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## MEDIA RELEASE

### New Doctor joins the Blue Mountains GP Super Clinic

Dr Chris Coghill has relocated from Chatswood in Sydney to join the Blue Mountains GP Super Clinic at the Blackheath Family Medical Centre starting work on Monday 8 March 2010.

As avid rock climbers, Dr Coghill and his wife are familiar with the area and have had a house in Blackheath for some time.

Dr Coghill is excited at the opportunity of living and working in Blackheath and enjoying what the area, and the World Heritage National park has to offer.

GP Super Clinics are part of a \$275 million initiative by the Rudd Government to improve the medical facilities in communities around Australia. *Balance Healthcare!* is helping to develop the GP Super Clinics in the Blue Mountains, and they will bring together a range of medical practitioners and services to deliver better health care tailored to the needs and priorities of the community.

Kate Gunn, founder of Balance! Healthcare says "We are delighted to welcome another new second doctor that has relocated to the area in the past six months to join the Blackheath Family Medical Centre. In addition two nurses have also joined this clinic and these new staff and the services the clinic offers will greatly benefit the local community."

The Blackheath Family Medical Centre is located at 110 Wentworth Street, Blackheath. Dr Coghill is available for appointments by calling 4787 8225. The practice is now open late on Monday as well as Saturday mornings.

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