now have improved access to the latest in medical imaging, thanks to the opening of the brand new I-MED Radiology Network clinic in Thuringowa.

The modern purpose-built clinic gives the local community specialised medical imaging services including ultra low-dose CT, MRI, ultrasound, 3D mammography (tomosynthesis), general and dental x-ray, bone mineral densitometry (DEXA) and interventional procedures. The clinic's smart new surroundings are designed to make patients feel comfortable and welcome.

Keri Kamau, Regional Manager of I-MED Radiology, said that I-MED has provided highly specialised services to referrers and patients in regional Queensland for many years and were now pleased to bring these services to a growing area like Townsville.

"A commitment to providing high quality and expert care is at the centre of everything we do at I-MED Radiology. We have made a significant investment in the new clinic's facilities so as to deliver the very best environment for our patients. Our team of imaging experts are focused on working together with local clinicians to deliver the best health outcomes for locals."

Specialist radiologist Dr Robert Cargile, who will lead the experienced team of medical imaging technologists, said the new clinic would be a welcome addition to the community, particularly the clinic's 3D mammography service.

"We are pleased to bring our 3D mammography service to Townsville. This vital imaging is an advanced digital version of traditional mammography, which allows us to examine breast tissue in great detail. It can improve the detection of invasive breast cancers and significantly reduce the chance of false positive results," he said.

The new clinic will be officially opened by Aaron Harper MP, State Member for Thuringowa at 12pm, Tuesday 5th March 2019.

I-MED Radiology CEO, Steven Rubic, said Thuringowa was one of four new clinics recently opened in Queensland by Australia's largest medical imaging network.

"We are thrilled to be able to provide the local community with the same calibre of world-class medical care as that offered in our capital cities. It enables our doctors to deliver improved diagnosis for multiple conditions, ensuring effective treatment plans can be put into place sooner," Mr Rubic added.

I-MED Radiology's new clinic is located at 12 Hervey Range Rd, Thuringowa. To make an appointment please call 07 4447 1650.

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About I-MED Radiology Network

I-MED Radiology Network is Australia's largest medical imaging network, offering diagnostic imaging and radiology services including x-ray, PET, CT, MRI, Nuclear Medicine, Ultrasound, Mammography and interventional procedures.

Our 215 clinics are located in metropolitan as well as many regional and rural communities across Australia.

Our team of 315 radiologists, including some of the most respected and experienced medical imaging specialists in Australia, performs more than 4.2 million patient procedures each year. We encourage and facilitate sharing of clinical knowledge and expertise, and can provide second opinions in complex cases without delay. Our commitment to quality means we invest in the most up-to-date equipment to provide the best diagnostic imaging. Patient images can be stored indefinitely and can be accessed from any of our clinics across Australia.

We recognise that many of our patient procedures require sensitive management, and we are dedicated to offering our patients quality care that is respectful, personable and focused on achieving the best health outcomes.

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