

# Year 3 2026 Allocation Process and Timeline

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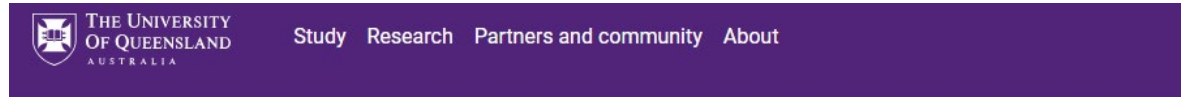


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# Ochsner Clinical Immersions

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## Clinical Immersions for UQ-Ochsner MD Program

This section contains details for UQ-Ochsner students' clinical immersions in Years 3 and 4 of the UQ-Ochsner MD Program.

For any questions regarding Ochsner allocations, please contact the UQ-Ochsner Student Administration in New Orleans at [med.ocsStudentAdmin@uq.edu.au](mailto:med.ocsStudentAdmin@uq.edu.au).

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### 3. Key Allocation Dates

Below are important dates and deadlines associated with the 2026 allocation process specifically as it relates to UQ-Ochsner students in Years 3 and 4.

- > [UQ-Ochsner Clinical Immersion Term Dates 2026](#)
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## UQ-Ochsner MD – Year 3 Clinical Immersion Terms

- In Year 3, you will rotate through five clinical immersion terms. You will have the opportunity to preference the order of your clinical immersion terms by preferencing the group as shown below.

Group	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4	Term 5
1	Medicine	Mental Health	Paediatrics	Surgery	O&G
2	Mental Health	Paediatrics	Surgery	O&G	Medicine
3	Paediatrics	Surgery	O&G	Medicine	Mental Health
4	Surgery	O&G	Medicine	Mental Health	Paediatrics
5	O&G	Medicine	Mental Health	Paediatrics	Surgery

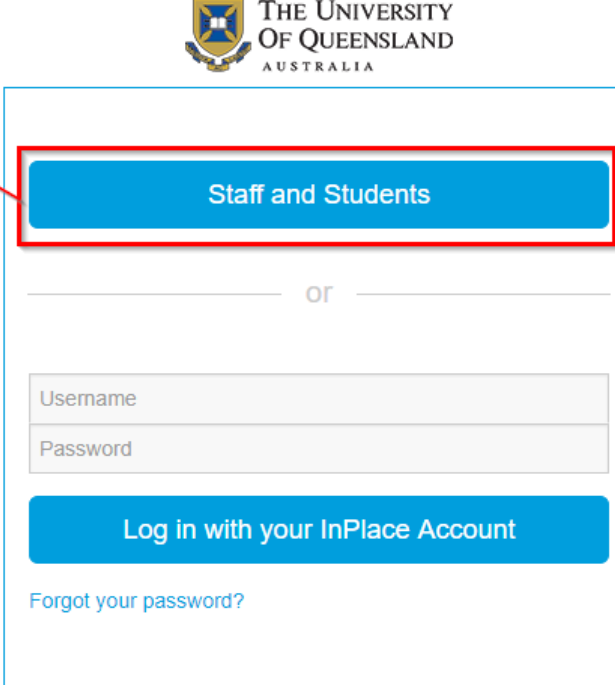
# The Placements System – InPlace

- Allocation preferencing will be conducted through the Uni's placement management system, InPlace.
- Login to InPlace – <https://placements.uq.edu.au>

Click on the Staff and Students button to log in via Single Sign On (using your UQ student credentials)

\*If you're unable to log in email:  
[itsupportdesk@its.uq.edu.au](mailto:itsupportdesk@its.uq.edu.au)

Do NOT use Internet Explorer. The system works better using Google Chrome or Safari.



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Log in with your InPlace Account

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# Placements & Preferencing

UQ Placements System  
Student Home Screen – Generic View

The screenshot shows the 'Student Home Screen – Generic View' of the UQ Placements System. The interface includes a top navigation bar with tabs for Home, Confirmed, Available (with a '2 new' badge), Requirements, Calendar, Shared Documents, and a user profile dropdown for 'EGibson'. The main content area is divided into two columns: 'Confirmed' and 'Available'. The 'Confirmed' pane shows the next attending at 'Burwood Health' on 19 Jan from 12:00AM to 11:59PM, with a 'View All Confirmed' button. The 'Available' pane shows counts for Internships (14), Projects (8), and Seminars (3), with 'View recommended' and 'View shortlisted' buttons. A 'To Do' list on the left contains four items related to compliance, surveys, and placement preferences. A 'Notifications' list on the right contains three messages, including one about placement preferences closing and another about assignment to Western Hospital. A 'User Account menu' is open, showing options for My Details, Staff, Help, and Log Out. Annotations with arrows point to the 'Toolbar', 'Confirmed pane', 'To Do list', 'User Account menu', 'Available pane', and 'Notifications list'.

- On the Student Home Screen, it will appear as a task under the “To Do” list.
- Click the link and complete your preferences.

# Preferencing Clinical Immersion Terms

In InPlace, clinical immersion terms will be represented by their associated group number, therefore you will need to select based on the corresponding group.

## Select Preferences For Y3\_OCS\_2026 Allocations

5 - 5 Preferences Required

Closes 12/07/2024

Filter  ▼

5 Blocks

- Group 1: Med>MH>Paed>Surg>O&G  
13/01/2025 - 09/11/2025
- Group 2: O&G>Med>MH>Paed>Surg  
13/01/2025 - 09/11/2025
- Group 3: Surg>O&G>Med>MH>Paed  
13/01/2025 - 09/11/2025
- Group 4: Paed>Surg>O&G>Med>MH  
13/01/2025 - 09/11/2025
- Group 5: MH>Paed>Surg>O&G>Med  
13/01/2025 - 09/11/2025

Once you've clicked the *Placement Block Preferences* link this screen will appear.

1. Select **all** the Groups displayed by clicking the blue square arrays
2. Click the Rank button to proceed to the next screen



**Note:** All Groups must be selected to move to the next screen to rank.

0 of 5 Blocks Selected



# Preferencing Clinical Immersion Terms

## Select the order of preference

Drag to change preference

1st	Group 1: Med>MH>Paed>Surg>O&G 13/01/2025 - 09/11/2025	↑ ↓
2nd	Group 2: O&G>Med>MH>Paed>Surg 13/01/2025 - 09/11/2025	↑ ↓
3rd	Group 3: Surg>O&G>Med>MH>Paed 13/01/2025 - 09/11/2025	↑ ↓
4th	Group 4: Paed>Surg>O&G>Med>MH 13/01/2025 - 09/11/2025	↑ ↓
5th	Group 5: MH>Paed>Surg>O&G>Med 13/01/2025 - 09/11/2025	↑ ↓

1. Arrange the clinical immersion term groups in your chosen preferencing order
2. Once happy with the order, click the 'Submit' button



**Note:** You can come back and change your preference order at any time until preferencing closes.

If you come back to modify your preferences it is important to note that they will be displayed in alphabetical order not the order you preferenced in.

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Submit

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# Timeline – UQ-Ochsner Students – Year 3, 2026

Task	Dates Listed in <u>Australia Eastern Standard Time</u>
Students apply for Special Consideration ( <i>if applicable, submit using this <a href="#">link</a></i> ) <u><a href="#">Refer to Allocation Guidelines</a></u>	7 – 18 July 2025
Ochsner students progressing to Year 3 will preference <b>Clinical Immersion Term Order</b>	4 – 8 August 2025
Release <u>provisional</u> Clinical Immersion Term Order	16 August 2025
Students apply for Term Order swaps ( <i>between Ochsner students only</i> )	16 – 23 August 2025
Release <u>finalised</u> Clinical Immersion Term Order	Week of 8 September 2025

# Locating Your Allocation

## Where can I see my allocation?

Your allocations will be visible in the placement system, InPlace, in the **confirmed** pane once allocations are released to students.



Once allocations have been released to students, your allocated clinical immersions will appear in the **'Confirmed'** pane on the Placement System Home screen

# Special Consideration

- Special consideration process is outlined in *Section 8* on the [Ochsner Clinical Immersions](#) webpage.
- Students who meet the criteria may submit applications using this [link](#).
- Special consideration will only be considered during the period as detailed on the appropriate timeline.

# Swaps

- Following the publication of provisional immersion term allocations, students will be provided the opportunity to submit a swap request.
  - For Year 3, students may request to swap their entire immersion term order.
  - Swap requests will be facilitated where there is a match between two students or available capacity.
  - Students are not responsible for finding, nor will they be permitted to request, a “swap partner.”
  - All applications for swaps will be accommodated where possible, however, are subject to operational requirements.
  - The Medical School cannot guarantee fulfilment of swap requests.
- Swap requests will only be considered during the swap periods as detailed on the appropriate timeline.
- Swap details are posted on the [Ochsner Clinical Immersions](#) webpage.

# Closing Notes & Information

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**Timeline & Preferencing Dates:** Ochsner Clinical Immersions > [Key Allocation Dates](#)

- **It is the student's responsibility to be aware of the relevant deadlines and submit applications within the required timeframe. Keep an eye on announcements on the MD Ochsner 2025 Blackboard site!**

# Contact

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