

REDLAND HOSPITAL

Geriatric Medicine Service Description

RMO CAMPAIGN 2023

Number of Core Training Positions accredited: 1

Number of Elective Training Positions accredited: N/A

Duration of Training Accredited: 6 months

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Description of Service

STAFF:

Co-Director of Rehabilitation & Geriatrics (Geriatrician)

Staff Specialist (Rehabilitation Physician)

Staff Specialist (Geriatrician) - Dr Salih Salih

Staff Specialist Geriatrician

Staff Specialist Geriatrician and General Physician - Dr Lu Chen

PROGRAM:

GEM/UQ position

Consultative geriatric services for inpatient in acute medical/surgical bed

Inpatient rehabilitation

GEMRHITH/HIT

GEDI clinic

Geriatric OPD

Teaching UQ students and organising educational activity

Leading care provider for DCU (Dementia Care Unit) shared care with general physician

Number/type of Geriatric Beds:
Cocultation services for inpatient
GEMRHITH 8-12 patients

Specialty Clinics:
GEDI clinic
Geriatric OPD/ memory clinic
GEMRHITH/HITH clinic

Consult Services:
Consult service provided to all hospital beds
mainly medical and surgical wards
GEMRHITH/HITH consults
DCU patients

Domiciliary Assessment:
GEMRHITH/HITH home assessment

Outpatient Clinics /Day Hospital: General geriatrics	
Formal Training	
Lectures: Statewide geriatric medicine advanced training program	Journal Club: weekly
Grand Rounds: Hospital grand round monthly	Consult Rounds: X3 per week
Other Specialty Links: Mental health consultative services DEMOS (Dementia outreach services) Dementia nurse navigator	Protected time per week: 2-4 hours
Information Infrastructure	
Library: Hospital library onsite, UQ library online	IT: Computer, office, internet access available
Research; Participation in research is encouraged, monthly advanced trainee research forum Onsite research manager to assist with development of research project	Quality Assurance: Participation in audit activity is expected
Trainee Responsibilities	
Coverage Roster Weekdays – Geriatrician ward rounds and relevant consults Weekends – Participation with Gen Med weekend roster	Ward responsibilities/workload: Daily WR for DCU patients
Consultations: Case perpetration for consult round Case finding and assessment for GEMRHITH/HITH patients	Specialist Clinic coverage: Geriatric/memory clinic once weekly
Domiciliary assessments: GEMRIHITH home visits as required	Research/presentations: Participate with junior doctors' educational rosters

	<p>Conduct research project as required Present in the internal medicine seminar educational roster</p>
<p>Teaching responsibilities: Teach UQ medical students, provide tutorials and participate in medical student's exam Participate in the academic registrar meeting once monthly and contribute to the introduction week twice yearly</p>	<p>Rotations available and opportunities for flexible training: - Training can be tailored to trainees needs and interests</p>