

## NORTHERN QUEENSLAND REGIONAL TRAINING HUBS

# Map out your medical career in northern Queensland



## Training Pathway for Adult Internal Medicine - Basic Training

College: The Royal Australasian College of Physicians (RACP)

Training program				Course Requirements							
Site	Year 1 Types of training accredited for over the 3 year training program:	Year 2	Year 3	Min time in a Level 3 Hospital (Months)	Max time allowed in Level 3 Training Hospital (Months)	Max time allowed in Level 2 Hospital (Months)	Max time allowed in Secondment Hospital (Months)	Rotations to which site	Min time in general & acute care medicine (Months)	Max time of non-core training (can be replaced by additional core training; Months)	Min time in medical specialties (Months)
				12	33	24	6		3	12	12
The Townsville Hospital (Forms part of the Far North Rotation)	Level 3 Teaching Hospital - allows up to 33 months of Basic Physician Training			✓	✓			2 x Specialty rotations - dependent on specialty			Cardiology, Clinical Haematology, Endocrinology, Gastroenterology, Geriatric Medicine, Infectious Diseases, Medical Oncology, Nephrology, Neurology Palliative Medicine, Rehabilitation Medicine, Respiratory & Sleep Medicine, Intensive Care Unit. The following are not available in northern Queensland: Clinical Genetics, Clinical Immunology & Allergy, Clinical Pharmacology, Rheumatology
Cairns Hospital (Forms part of the Far North Rotation)	Level 3 Teaching Hospital - allows up to 33 months of Basic Physician Training			✓	✓			Rotations to Atherton & Innisfail Hospitals			
Mackay Base Hospital (Forms part of the Northside Rotation)	Level 2 Teaching Hospital - allows up to 24 months of Basic Physician Training. Trainees must spend the additional 12 months at a Level 3 Teaching Hospital					✓		Rotate to Level 3 Teaching Hospital (Townsville or Cairns) for 12 months			
Mount Isa Hospital Cairns Private Hospital Atherton District Hospital (Forms part of the Far North Rotation)	Adult Medicine Secondment Hospital - allows up to 6 months of Basic Physician Training and will be on rotation from a Level 2 or Level 3 Teaching Hospital. A total of 6 months may be spent at secondment hospitals						✓	Rotate from Townsville or Cairns (Level 3) and Mackay (Level 2)			

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### Additional information

1. In Queensland, first year basic training positions (BPT1) are recruited and managed directly by the individual Hospital and Health Services (HHS), not via the network. These appointments are generally Junior House Officers or Senior House Officer position level. Visit the available positions webpage ([www.health.qld.gov.au/rmo](http://www.health.qld.gov.au/rmo)) for further details.
2. Second and third year basic physician training placements (BPT2 and BPT3) are recruited and managed through the Queensland basic physician training network. These are Registrar level appointments.

### 3 Year Training Pathway Rotations

#### Far North Rotation

Year 1 (interchangeable with Year 2)	Year 2 (interchangeable with Year 1)	Year 3
12 months	12 months	12 months
The Townsville Hospital or Cairns Hospital	The Townsville Hospital or Cairns Hospital, Rostered to 2 x specialty rotations each year consistent with training requirements	The Townsville Hospital

#### Far North Rotation

Year 1 (interchangeable with Year 2)	Year 2 (interchangeable with Year 1)		Year 3 - Semester
12 months	6 months	6 months	12 months
Townsville Hospital or Cairns Hospital	Atherton Hospital OR Innisfail Hospital	Cairns Hospital	The Townsville Hospital

### FAR NORTH ROTATION

- The Townsville Hospital
  - Cairns Hospital
- Secondment Sites:
- Atherton Hospital
  - Innisfail Hospital
  - Mt Isa Hospital

### NORTHSIDE ROTATION

- Royal Brisbane and Women's Hospital
- Sunshine Coast University Hospital
- The Prince Charles Hospital
- Caboolture Hospital
- Mackay Hospital
- Redcliffe Hospital
- Rockhampton Hospital

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## Training Pathway for Clinical Radiology

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	Training Program		Course Requirements	
	LAN 2 - Local Area Network 2 - Linked * Refer to list below	PHASE 1 (1-36 months) General Radiology Training	PHASE 2 (36-60 months) system focused rotation for Advanced Training	Max training time in any one site
<b>Site</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>48 months</b>	
The Townsville Hospital	✓	✓ (Components of)	✓ (Components of)	
Mackay Base Hospital	✓	✓ (Components of)	✓ (Components of)	

Possible rotations include: Rural, remote and private

LAN 2 - Local Area Network 2 (HUB 2)	Accreditation Type	LAN 2 - Local Area Network 2 (HUB 2)	Accreditation Type	The types of accreditation which are available are :
Royal Brisbane and Women's Hospital	Full	I-MED Radiology Network (Redcliff Hospital)	Linked	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Full Accreditation</b> – A site which is able to provide the full five-year training program, either internally or via a combination of internal &amp; external rotations</li> <li>• <b>Specialty Accreditation</b> – A site which provides training in a particular sub-specialty/ies and receives trainees on rotation from multiple sites. E.g. Paediatric hospitals. Specialty sites are subject to the full accreditation standards, with the exception of criteria pertaining to coverage of the five-year Curriculum.</li> <li>• <b>Linked Accreditation</b> – A site where specific training is undertaken for certain periods. This will always be in association with a Full site. The Full site is responsible for monitoring the rotation so as to be aware of whether it is beneficial to their trainees. Specific Accreditation Standards for Linked sites are currently being developed.</li> <li>• <b>Linked Satellite Accreditation</b> – Full site and linked site departments are administered as single/department group over multiple campuses with a shared Director/s of Training.</li> </ul>
Ipswich Hospital	Linked	BreastScreen Queensland Metro North	Linked Satellite	
Nambour General	Linked			
Sunshine Coast University Hospital	Linked			
<b>The Townsville Hospital</b>	Linked			
The Prince Charles Hospital	Linked			
Sunshine Coast Radiology (Maroochydore)	Linked			
Sunshine Coast Radiology (Warana)	Linked			
CQR (CQ Radiology) - QVT House	Linked			
CQR (CQ Radiology) - Rockhampton Hospital	Linked			
<b>Mackay Base Hospital</b>	Linked			

A man and a woman are walking together in a field. The man is on the left, wearing a light blue patterned shirt and khaki pants, holding a black folder. The woman is on the right, wearing a red t-shirt and green pants. They are both smiling and looking towards the camera. The background is a blurred landscape with trees and a clear sky.

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## Training Pathway for Advanced Nuclear Medicine

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*Adult Internal Medicine Basic Training must be completed prior to commencing Advanced Training; or completion of the 5 year RANZCR Radiology training program.*

Site	Accredited for which units
Queensland X-Ray Townsville Service: Mater Hyde Park / Mater Pimlico	Accredited for CORE / PET training Training position is shared between sites