

Accredited Sites for Advanced Training

Geriatric Medicine August 2026

Core Training in **Geriatric Medicine** can only be undertaken in an accredited training setting.

Applicants are advised that the position applied for must be appropriate within these settings for Core Training to be approved.

PLEASE NOTE: *Non-core* training will be approved by the Committee on a case-by-case basis. For more information, please email Geriatrics@racp.org.nz

HOSPITAL	CITY	STATUS	MAXIMUM NO. OF TRAINEES	MAXIMUM TOTAL CORE TIME (MONTHS)		TYPE OF TRAINING	ACCREDITED TO
Auckland Hospital	Auckland, NZ	Accredited	6	12 6	Level A Core Training Level B Core Training	Core advanced Geriatric Medicine training	2027
Burwood Hospital	Christchurch, NZ	Conditional	8	18	12 months Level A core 6 months Level B core <i>Note: the OPMH Medical Registrar role can be accredited as a training run</i>	Core advanced Geriatric Medicine training	2027
Dunedin Hospital	Dunedin, NZ	Accredited	2	12	Level A Core Training	Core advanced Geriatric Medicine training • Orthogeriatrics • Inpatient geriatrics / stroke rehab • OPAL	2027
Hawkes Bay Hospital	Hastings, NZ	Accredited	2	6 6	Level A Core Training Level B Core Training	Core advanced Geriatric Medicine training	2027
Hutt Hospital	Wellington, NZ	Accredited	3	12 6	Level A Core Training (maximum 6 months in Frailty and Ward) Level B Core Training (in General Medicine or Stroke with a Geriatrician Supervisor)	Core advanced Geriatric Medicine training	2028

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Middlemore Hospital	Auckland, NZ	Accredited	6	12 6	Level A Core Training Level B Core Training	Core Advanced Geriatric Medicine training Level A - Inpatient Acute Geriatric Care - Inpatient Geriatric Rehabilitation - Inpatient Orthogeriatric Rehabilitation - Orthogeriatric Medicine - Community Geriatric Medicine - EDGS All six months Level A, with a maximum of 12 months of Level A across the above areas Level B - Acute Stroke - Inpatient neurorehabilitation – 6 months	2031
Nelson Hospital	Nelson, NZ	Provisional	1	6 6	Level A Core Training Level B Core Training	Core Advanced Geriatric Medicine Training 6 months Orthogeriatrics	2027 (Extended from 2025)
North Shore and Waitakere Hospitals	Auckland, NZ	Accredited	5* *4 at North Shore Hospital and 1 at Waitakere Hospital	12	Level A Core Training	Core advanced Geriatric Medicine training - Inpatient Geriatric Rehabilitation - Core Level A 12 months of Level A training can be completed under Waitemata DHB with a maximum of six months at Waitakere Hospital in the Stroke/Stroke Rehabilitation role only	2031
Palmerston North Hospital	Palmerston North, NZ	Accredited	1 1 (6 months commencing 3 August 2026)	12 6	Level A Core Training Level A Core Training	Core advanced Geriatric Medicine training - Acute inpatient geriatric care - Subacute inpatient geriatric care Core advanced Geriatric Medicine training - Community / Orthogeriatric Care	2026

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Southland Hospital	Invercargill, NZ	Accredited	1	6	6	Level A Core Training Level C Non-Core Training	Core advanced Geriatric Medicine training 2027
Taranaki Base Hospital	New Plymouth, NZ	Accredited	1	6	6	Level A Core Training Level B Core Training	- Twelve months core training - Twelve months non-core training (Applicants will continue to be considered on a case-by-case basis, depending on the diversity of training demonstrated) 2028
Tauranga Hospital	Tauranga, NZ	Accredited	3	12	6	Level A Core Training Level B Core Training	Core advanced Geriatric Medicine training 2028
Waikato Hospital	Hamilton, NZ	Accredited	3	18	12	Core Training Non-Core Training (Applications will continue to be considered on a case-by-case basis, depending on diversity of training demonstrated)	Core advanced Geriatric Medicine training Maximum of twelve months in the following areas of training: - Six months in in-patient Rehabilitation ward (Level A) and six months in Orthogeriatrics (Level A) - Six months in Stroke Rehabilitation (Level B Core) and six months in General Medicine under a Geriatrician supervisor (Level B Core) 2027
Wellington and Kenepuru Hospitals	Wellington, NZ	Accredited	5	12	6	Level A Core Training Level B Core Training	Core advanced Geriatric Medicine training - A maximum of 6 months of ward time at Kenepuru Hospital - A maximum of 6 months in either the AHOP or Orthogeriatric positions at Wellington Hospital - A maximum of 3 months in the consultant-liaison position at Wellington Hospital 2028

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Whangarei Hospital	Whangarei, NZ	Accredited	2	6	Level A Core Training – Rehabilitation/Orth-geriatrics	- Twelve months core training - Six months non-core training (Application will continue to be considered on a case-by-case basis, depending on diversity of training demonstrated)	2029
				6	Level A Core Training – Acute Care of the elderly		
				6	General Medicine Category C (non-core)		

Overseas Training Sites

Trainees applying for overseas training must submit evidence related to supervision and training to ensure the placement is relevant to gain competencies required by the curriculum. Core training will only be certified in places where the training experience is similar to that of Australia or New Zealand.

Applications for overseas training must be submitted at least six months in advance. To support the application the following information must be submitted:

- Two supervisors (approved by the Committee)
- Position description and roster.
- Evidence that the site is accredited for Geriatric Medicine training.
- Detailed information on the training experience, education program and relevance of training.