

Cross rotational placements

A cross-rotational placement may be arranged if you wish to undertake a 12-month placement outside of your home rotation during your second year of basic training.

This placement will provide access to subspecialty training tailored to your career goals in a tertiary training hospital.

If you're based in Southeast Queensland, the 12-month placement would be undertaken in either the Far North Queensland (Cairns) or North Queensland (Townsville). If you're based in the Far North or North Queensland, your placement would be in a Southeast Queensland setting.

Applying

An Expression of Interest (EOI) survey will be circulated to all first-year trainees in October. If you elect to lodge an EOI, you'll be asked to nominate both hospital and subspecialty preferences as part of your application. You'll also need to provide a short statement outlining:

- your reason for applying for a cross-rotational placement
- your career intentions
- details of any subspecialty terms and training experience you would be hoping to secure as part of the placement.

Next steps

The network will assess all EOIs and contact you with an outcome in November. If successful, you'll be offered an employment contract from your cross rotational hospital to cover your second year of training (BPT2). Once the 12-month placement is complete, you'll move back your home rotation and recommence your pre-planned training allocations.

Feedback and enquiries

Should be directed to: Physician_Training@health.qld.gov.au

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