

# Expression of interest

CENTRAL COAST GP SCHOLARSHIP



## Paediatrics

The Hunter New England & Central Coast Primary Health Network (the PHN) offers short term paid placements within interesting clinical areas of the Central Coast Local Health District.

These placements provide General Practitioners an opportunity to update their knowledge, skills and networks by working in a supervised environment with local specialists and their clinical teams.

### PAEDIATRIC SCHOLARSHIP

- **Working with Dr Ahmed Khan, Head of Department, Paediatric Medicine, Gosford Hospital and Dr Meena Rattan, Head of Department, Wyong Paediatric Unit, Wyong Hospital and colleagues.**
- Placement to commence from **March 2024**.

### ABOUT THE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

- The Scholarship is available for GPs to experience placements in different clinical areas.
- Each Scholarship provides remuneration for the GP based on the PHN hourly rate and is paid when all scholarship requirements have been completed.
- Placements are for a total of 40 hours with some flexibility to be negotiated such as 4 hours a week over 10 weeks; 8 hours a week over 5 weeks or 40 hours in a 1-week block.
- GPs will contribute to patient care within the hospital and community settings including but not limited to ward rounds, clinics, outpatients, completing assessments and referrals.
- The Scholarships provide networking opportunities - building supportive relationships between generalists and specialists, strengthening the provision of general care in the community.
- Each Scholarship is accredited for 40 RACGP CPD hours, 5EA and 35RP.
- GPs will complete pre and post evaluation and course activities described in the scholarship workbook.
- GPs accepted to placements will be required to meet requirements for CCLHD recruitment activation as a Contingent Worker.

### EXPRESSION OF INTEREST (EOI) PROCESS

All applications received will be reviewed by the GP Scholarship Advisory Committee and notified by PHN. The process is competitive as we have limited places.

### SUBMISSION OF APPLICATION

To register your expression of interest please submit the following by **Monday 13<sup>th</sup> Nov 2023**:

- A covering letter indicating how you would benefit from this scholarship.
- Current CV
- Copy of Medical Indemnity and APHRA registration

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