

# VOICE CLINIC

## Gender Affirming Voice and Communication

### What is the Gender Affirming Voice Clinic?

Our clinic provides individual and group programs for gender affirming voice and communication training. Skilled voice clinicians and speech pathology students support this service.

For more than four decades, voice research undertaken at La Trobe has informed clinical practice locally and internationally. This ongoing research keeps the service at the forefront of new developments and ensures the service provided is based on research and client needs.

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#### Voice Education Information

Before attending our clinic, you will be invited to a group education day to learn important information to prepare your voice before starting training, including:

- Voice production
- The differing voice and communication characteristics we can explore in clinic
- Vocal health

#### Voice and Communication Training

Voice and communication training consists of a series of components:

- Pre-training voice education
- Assessment
- A block of training sessions. These may be a mix of individual and group sessions
- A break from training for self-directed consolidation of techniques
- Group days for those who want to practice their techniques

#### Assessing Your Voice

Before training begins, we complete a comprehensive voice assessment to help us understand your unique voice and tailor the program to your needs.

## How much will it cost?

We offer affordable fees as part of our student-led service. For the latest fees, visit our website or contact us directly.

Please note as this is a student-led service, we are unable to offer appointments under Medicare, private health insurance, TAC or WorkCover. We currently do not offer appointments under NDIS.

We only accept card payment – no cash.

## How do I get there?

We are located in the Health Sciences Building 1 (HS1), on level 4 at La Trobe University's Bundoora Campus.

**By public transport:** 86 Tram Bundoora RMIT – Waterfront City Docklands, stop 60.

**Bus routes:** 250, 350, 548, 550, and 551, La Trobe University Bus Terminus.

**By car:** Enter the north entrance of La Trobe University at Kingsbury Drive. Proceed through car park 1. Car parking is available in the Red Bays marked "RESERVED CLINIC".



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