

Transport for NSW

Brookvale Pedestrian Bridge



The new pedestrian bridge in Brookvale

The NSW Government is delivering improved public transport between the Northern Beaches, Lower North Shore and the Sydney CBD, including an integrated program of service and road upgrades.

Main construction work for the new Brookvale pedestrian bridge is now complete. The bridge will be open in the coming weeks, and can be accessed via stairs and lifts near the bus stops on each side of Pittwater Road.

The new pedestrian bridge spans Pittwater Road from the side of the Brookvale Community Health Centre (BCHC) across to the bus stops outside Westfield Warringah Mall, and will improve traffic flow whilst providing safer accessibility for pedestrians and cyclists.

The opening of the new bridge means that pedestrians no longer have to wait to cross Pittwater Road at this busy intersection.

To further improve safety and traffic flow, the signalised crossing near William Street will be removed in early 2020.

How will the bridge improve traffic flow?

Brookvale is a busy public transport interchange, retail and health precinct regularly used by bus customers, pedestrians and cyclists, as well as general traffic. The new pedestrian bridge and associated infrastructure will improve safety and traffic flow through this area.

On a typical weekday, close to 5,000 pedestrians cross the road at this location, whilst an average of 35,000 cars pass through the intersection between 7am and 7pm Monday to Friday.

The new 'power sliding' gates and pedestrian fencing will be in place to prohibit pedestrian access to Pittwater Road in this location. This will allow for more green light time for traffic, helping improve traffic flow and reduce congestion in the area.



The Brookvale pedestrian bridge can be accessed using stairs and lifts connected to the BCHC and on the western side of Pittwater Road



The bridge was delivered and installed in late September 2019

Other features to support the pedestrian bridge work include:

- lifts to accommodate up to 21 passengers, as well as scooters, bicycles, wheelchairs and prams
- bicycle parking facilities including an undercover bike shed at the BCHC.

In coming weeks:

- two 'power sliding' gates and pedestrian fencing to prohibit pedestrian access onto Pittwater Road at this location, thereby improving safety for both pedestrians and cyclists
- an additional shelter at the northbound bus stops to improve existing coverage.

Work is continuing to construct a new dedicated left-hand turn northbound into Cross Street from Pittwater Road. This work is planned for completion by mid-2020 and will also improve northbound traffic flow in the area.



Once the bridge was installed, finishing works were required before it could be open to the public

Contact Us

For more information on these changes, please contact us: **Call** 1800 048 751

Email projects@transport.nsw.gov.au or visit the **B-Line website** at b-line.transport.nsw.gov.au to find out more.



This document contains important information about public transport projects in your area. If you require the services of an interpreter, please contact the Translating and Interpreting Service on **131 450** and ask them to call Transport for NSW on **(02) 9200 0200**. The interpreter will then assist you with translation.