

# NSW Prevocational Training Term Description

**A: ACCREDITED PREVOCATIONAL TRAINING PROVIDER NAME: Blacktown Mt. Druiitt Hospital**

<b>Training Term Based at</b>	<i>If not at above location, please give off site facility name and location:</i> <b>Blacktown Hospital</b>
<b>Offsite Term?</b> <i>Includes affiliated private hospitals, general practices, community-based medical services</i>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <i>If yes, Collaborative Agreement to be attached</i>

**B: TERM NAME: ANAESTHETICS**

<b>Overview of Unit or Service</b>	<p>Blacktown Hospital has Geriatric Medicine, Neurology, Respiratory, Gastroenterology, Cardiology, Endocrinology, Nephrology, Infectious Diseases and Medical Oncology Services. It also has General Paediatrics, Obstetrics and Gynaecology, General Surgery, Urology, Plastic Surgery and Orthopaedics.</p> <p>Blacktown Hospital performs 7000 surgical procedures per year. It has a busy obstetric unit with over 3000 deliveries per year. Surgical Services provided include: General Surgery, Thoracic, Plastics, Obstetrics and Gynaecology, Urology and Orthopaedics. The Department of Anaesthesia provides a wide range of services both in and out of the Operating Theatre.</p>
<b>Term Duration (Weeks)</b> <i>This is only required if term is less than 10 weeks long.</i>	10-11 weeks
<b>HETI Term Identifier Number</b> <i>HETI Assigned after accreditation decision</i>	<b>009029</b>
<b>Date of Accreditation by HETI</b>	March 2013

<b>C: TERM CATEGORY</b>	Medicine <input type="checkbox"/>	Surgery <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Emergency <input type="checkbox"/>	Other <input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>Is the term a PGY1 or a PGY2 term?</b>	PGY1 <input type="checkbox"/>	PGY2 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
<i>Please note that a PGY2 ONLY accredited term may not be staffed by a PGY1. Specific accreditation must be sought for a PGY1 term</i>					

**D: TERM CAPACITY**

<b>Please indicate the term capacity – total number of PGY1s and PGY2 trainees</b>	PGY1	0	PGY2	1	<b>TOTAL NUMBER OF TRAINEES IN TERM</b>	1
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E: TERM SUPERVISION	
<p><b>Name and Position of Term Supervisor</b></p> <p><i>Responsible for trainee term orientation and assessment</i></p>	<p><b>Dr Julian Marshall, Staff Specialist Anaesthetist</b></p>
<p><b>Contact Plan with Trainee</b></p> <p><i>Term Supervisor to provide a plan for contact with the junior doctor (PGY1 or PGY2 trainee) during the training term</i></p>	<p><b>General Contact:</b> Term Supervisor/Consultants and Trainee contact on a one-to-one basis will be during Theatre lists.</p> <p>Formal mid-term and end of term meetings between the trainee and term supervisor will be scheduled. The trainee is encouraged to meet with the term supervisor at any stage throughout the term to discuss issues as they arise.</p> <p><b>Orientation:</b> Departmental orientation will occur in week 1 of each new term.</p> <p><b>Mid Term:</b> Formal mid-term assessment meeting will occur between trainee and term supervisor in week 5 of the Term. At the meeting trainee progress will be discussed, opportunities for learning and professional development for the remainder of the term will be identified, and the trainee will have the opportunity to raise any areas of concern with the term supervisor.</p> <p><b>End of Term:</b> Formal end of term assessment meeting will occur between trainee and term supervisor in week 10 of the Term. At this meeting the trainee's performance throughout the term will be evaluated, and the trainee will be given the opportunity to give feedback of their experience throughout the term.</p>
<p><b>Primary Clinical Supervisor (if not Term Supervisor)</b></p> <p><i>Consultant or senior medical practitioner with experience in managing patients in the relevant discipline (PGY3+)</i></p>	<p>N/A</p>
<p><b>Immediate Supervisor with direct responsibility for day to day supervision (PGY3+)</b></p>	<p>Anaesthetists provide daily supervision on-site during business hours and via an on-call roster after hours.</p> <p>Additional on-site supervision will be provided by the Anaesthetic Trainees according to a rotating 24/7 roster.</p> <p>Contact details of clinical supervisors are available to the trainee via the hospital switch board or theatre reception or Anaesthetic Department Secretary.</p>
<p><b>Clinical Team Structure</b></p> <p><i>Provide positions of all members of the clinical team who provide supervision and bedside teaching to prevocational trainees including AMO's and Registrars. Please also identify and describe how PGY1 &amp; 2s will be distributed amongst the team/s.</i></p>	<p>Dr Helen Currow            Anaesthetist  <b>Dr Julian Marshall        Anaesthetist (Term Supervisor)</b></p> <p>Dr Alan Bullingham        Anaesthetist  Other members of the Anaesthetic Department  Anaesthetic Trainees</p>

## F: SPECIFIC REQUIREMENTS TO PRACTICE SAFELY DURING THE TERM:

### This section may include:

- Courses (e.g. life support, resuscitation)
- Procedural skills
- e-Learning requirements

If there are any specific requirements please provide details of how the trainee will receive this training/will be assessed.

- Registration with the Medical Board of Australia. (for PGY2s Only).
- Attendance at general hospital orientation and term specific orientation.
- Ability to recognise, manage and appropriately refer to more senior medical staff those patients who are seriously ill.
- Ability to record in the clinical notes: relevant history of illness, physical examination, a provisional diagnosis and issues list, investigations required and a management plan.
- Ability to communicate clearly with other staff, patients and relatives.
- Able to independently perform: venepuncture, arterial blood gas analysis, blood cultures, intravenous cannulation, basic electrocardiogram interpretation
- Ability to call a Medical Emergency Team based on criteria
- Use of universal precautions to avoid exposure to blood, and body fluids and the management of sharps.

## G: TERM LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES

Please list top 5 learning opportunities/objectives	1	Pre-operative assessment of a patient, looking at both fit, healthy young patients, to patients with a number of co-morbidities; learning to organise appropriate pre-operative testing and referral. This will be achieved by both daily assessment of the patients in the Day Procedures Unit and attendance at the pre-anaesthetic clinic for outpatients.
	2	Critically investigate and interpret results as they relate to surgical patients.
	3	Intravenous access skills.
	4	Airway management skills, including assessment for difficult intubation, as well as learning the skills of intubation.
	5	The principles and practice of post-operative pain management.

## H: EXPECTATIONS OF THE PREVOCATIONAL TRAINEE

Please list expectations	<p>Throughout the course of this term it is expected that trainees will develop the following skills:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Pre-operative assessment of a patient, looking at both fit, healthy young patients, to patients with a number of co-morbidities; learning to organise appropriate pre-operative testing and referral. This will be achieved by both daily assessment of the patients in the Day Procedures Unit and attendance at the pre-anaesthetic clinic for outpatients</li> <li>• Critically investigate and interpret results as they relate to surgical patients.</li> <li>• Intravenous access skills</li> <li>• Airway management skills, including assessment for difficult intubation, as well as learning the skills of intubation.</li> <li>• The principles and practice of post-operative pain management</li> <li>• Recognising and learning to manage problems in the Recovery Room</li> <li>• Learning to make accurate contemporaneous records of the anaesthetic</li> <li>• Use of Intravenous fluids</li> <li>• Understand the principles behind consent for a procedure</li> <li>• Understand the basic principles of general and regional anaesthesia</li> <li>• Communicate with patients and relatives in a professional and appropriate manner.</li> <li>• Work as part of a team in the perioperative management of patients</li> </ul>
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	<p>Organisational expectations of the trainee include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>To be responsible whilst at work to take reasonable care of fellow employees, patients, visitors, clients and volunteers, and to abide with the Western Sydney Local Health District policy and instructions in relation to Occupational Health Safety and Risk through personal involvement.</li> <li>To follow the employer's reasonable instructions concerning health and safety in the workplace.</li> <li>Use of universal precautions to avoid exposure to blood, and body fluids and the management of sharps.</li> <li>To participate in Occupational Health Safety and Risk education and training.</li> <li>To report any workplace hazards.</li> <li>Assist in the OH&amp;S Risk Management process, by being actively involved in the identification, assessment and control of hazards and associated risks in the workplace.</li> <li>To observe the Western Sydney Local Health District Code of Conduct.</li> <li>To abide by the smoke free environment policy of Western Sydney Local Health District Protected Disclosure Policy and Procedure.</li> <li>To strictly observe the Western Sydney Local Health District policy of confidentiality of patient information.</li> </ul>
<p><b>Patient Load</b> (average per shift)</p>	<p><b>Patient Load per trainee</b> <input type="text" value="N/A"/> <b>Patient load total for team</b> <input type="text" value="5 – 10"/></p>
<p><b>After hours Roster</b></p> <p><i>Does this term include participation in a hospital-wide afterhours roster and if so please advise frequency and the onsite supervision available after hours</i></p>	<p>After-hours Cover is shared amongst all Interns and RMOs, providing 1 weekday shift per fortnight, and 1 weekend shift in every 6 weeks. There is no involvement in the Anaesthetic Department after hours.</p> <p>However JMOs do take part in the general after-hours roster for the hospital. After-hours supervision is via on site Medical and Surgical Registrars and on-call Consultants. There is a medical handover that occurs at the beginning of afternoon shift and also at the beginning of night shift to hand over patients to staff on the next shift. Attendance at this handover is compulsory.</p> <p>Blacktown Hospital is also staffed by on-site registrars in ICU, Anaesthetics, Emergency Medicine, Orthopaedics, Paediatrics and Obstetrics &amp; Gynaecology after hours.</p>

## I: SIGN OFF

*Terms will not be considered unless this section is completed.*

<p><b>Revision date and by who</b> (Name and Position)</p>	<p>13/07/2016 Dineshwar Narayan Medical Education Support Officer - Blacktown Mount Druitt Hospital</p>
<p><b>Endorsement by Term Supervisor</b> (Name, Date and Signature)</p>	<p>Dr Julian Marshall</p>
<p><b>Endorsement by GCTC Chair (or representative)</b> (Name, Date and Signature)</p>	<p>Prof Mark McLean</p>

## J: TERM / UNIT TIMETABLE AND INDICATIVE DUTY ROSTER

Please show the activities that the trainee are expected/rostered to attend – these include all education opportunities (both training facility-wide and term specific), ward rounds, theatre sessions, inpatient time, outpatient clinics, shift handover, morning handover from hospital night team, afternoon handover to hospital's after hours team.

If there are extended or overlapping shifts for the trainees in the term, please provide a four week duty roster indicating change-overs between morning and evening shifts at roster change.

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
0800 – 1630 Operating Suite	0800 – 1630 Operating Suite	0800 – 1630 Operating Suite	0800 – 1630 Operating Suite	0800 – 1630 Operating Suite		
		1300 – 1400 JMO Protected Teaching	1300 – 1400 JMO Protected Teaching	1300 – 1400 Medical Grand Rounds		
1600 -1800 Departmental Teaching Session						