

Accreditation Executive Summary Northern Beaches 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 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 with conditions
Accreditation effective from – to:	February 2025 – February 2029
Length of Accreditation:	4 years
Next review type:	Focus review
Next review year:	1 September 2025

1.2 Setting Demographics

Name of Training Setting:	Northern Beaches Hospital
Address:	105 Frenchs Forest Rd West, Frenchs Forest NSW 2086
Multi-Campus:	No
Number of hospital beds:	480
Number of designated medical beds:	164
University affiliation:	Macquarie University

The <u>Training Provider Standards</u> 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

Criterion or Requirement	Action due date
Criterion 7.7 A trainee has protected time for formal learning.	1/09/2025

SECTION 2: ADULT INTERNAL MEDICINE BASIC TRAINING PROGRAM ACCREDITATION

2.1 Accreditation Decision

Accreditation decision:	Accredited with conditions	
Level Classification:	Principal Training Program (Level 2)	
Network Name:	Northern Sydney Coastal Network	
Training Program delivery duration:	24 months	
Accreditation effective from – to:	February 2025 – February 2029	
Length of Accreditation:	4 years	
Next review type:	Focus review	
Year of review:	28 November 2025	

2.2 Training Program Demographics

Current number of Basic Trainees:	6 Network / 9 non-Network
Training Program partners:	NA

The <u>Training Provider Standards</u> contains a list of the Criteria and Requirements that this Setting has been assessed against.

2.3 Commendations

No commendations.

2.4 Recommendations

No recommendations.

2.5 Conditions

Criterion or Requirement	Action Due Date
Criterion 7.5 A rotation has a workload, profile of work, access to clinical services and supervision to enable a trainee to receive a breadth and depth of learning opportunities consistent with the curriculum.	28/11/2025

² At the time of accreditation review

Requirement 4.1.1 The training provider ensures Basic Trainees	28/11/2025
have clinical supervisors and a designated rotation and	
education supervisor in accordance with the RACP Basic	
Training Learning, Teaching and Assessment Program.	

SECTION 3: PAEDIATRICS & CHILD HEALTH BASIC TRAINING PROGRAM ACCREDITATION

3.1 Accreditation Decision

Accreditation decision:	Accredited with conditions
Level Classification:	Adjunct Training Program (Secondment)
Parent Training Setting:	Sydney Children's Hospital
Training Network:	Greater Eastern Paediatric Basic Physician Network (NSW)
Training Program delivery duration:	12 months
Accreditation effective from – to:	February 2025 to February 2029
Length of Accreditation:	4 years
Next review type:	Focus review
Year of review:	31 July 2025

3.2 Training Program Demographics

Current number of Basic Trainees:	5 Network / 2 non-Network
Training Program partners:	Macquarie University

The <u>Training Provider Standards</u> contains a list of the Criteria and Requirements that this Setting has been assessed against.

3.3 Commendations

No commendations.

3.4 Recommendations

No recommendations.

³ At the time of accreditation review

3.5 Conditions

Criterion or Requirement	Action Due Date
Requirement 7.7.1 The Setting provides a minimum of 4 hours of formal learning per week with 2 hours being protected.	31/07/2025