How to find your own GP

There are many excellent General Practitioners close the University. You can look in the yellow pages or search on-line.

The University Health Service is on campus, has many excellent GPs and bulk bills.

AMSA (Australian Medical Students Association, www.amsa.org.au) has a list on its website of GPs who have indicated a willingness to see medical students as patients and are willing to bulk-bill.

Your clinical school will also have a list of GPs in their local area.

Every General Practitioner in Australia since 1996 has been through a comprehensive training program. These doctors will have the FRACGP (Fellow of the Royal Australian College of General Practitioners) or FACRRM (Fellow of the Australian College of Rural and Remote Medicine) letters after their name. Qualified GPs prior to 1996 may not have this qualification, but may have years of experience.

The most important thing is finding a GP who you can talk to and who makes you feel comfortable.