

2025 - HMO3 (PGY3+) General Stream Information Guide

The Austin Health General Stream offers a variety of experiences including rotations in general medicine, psychiatry, specialty medicine and surgery.

Why apply for a General Year? HMOs who complete a PGY3 General year have successfully undertaken further training in various areas including General Practice, General Medicine, Surgery, Radiology, Obstetrics and Gynaecology, Psychiatry, Critical Care and many more.

Other benefits include:

- Broad range of rotations
- Still deciding future career path
- Opportunity to experience both medical and surgical rotations

PGY3 General HMOs will have access to rotations at Mildura Public Hospital (Obstetrics/Gynaecology) and/or Katherine District Hospital in the Northern Territory (Emergency with Paediatric Medicine exposure).

There is also the ability to complete your Diploma of Obstetrics, with a six-month clinical placement at the Mercy Hospital in our HMO3 year.

Available Rotations

HMO3 General Year

- Cardiology (Austin Health)
- Emergency Medicine (Austin Health & Katherine District Hospital)
- General Medicine (Austin Health)
- Intensive Care Medicine (Austin Health)
- Night Duty (Medical & Surgical) (Austin Health)
- Obstetrics & Gynaecology (Mercy Health for Women - Heidelberg)
- Psychiatry:
 - Consultation Liaison Psychiatry (Austin Health)
 - Brain Disorders Unit (Royal Talbot Rehabilitation Centre)
- Rehabilitation Medicine (Royal Talbot Rehabilitation Centre)
- Obstetrics & Gynaecology (Mildura Public Hospital)
- Hospital in the Home (Austin Health)
- Better at Home (Austin Health and home visits)



HMO3 General - Applications and Important Information

HMO3 General positions are appointed directly through the Medical Workforce unit at Austin Health.

Applications to Austin Health

All applications must be submitted via our online recruitment system. Please follow the instructions and complete all the steps. You must also attach a cover letter (addressed to Emma Saggese & Chris Keating, Medical Workforce Coordinators) and a Curriculum Vitae (CV) and two references in order to be considered for short listing.

Interviews

Shortlisted applicants will be interviewed via an online platform (Microsoft Teams). Interviews will take place late July and early August.

References

Applicants are required to provide the contact details of at least 2 referees on their CV. They also need to provide 2 referee reports via <u>email</u> to Austin Health at the time for the application using the referee report form provided on the Austin Health Medical Careers page.

Annual Rotation/Roster Allocations

Upon successfully being appointed you will get an opportunity to 1) rank rotations in order of preference 2) annual leave requests 3) request conference leave.

All attempts will be made to accommodate preferences within the rosters i.e. annual leave for major personal events, rotation allocation based on training and career goals etc., however, please be aware not all requests can be accommodated and/or granted.

For important dates please refer to Austin Health website