Shared Care for Allergy Project

March 2024 - March 2025
Achievements

Consumer Consultation

Identifying needs of multicultural communites. Developing a new resource for patients - Understanding Allergy Care.

Processes to verify allergy training

Established a National Allergy Council Conjoint Committee to determine recognition pathways.

Allergy Training

Five education and training initiatives underway to upskill doctors, nurses, dietitians and pscyhologists in allergy.

Transition standard of care

Developed and consulted on a transition standard for children's to adult allergy services.

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MBS item number for food challenges

ASCIA submitted a new application to MSAC for an MBS item number in March 2025.

Allergic rhinitis progam

Allergy & Anaphylaxis Australia ran a successful online campaign to reach rural Australians living with hay fever.

Pilot of Eczema Connect® program

Launched in December 2024 at Perth Children's Hospital.

Advocacy for local access

National Allergy Council submissions to the National Strategic Framework for Chronic Conditions, National Workforce Strategies and MBS Telehealth items.

Allergy advice platform

Service for rural doctors launched in February 2025 in partnership with the Australian College of Rural and Remote Medicine.

Directory of allergy healthcare professionals

Working with the Australian Digital Health Agency to make verified allergy health professionals recognisable through Healthdirect.