



# Year 2 General Practice Longitudinal Placement

1 day a week for 15 weeks

## Placement Dates

23 June – 31 October 2025

## Weeks off during placement

Except for the following 4 weeks starting  
**11 Aug, 18 Aug, 25 Aug & 1 Sept** due to tutorials,  
scheduled learning weeks and mid-semester break

## First Day Checklist

- ☐ Practice tour including the tearoom, toilet, fire exits and where to put bag.
- ☐ Introduction to staff including GP Supervisor & other doctors, practice admin, nursing, and allied health.
- ☐ 15-minute planning session with GP Supervisor regarding current experience, expectations and goal setting

Please confirm above has been completed:

GP Signature:

Student Signature:

Date:

## Day & Time of Placement

- Students are timetabled to attend GP one day each week.
- Students are expected to attend for a minimum of 6 hours (i.e. 2 sessions).
- The day the student attends is not negotiable as they have other activities scheduled for the rest of the week. We ask that you advise a mutually agreeable start-end time on this day.
- Students are not expected to attend on public holidays.
- Unfortunately, due to timetabling, if a session is unable to go ahead as planned these learning opportunities cannot be rescheduled.

## Absence Plan

### If the student is away:

The expectation is that students will attend all sessions. If a student cannot attend, they must let the practice know as soon as possible and submit an absence notification to the university.

### If the GP teacher is away:

If the GP teacher is unable to attend and cover is unable to be organised, we request that the student is notified as soon as possible to save them travel time.



## Assessment Requiring GP Assistance

These assessment pieces require sign off on the student's MyProgress app on their phone.

For more information on what is involved please see the GP Teacher Clinical Handbook

- 1 x history taking mini-CEX.
- 1 x examination mini-CEX
- 5 x GP Clinical Tasks (see below as a guide)
- Completion of 1 x mid and 1 x end of placement GP supervisor report



### List of Observed Clinical Assessment as a guide for learning opportunities

Students and GP teachers to use the below as a guide for learning opportunities.

How involved the student should be in these tasks is at the GP supervisor's discretion (observation only, assist, perform under direct supervision)

Handbook for GP Teachers 2025

GP CLINICAL TASKS		
PERFORM UNDER DIRECT SUPERVISION	ASSIST OR OBSERVE	OBSERVATION ONLY
<b>Examination</b> Routine observations- BP/ pulse/ temp/ SpO <sub>2</sub> Adult measurements – Height, weight, waist circumference Paediatric measurements – height, weight, head circumference Vision testing (Snellen chart, visual fields) Use of otoscope Use of ophthalmoscope	<b>Examination</b> Fluorescein dye to eye Local anaesthetic drops to the eye. Nebuliser set up	<b>Examination</b> Foreign body removal - eye Ear syringing Ankle Brachial Index (ABI) Speculum exam+/- bimanual exam Insertion intrauterine device Insertion Implanon Ingrown toenail wedge resection Iron infusion. Venesection Intra-articular injection/aspiration
<b>Bedside Investigation:</b> Use a Glucometer Urine Dipstick testing Urine pregnancy testing	<b>Bedside investigation</b> Urine drug screen	<b>Patient Education:</b> Discussion of community resources available at home
<b>Consultation Skills</b> Explain how to perform an MSU Explain how to use a puffer/ MDI/ Spacer	<b>Consultation Skills</b> explain how to take a self-collect CST Motivational interviewing	<b>Specific Consults</b> New diagnosis chronic condition e.g. diabetes, asthma, hypertension Antibiotic stewardship Appropriate use / rationalisation of investigations (pathology or imaging) Travel consult. Contraception Sexually transmitted disease screen Preconception /antenatal /postnatal visit Vaccination (live vs inactivated) Referral for emergency Referral for outpatient consult Breaking bad news
<b>Procedural Skills</b> Apply an arm sling or ankle bandage. Perform an ECG Perform spirometry. Perform aseptic technique. Perform minor wound care. Perform wound dressing. Perform injection (IM or SC) Collect a swab for bacterial culture. Assist in suturing. Perform skin scraping	<b>Procedural</b> Assist with cryotherapy. Assist with skin biopsy (shave, excision) Assist with venepuncture	<b>General Practice Logistics /Frameworks</b> Discussion and formulation General Practice Management Plans (GPMP) and Team Care Arrangement (TCA) Mental Health Care plans Health Assessment Routine child health check End of life planning (AHD, EPOA, statement of choices) Certificates (Medical, Workcover, Centrelink) Fitness to Drive Assessment Occupational Assessment