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Accreditation Executive Summary

Gold Coast University Hospital (QLD)

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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 sections¹, 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.

¹ 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 2026 to February 2030
Length of Accreditation:	4 years
Next review type:	Focus review
Next review year:	30 September 2025

1.2 Setting Demographics

Name of Training Setting:	Gold Coast University Hospital
Address:	1 Hospital Blvd, Southport QLD 4215
Multi-Campus:	NA
Number of hospital beds:	956
Number of designated medical beds:	300
University affiliation:	Griffith University, Bond 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

Criterion or Requirement
Criterion 1.1 The setting has a high standard of medical practice, evaluates its practices and improves the quality of its service.
Criterion 1.4 Trainee and educator work arrangements enables the delivery of high-quality care and optimises learning and wellbeing.

1.4 Recommendations

Criterion or Requirement	Review due date
Criterion 3.2 The training provider has a training governance system that guides and oversees physician training.	30/09/2025
Criterion 3.6 The Setting assesses the impact service change will	30/09/2025

have on training and engages with educators and trainees on the change process.	
Criterion 5.1 An educator is selected, inducted, trained, appraised and recognised.	30/09/2025
Criterion 5.2 An educator has the capacity to train and lead.	30/09/2025
Criterion 5.4 The Training Provider ensures Educators have completed all the RACP Supervisor Professional Development Program Modules.	30/09/2025

1.5 Conditions

No conditions.

SECTION 2: ADULT INTERNAL MEDICINE BASIC TRAINING PROGRAM ACCREDITATION

Gold Coast University Hospital Adult Internal Medicine Basic Training Program Accreditation Executive Summary will be posted at the time of their next accreditation review.

SECTION 3: PAEDIATRICS & CHILD HEALTH BASIC TRAINING PROGRAM ACCREDITATION

3.1 Accreditation Decision

Accreditation decision:	Accredited
Level Classification:	Principal Training Program (Level 2)
Training Network:	Queensland Paediatric Training Network (QLD)
Training Program delivery duration:	30 months
Accreditation effective from – to:	February 2026 to February 2030
Length of Accreditation:	4 years
Next review type:	Focus review
Year of review:	30 September 2025

3.2 Training Program Demographics

Current number of Basic Trainees: 2	13 (Network) 4 (non-Network)
Training Program partners:	Queensland Children's Hospital Redland Hospital Logan Hospital Bundaberg Hospital Tweed Valley Hospital

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

3.3 Commendations

No commendations.

3.4 Recommendations

Criterion or Requirement	Action Due Date
Requirement 5.2.2 Rotation and education supervisors are allocated time to complete their supervisory responsibilities.	30/09/2025

² At the time of accreditation review

3.5 Conditions

No conditions.