## **FACT SHEET**



Home visiting services.
Perth Children's Hospital
(PCH)



## Do you know PCH has Home Visiting Services?



- Perth Children's Hospital has two home visiting services.
- Hospital in the Home (HITH) and Post-Acute Care (PAC) services are available for children to receive treatment and care in their home as an alternative to staying in or returning to hospital.
- Hospital in the Home provides acute care for medically stable children who require regular health services, and who would otherwise be in hospital.
- Post-Acute Care service provides acute and chronic care for children at their home following discharge from hospital.
- HITH & PAC nurses work as a team to carry out intravenous antibiotics, dressings, clinical assessments, central venous access devices (CVAD) care and provide support to parents.

Services are available from 7am – 10pm every day of the week. After these hours, a phone support line is available for families by calling 6456 3773.

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