

Medical/Dental Information

There are a number of options available to you here in Penang. You'll have to try them out to see what suits you and your family the best.



When visiting the following medical facilities, be sure to ask about billing arrangements. Check with your employer regarding insurance coverage.

Dentists/Orthodontists

- Dr. Lim, Meridian Dental Clinic, Jalan Tanjung Bunga near the wet market (899-5907) – good for general dentistry, friendly, gentle with children
- Dr. Lee or Dr. Khoo, Seventh Day Adventist/SDA Dental Clinic (227-3563) – difficult to get appointment, popular clinic
- Dr. Wong Lai Yee, Loh Guan Lye Specialists Centre (228-8501) – dental specialist, oral surgeon
- Dr. Looi, Jalan Burmah near Bagian Jermal intersection (229-4248) – orthodontist

Pediatricians

- Dr. Chew, Hope Children Specialist Center (228-6557)– serves as clinic and children's hospital, very friendly and caring, prescription medicines dispensed on location
- Dr. Agnes Tan or Mary Tan, Seventh Day Adventist/SDA (226-1133) – both are good and thorough, both have clinic hours in the morning and take turns in the evenings
- Dr. Siti, Loh Guan Lye Specialists Centre (228-8501)

Hospitals

- Glen Eagles Medical Center, 1 Jalan Pangkor (227-6111)
- Hope Children Specialist Center, 25 Jalan Gottlieb (228-6557)
- Island Hospital, 308 Jalan Macalister (228-8222)
- Lam Wah Ee Hospital, 141 Jalan Bt. Lanchang Jelutong (657-1888)
- Loh Guan Lye Specialist Centre, 19 Jalan Logan (228-8501)
- Seventh Day Adventist/SDA, 465 Jalan Burmah (226-1133) www.pah.com.my
- Tanjung Medical Centre on Jalan Burmah (228-6557)
- Tejani Medical Clinic, 2 Jalan Bungah Puduk, Tanjung Bunga near wet market (890-3999)

Specialists

- Dr. Lim She Guan, Specialist Centre (228-8501) – ear/eye/nose/throat
- Dr. Adrian Chan, Island Hospital (228-8222) – ophthalmologist
- Dr. Leow, SDA Eye Clinic (226-1133) – ophthalmologist
- Dr. Aaron Lim, Specialist Centre (228-8501) – orthopedic specialist, sports medicine

- Mr. Shunmugam or Dr. Parameshwaran, Glen Eagles (227-6111) – orthopedic specialist, Dr. Parameshwaran does scoliosis checks
- Dr. Chong, SDA (226-1133) – surgeon
- Dr. Zovie Poey (female), SDA (226-1133) – gynecologist/obstetrician
- Dr. Gan (female), Glen Eagles (227-6111) – gynecologist/obstetrician
- Dr. Nicholas Loh (male), Specialist Centre (228-8501) – gynecologist/obstetrician
- Dr. Francis Tan, Lam Wah Ee Hospital (657-1888) – internal medicine
- Dr. Santakh Singh, Jalan Sri Bahari between Transfer and Penang Road (263-9545) – ear, nose, throat specialist
- Dr. Elizabeth Rajan, Lam Wah Ee Hospital (657-1888) – endocrinologist
- Dr. Irene Lee, Island Hospital (228-8222), Dr. Leela Ryan, General Hospital (229-3333)– psychiatrist
- Dr. Lim, 14-A Lorong Abu Siti near Giant supermarket (226-1355, 226-3767) – skin
- Dr. Djavadkhani, Specialist Centre (228-8501) – neurosurgeon
- Dr. Noel Yeoh, Specialist Centre (228-8501) - oncologist

Emergency

In an emergency, you are advised **not** to rely on local ambulance services. You should call a friend to help you.

Immunizations

It is recommended that you receive the Hepatitis A/B series while you're here (it is less expensive than in North America).