

BUILD YOUR SKILLS IN MEDICAL DISCIPLINES BEYOND COMMUNITY GENERAL PRACTICE



ACADEMIC MEDICINE

Incorporate academic work into your career with the opportunity for research into illness profiles, lifestyle and other limitations in rural communities.



ADULT INTERNAL MEDICINE

Managing patients with acute complex medical and chronic disease problems including multiple morbidities and factors affected by aging.



AGED CARE

Management of chronic health concerns combined with the challenges in providing appropriate care for the aged.



ANAESTHETICS

Skills, knowledge and capabilities of clinical practice of anaesthesia and providing safe anaesthesia practice and post-anaesthesia care.



EMERGENCY MEDICINE

Broad spectrum of patient care ranging from assessment, stabilisation, and ongoing management that may include safe transfer.



GENERAL MEDICINE

Clinical practice, knowledge and skills to provide high quality specialist services across a spectrum of health and illness.



MENTAL HEALTH

Diagnose mental health problems in specific age groups, including depression, anxiety, adjustment disorders, grief, substance abuse, psychoses and suicide.



OBSTETRICS

Clinical experience of care of women and infants including skills in antenatal, postnatal care, labour and gynaecology.



PAEDIATRICS

Diagnoses and management of a wide range of paediatric conditions, develop skills to influence community and environmental factors to promote wellness.



PALLIATIVE CARE

Improve the quality of life of patients and their families facing the problems associated with life-threatening illness, through prevention and relief of suffering.



POPULATION HEALTH

Clinical experience in the prevention of illness, injury and disability, and improve, protect and restore the health of populations and individuals.



REMOTE MEDICINE

Skills and knowledge in remote medicine to remote populations including unique medical services like Aboriginal health, public health and emergency.



ROYAL FLYING DOCTOR SERVICE

Providing extensive primary health care and 24-hour emergency services to those areas that do not have access to major cities.



SURGERY

Clinical skills and knowledge of the surgical process, from the initial evaluation through preparation, procedure and post-operative management.

EYRE AND FAR NORTH TRAINING NETWORK



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EXPLORE THE TRAINING AVAILABLE IN THE EYRE AND FAR NORTH TRAINING NETWORK



HOW TO APPLY AND JOB PACKS

Visit the South Australian Medical Education and Training (SAMET) website www.samet.org.au to view detailed application timelines and information for internships, PGY2+ and advanced skills training (AST) positions with SA Health.

General application timelines each year are:

Internships

Applications open: May

Applications close: June

Offers commence: July

PGY2+ and AST

Applications open: June

Applications close: July

Offers commence: September

Lodge your application through the link provided in the job pack for the position. Positions or rotations are subject to funding, sufficient demand and may change.

Make your dream of becoming a rural generalist a reality in a rural region that offers unique opportunities.

About the Eyre and Far North Training Network

You can complete your training from PGY2 to advanced skills training through the Eyre and Far North Training Network on your pathway to become a rural generalist. Interns will commence in 2024.

The Eyre and Far North Local Health Network (EFNLHN) provides a broad range of clinical experiences in both hospital and primary care settings. This LHN offers the full requirements of both Royal Australian College of General Practitioners (RACGP) and Australian College of Rural and Remote Medicine (ACRRM) fellowship pathways.

Being a valued member of a small cohort of junior doctors and trainees, you will develop close working relationships with other junior and senior medical colleagues and will benefit from the dedicated medical education team. You will have access to learning opportunities including tutorials, simulation sessions and journal club.

AVAILABLE POSITIONS

Positions may vary from year to year.

All roles are full year unless stated otherwise and offer generous opportunities to learn a wide range of practical and procedural skills in a rural setting.

Internship

EFNLHN intern positions are located across Pt Lincoln, Ceduna and Cummins and provide you with the opportunity to gain valuable hands on experiences in procedural skills and will challenge you as you grow throughout your intern year. Potential rotations are:

- emergency
- medical inpatients
- GP/Emergency
- Rural Generalism
- GP/ED/Aged Care
- general surgery

PGY2+

The PGY2+ training program provides rotations designed for pre-vocational doctors who have just completed their internship with the intent of pursuing a career in rural generalism (RG).

Potential rotations are:

- medical inpatients
- emergency
- surgery
- general practice/anaesthetics
- general practice/obstetrics
- general practice/emergency
- Aboriginal Health.

Advanced Skills Training

The Eyre and Far North Training Network offers advanced skills training (AST) in obstetrics/gynaecology:

Obstetrics and Gynaecology (RANZCOG Associate Procedural and Associate Advanced Procedural)

Port Lincoln

Train with a collegiate, committed, multi-discipline maternity-care team consisting of GP obstetricians, O&G specialists, and experienced and qualified midwives. This position is suitable for candidates preparing for a career in rural general practice or those preparing to apply for the Royal Australasian and New Zealand College of Obstetrics and Gynaecologists (RANZCOG) integrated training program. Rotations would suit trainees looking to undertake training in basic RANZCOG Associate Procedural and RANZCOG Associate Advanced Procedural or trainees with RANZCOG

Associate Procedural looking for further supported practice. These rotations are based in Port Lincoln Hospital and Health Service and Boston Bay Family Health Practice for the full 12 months and is open to post graduate year 3 and above (PGY3+).

Primary Care

Train in general practice with accredited medical practices where you can gain knowledge, skills and attributes in primary care with a focus on rural and remote context. Participating medical practices are:

- Lincoln Medical Centre, Port Lincoln
- Investigator Clinic, Port Lincoln
- Boston Bay Family Practice, Port Lincoln
- Ceduna Family Medical, Ceduna
- Lower Eyre Family Practice, Cummins

- Yadu Health Aboriginal Corporation, Ceduna
- Port Lincoln Aboriginal Health Service, Port Lincoln

LIFESTYLE

The **Eyre and Far North Local Health Network (EFNLHN)** consists of the Eyre Peninsula and the Far North of South Australia. The Eyre Peninsula is of great natural beauty bounded by the Spencer Gulf, the Great Australian Bight and the Gawler Ranges. The Far North is a large region of South Australia close to the Northern Territory border, including Coober Pedy.

You can explore and experience a unique culinary range of food and wine and an adventurous lifestyle, pristine waters, rugged coastlines, sandy deserts and stony plains that hold abundant and diverse sea and land wildlife. Spend time immersing yourself in Aboriginal culture, art and story telling. It's all on your doorstep. Access Port Lincoln via a 50 minute flight from Adelaide.

