

IDEAL Study

The IDEAL study aims to lower the risk of people developing cardiovascular disease, including heart attack and stroke.

Patients attending Hobart Pathology, 20-22 Gregory St, Sandy Bay, for a cholesterol test may be eligible to participate.

If you wish to participate, medical health information and blood pressure will be recorded in a specially built booth.

A risk score on the chances of having a cardiovascular event in the next five years will be calculated and sent to your GP.

This risk score is based on best-practice medicine and is designed to help doctors

make better-informed decisions to manage the risk of cardiovascular disease.

You may also be invited to attend optional follow-up studies, which include a full cardiovascular assessment or attending a focus group on cardiovascular disease and primary healthcare.

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