

# Northern New England - Paediatric Wrist Buckle Fracture Management

## PHN EDUCATION SESSION

Traditionally, in our region, paediatric patients with simple buckle fractures of the wrist are treated with a back slab plaster cast and referred to Fracture Clinic for follow up care. Evidence now shows that these patients have similar outcomes when managed in a simple removable wrist brace, with no need for Fracture Clinic review or repeat x-rays (<https://force-dissemination.digitrial.com/>).

We have adopted this new management pathway for paediatric wrist buckle fractures at Armidale Hospital. This webinar will be an opportunity for local GPs to find out more about the pathway and putting it into practice.

### Learning outcomes:

1. Be able to distinguish different types of paediatric wrist fractures
2. Develop an understanding of the different management options for isolated paediatric wrist buckle fractures
3. Have the tools necessary to confidently manage isolated paediatric wrist buckle fractures under the new model of care

**SPEAKERS:** **Dr Shivan Jassim**, Consultant Trauma & Orthopaedic Surgeon, Armidale Rural Referral Hospital. Dr Jassim is a Consultant Orthopaedic Surgeon with a demonstrated history of working in medical practice. He is skilled in Arthroplasty, Trauma Surgery, Arthroscopy and Clinical Research and has strong research experience.



**Lisa Fraser**, Emergency Department Physiotherapist, Armidale Rural Referral Hospital. Lisa commenced work at Armidale Hospital this year as part of the new Allied Health Team in the Emergency Department. She has a strong background in rural health after previously completing the Rural Generalist Program with HNELHD.



**WHO:** **GPs, GP Registrars, Nurses and Allied Health Professionals**

**WHEN:** **Tuesday 28 November 2023, 7.30 am – 8.30 am**

**WHERE:** **Online via GoToWebinar**

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