

GRADSTART NURSING PROGRAM 2024

POPULATION AND COMMUNITY HEALTH / ACUTE INPATIENT



South Eastern Sydney Local health District is proud to offer a primary health (Population and Community Health – PaCH) and an acute inpatient rotation for first year Registered Nurses from 2024.

The offering will provide participants with a supportive environment. Opportunities will be available to consolidate and expand clinical skills in a variety of settings.

Candidates that preference this rotation will be interviewed at the site of the acute inpatient placement (or virtually). Wherever possible, panels will include both a site and PaCH representative.

The selected participants will complete a 12-month program: a six-month rotation in an acute inpatient setting and a six-month rotation in a primary health setting.

The primary health rotations will occur in settings such as

- [Child, Youth and Family Services](#)
- [Drug and Alcohol Services](#)
- [Integrated Care](#)
- Blood Borne Virus/ [Sexual Health Services](#) including:
 - [Kirketon Road Centre](#),
 - [HIV Outreach](#)
 - The Albion Centre

The acute inpatient rotations will be undertaken in one of the following hospitals:

- [St George Hospital](#)
- [Sutherland Hospital](#)
- [Sydney/ Sydney Eye Hospital](#)

Intakes are planned for early 2024, with a final date to be confirmed.

Whilst on the primary health rotation, participants will be supported by senior clinicians and will have the opportunity to practise autonomously within scope.

As with all GradStart RNs, participants will receive:

- Orientation and a period of supernumerary at commencement of each rotation
- Access to paid study days and regular inservices
- Regular contact with GradStart Educators
- Ongoing local clinical nurse educator support

INFORMATION

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