



PaRROT Pathways to Rural and Remote Orientation Training a Primary Health Care approach

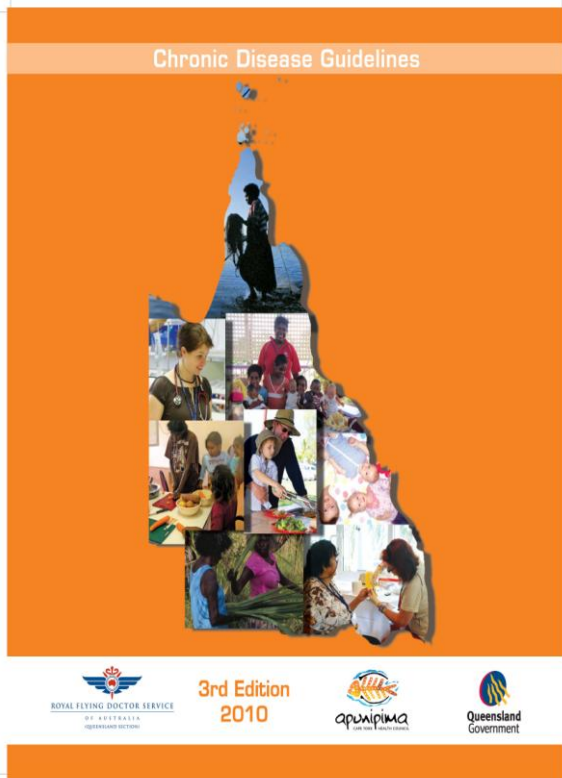
Course Structure

Session	Orientation		Module	Time Presentations	Time Activities	Total Time
	Total Time	9.0 Hours		280	170	540
OR101	Introduction	Introduction	1	20	20	70
		Learning Styles	2	15		
OR102	Chronic Disease	Introduction to Chronic Disease	1	5	15	50
		Queensland Strategy for Chronic Disease	2	5		
		Chronic Disease Strategy - R&R	3	10		
OR103	Clinical Support	Evidence Based Guidelines	1	5	15	50
		Clinical Information Systems	2	10		
		Primary Health Information System	3	5		
OR104	Medicare	Medicare - Rural and Remote MBS	1	5	15	45
		Medicare - COAG	2	5		
		Medicare-PBS	3	5		
OR105	Self Care	Looking After Yourself	1	10	20	60
		Working as a Team	2	15		
OR106	Cultural Considerations	Multicultural Health_1	1.1	25	30	100
		Multicultural Health_2	1.2	15		
		Multicultural Health_3	1.3	15		
		Multicultural Health_4	1.4	15		
		Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health	2.1	25	15	65
		Working with A&TSI Communities	2.2	25		
OR107	Safety and Quality	Patient safety Introduction	1	10	20	40
		Patient safety reporting	2	10		
OR108	Primary Health Care	Comprehensive Primary Health Care	1	10	20	60
		Selective Primary Health Care	2	10		
		Introduction to Screening	3	5		



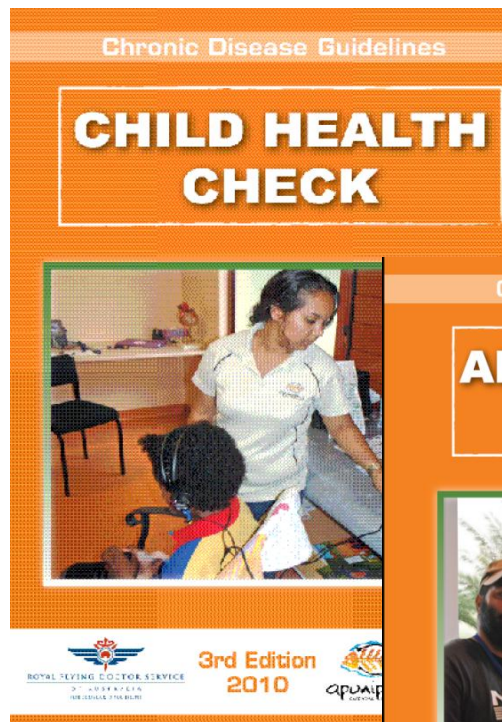
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The Pathways to Rural and Remote Orientation and Training (PaRROT) program is based on the Chronic Disease Guidelines 3rd edition 2010.



The Chronic Disease Guidelines is developed every two years, in line with the most current evidence on best practice prevention, early detection and management of chronic diseases in rural and remote and primary health care settings

The Child and Adult Health Check Manuals are included as separate manuals within the Chronic Disease Guidelines. It provides information on childhood screening including a step by step guide to conducting checks, providing brief intervention and referring to further care if needed.





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Program Summary

The PaRROT Orientation course is based on *The Chronic Disease Guidelines*.

Purpose

- Provide orientation to the primary health care approach to chronic disease
- Introduce the clinical support tools that support rural and remote and primary health care practice
- Support the building of the rural and remote and primary health care workforce capacity to provide team based multidisciplinary primary health care services in a diverse cultural and geographic setting.

The aims of the course are:

- To provide a systematic approach to the skilling of the rural and remote workforce
- To develop and enhance the rural and remote primary health care workforce

Scope

The PaRROT Orientation training course has been developed for the multicultural, multidisciplinary team and will support the orientation and training of

- All health services providers working in rural and remote areas in Queensland
- Workers at pre-recruitment, orientation, induction and ongoing professional development
- Chronic disease prevention, detection and management in a comprehensive primary health care framework

Content

The PaRROT Orientation training

- Introduces the Chronic Disease Guidelines and Primary Clinical Care Manual.
- Provides information on evidence based clinical support tools used in rural and remote and primary health care settings.
- Introduces aspects of practice particular to rural and remote and primary health care service provision
- Introduces the concept of primary health care including prevention, early detection and management of chronic disease and risk factors



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What PaRROT is delivering?

Complementing existing mandatory orientation and training programmes and filling the gaps in training required by the rural and remote multi-disciplinary workforce PaRROT has delivered a means of providing increased job satisfaction and a reorientation to a comprehensive primary health care approach to health care in rural and remote areas.



The PaRROT Orientation course takes approximately 9 hours to complete. It provides basic level information for people commencing work in rural and remote areas. Health practitioners can claim professional development points based on these times.

For further information please contact PaRROT@health.qld.gov.au or enrol today at www.health.qld.gov.au/Parrot

PaRROT Orientation Course

It is recommended that this course is completed prior to commencing work in rural and remote and primary health care settings. However, completion within the first four weeks of working in the area will provide valuable information for the worker.