

Press Release

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New Radiology Provider at Waverley Private Hospital

We are pleased to announce that from the 1st July 2009, **Western Medical Imaging (WMI)** will be the new provider of diagnostic imaging services at Waverley Private Hospital.

WMI is a privately owned radiology company with extensive experience in both the public and private sector, providing comprehensive diagnostic imaging services across metropolitan Melbourne and rural Victoria.

WMI owns and operates Clear Medical Imaging in Mt Waverley, as well as Ballarat Radiology, an all modality radiology service for the 190 bed St John of God Hospital in Ballarat. WMI also provides radiology support to a number of public rural health services, including Ararat, Stawell, Maryborough, Kyneton and Nhill.

Initial plans for Waverley Private Hospital include maintaining existing radiology services and providing hospital radiology cover. Further to minor renovations to be finalised within the next 1-2 months, installation of a 16 Multi-slice CT scanner and ultrasound services will follow.

“We are always committed to improving our level of service at Waverley Private Hospital. Our surgical, medical, maternity and cancer care services will be further enhanced, with Western Medical Imaging able to offer our doctors, patients and the wider medical community convenient, onsite access to a comprehensive range of radiology services.” says Waverley Private Hospital CEO, Linda Edgerton.

“Our relationship with Waverley Private will allow us to showcase what we view as the optimum strategy for how diagnostic imaging centres can serve their patients and referrers going forward,” said Western Medical Imaging Commercial Manager Tony Eid.

We welcome Western Medical Imaging to Waverley Private Hospital and encourage our visiting medical officers and wider medical community to support a much anticipated and improved medical imaging service.

During the renovation phase of the redevelopment, and to avoid unnecessary inconvenience to patients, WMI is also pleased to be able to offer a Bulk Billing service for CT, Ultrasound and plain x-ray from their nearby centre at Clear Medical Imaging, 408 Huntingdale Rd, Mt Waverley (For bookings call 9888 2444).

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