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# Accreditation Executive Summary Blacktown Hospital (NSW)

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## Introduction

The Royal Australasian College of Physicians (RACP) is recognised by the Australian Medical Council and the Medical Council of New Zealand as an education provider, and as such is responsible for developing and maintaining standards for physician workplace training in Australia and Aotearoa New Zealand.

The RACP Training Provider Accreditation Program determines and monitors standards for physician workplace training to attain a universally high standard of physician training. Through accreditation, Training Providers and programs are assessed by accreditors using the Training Provider Standards and Basic Training Accreditation Requirements.

## About this document

This document contains the summary of findings made by the Accreditation Subcommittee, as recommended by the Accreditation Review Panel, following the accreditation review of a Training Setting and its Basic Training Programs.

It is divided into three sections<sup>1</sup>, and each section covers the accreditation decisions, demographics, commendations, recommendations, and conditions, respectively:

- Section 1: Training Setting Accreditation
- Section 2: Adult Internal Medicine Basic Training Program Accreditation
- Section 3: Paediatrics & Child Health Basic Training Program Accreditation

For Network Accreditation, please refer to the separate Executive Summary – Network.

## Who completes this document?

All sections are to be completed by the Training Accreditation Services within the RACP College on behalf of the Accreditation Subcommittee. The External Validation Report will guide the completion of this document.

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<sup>1</sup> If your Setting only has 1 Basic Training program – the summary will only show the program that exists.

# SECTION 1: TRAINING SETTING ACCREDITATION

## 1.1 Accreditation Decision

Accreditation decision:	Accredited
Accreditation effective from – to:	February 2025 to February 2029
Length of Accreditation:	4 years
Next review type:	Comprehensive review
Next review year:	2028

## 1.2 Setting Demographics

Name of Training Setting:	Blacktown Hospital
Address:	Blacktown Road, Blacktown NSW 2148
Multi-Campus:	Mt Druitt Hospital
Number of hospital beds:	467
Number of designated medical beds:	244
University affiliation:	Western Sydney University

The [Training Provider Standards](#) contains a comprehensive list and description of the Criteria and Requirements that the Training Provider Accreditation has been assessed against below.

## 1.3 Commendations

No commendations.

## 1.4 Recommendations

No recommendations.

## 1.5 Conditions

No conditions.

## SECTION 2: ADULT INTERNAL MEDICINE BASIC TRAINING PROGRAM ACCREDITATION

### 2.1 Accreditation Decision

Accreditation decision:	Accredited
Level Classification:	Principal Training Program (Level 2)
Training Network:	Westmead Basic Physician Training Network (NSW)
Training Program delivery duration:	24 months
Accreditation effective from – to:	February 2025 to February 2029
Length of Accreditation:	4 years
Next review type:	Focus review
Year of review:	2025

### 2.2 Training Program Demographics

Current number of Basic Trainees: 2	17 (Network) 10-20 (non-network)
Training Program partners:	Westmead Hospital Hornsby Ku-ring-Gai Hospital Orange Base Hospital

The [Training Provider Standards](#) contains a list of the Criteria and Requirements that this Setting has been assessed against.

### 2.3 Commendations

No Commendations.

### 2.4 Recommendations

Criterion or Requirement	Action Due Date
Requirement 1.1.1 Basic Trainees are involved in patient safety and health quality care activities undertaken by the setting.	12/09/2025
Criterion 4.1 The training provider has a physician-led structure with the authority, time, funding and staff to plan, administer and deliver physician training.	12/09/2025

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<sup>2</sup> At the time of accreditation review

Criterion 7.7 A trainee has protected time for formal learning.	12/09/2025
Criterion 8.3 Supervision is provided by a sufficient number of qualified and skilled medical staff with an appropriate level of training and experience.	12/09/2025

## 2.5 Conditions

No conditions.

## **SECTION 3: PAEDIATRICS & CHILD HEALTH BASIC TRAINING PROGRAM ACCREDITATION**

The Blacktown Hospital Paediatrics & Child Health Basic Training Program Accreditation Executive Summary will be posted at the time of their next accreditation review.