

Silver Chain And Medical Services

The Shire of Mt Marshall has two (2) Silver Chain Remote Nursing Posts, one in Bencubbin and one in Beacon. The following are medical services that are available within the Shire and the Wheatbelt District. Hours of the Silver Chain Offices and clinics can be seen in the weekly Gimlet and Beacon Bulletin Community Papers.

Mt Marshall Silver Chain offices

Bencubbin:	Monger Street Ph: 9685 1229
Beacon:	Lindsay Street Ph: 9686 1020

General Practitioner

Dr Walker is based in Kununoppin and holds weekly clinics in Bencubbin and fortnightly in clinics in Beacon. Appointments to attend Dr Walker's clinics are made through the respective Silver Chain offices.

He can be contacted at:

Bencubbin Silver Chain:	9685 1229
Kununoppin Hospital:	9683 0204
Beacon Silver Chain:	9686 1020
Mukinbudin Nursing Post:	9047 1123

Relief Doctor

Currently there is no relieving doctor. Contact Merredin hospital on 9081 3222.

Child Health Clinic

The Community Child Health Centre of Mukinbudin provides clinics. Visits are held in Bencubbin on the 1st and 3rd Tuesday of each month and in Beacon on 2nd and 4th Tuesday of each month. Appointments can be made at Bencubbin and Beacon Silver Chain Offices. The Community Child Health Centre of Mukinbudin can be contacted on 9047 1123.

Immunisation

Immunisations can be obtained at the Child Health Clinics.

School Health

The Primary Health Nurse provides school Health.

Physiotherapy Clinic

Clinics are held at Mukinbudin and Kununoppin. For bookings, contact Primary Health at Merredin on 9041 0444.

Occupational Therapy

Contact Primary Health at Merredin on 9041 0444.

Dietician

A Dietician is based in Mukinbudin and Merredin Primary Health Centres. Contact Mukinbudin on 9047 1123 or Merredin on 9047 0444.

Mental Health Services

The Wheatbelt Mental Health Service Team is based in Northam. Phone 9621 0999.

Dental Health

The Mobile Dental Health Van visits the area on an 8-week duration. The Vans Itinerary is on the Silver Chain Notice Board and usually set up at the Primary Schools.

Private Dentist

Merredin-9041 1735
Wongan Hills-9671 1267
Northam-9622 1801

Podiatry

Sally Sanderson visits Kununoppin Hospital on a monthly basis, Usually a Wednesday. Phone Kununoppin Hospital for appointments on 9683 2044. She is doing bi-monthly visits to Bencubbin. For appointments contact Silver Chain on 9685 1229.

Pathology

Blood specimens etc are collected and transported to Merredin Hospital Laboratory. Please contact your nearest Silver Chain Centre to make an appointment if you require this service

Bush Fire Brigade

Location of Emergency Operations Centre

Shire Office: 80 Monger Street, Bencubbin

In the event of a fire please report it to the Shire Office on the provided contact details.

Phone: 96851202	Fax: 96851299	VHF Ch 93, UHF Ch 5
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Bush Fire Control Officers 2010/2011

Harvest Ban Hotline: 9685 1058

Position	Name	Area	Phone	Mobile
Chief Bushfire Control Officer	Alan Gracie	Shire	96851226	0409088121
Deputy Chief Bushfire Control Officer	Gary Huckstep	Shire	96864050	-
Bushfire Control Officer	Terry Gobbart	Gabbin	96848042	0428848042
Bushfire Control Officer	Bill Clark	North Wialki	90486012	0428486012
Bushfire Control Officer	Len Beckingham	South Wialki	90484058	0427484058
Bushfire Control Officer	John Dunne	Beacon	96861045	0427861045
Bushfire Control Officer	Berwyn Walker	Welbungin	96862030	0429862030
Bushfire Control Officer	Brad Whyte	Cleary	96866006	0429186101
Bushfire Control Officers	Jack Walker	Bencubbin	96851202 A/Hours: 96851318	0429851318

Fire Weather Officers

Name	Area
Alan Gracie	South
Gary Huckstep	North
Jack Walker	Shire

Ambulance

The Bencubbin and Beacon Ambulance Services are run by volunteers. If an ambulance is required please contact one of the following numbers.

Beacon

EMERGENCY 000
Beacon Silver Chain 9686 1020
Shire Office 9685 1202

Bencubbin

EMERGENCY 000
Bencubbin Silver Chain 9685 1229
Shire Office 9685 1202

POLICE

Mt Marshall Police are based in Bencubbin. They can be contacted on 96850200.