

# Registered Nurse GradStart 2025

# Calvary Health Care Kogarah

### Why Calvary Health Care Kogarah for your GradStart year?

<u>Calvary Health Care Kogarah</u> offers the opportunity for new Registered Nurses to develop your clinical skills and practice in a specialist Palliative Care and Rehabilitation Service.

As a new Registered Nurse, our supportive and challenging program will give you the opportunity to develop and consolidate your clinical skills thus providing you with a fulfilling introduction and firm foundation to your ongoing career as a Registered Nurse.

You will be supported by the Calvary nursing team including Nurse Managers, Nurse Educators and the broader Calvary staff. You will receive a comprehensive General Orientation and Clinical Orientation Program and supernumerary days at the commencement of each rotation. Throughout your transitioning year you will receive regular in-service education and clinical supervision sessions.

Calvary Health Care Kogarah is a public hospital local to St George and Sutherland Shire regions with extensive Community Health Services to the St George region. The hospital sits within South Eastern Sydney Local Health District as an affiliated organisation.

Calvary Health Care Kogarah is one of the largest sub-acute hospitals in NSW serving approximately 12,500 patients per year. The hospital is set within lush and private gardens to enhance the wellbeing of our patients, their families and our staff.

In line with our values of hospitality, healing, stewardship and respect Calvary is committed to the health, safety and wellbeing of its workers, patients, volunteers and visitors alike.

Calvary Health Care Kogarah is committed to minimising the impact on the environment.



#### Commencement dates

Calvary Health Care Kogarah offers two intakes per year, typically February and May.

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# What we offer you in your GradStart year

As a new Registered Nurse, Calvary Health Care Kogarah offers a well-supported and comprehensive GradStart program.

#### You can expect:

- Development of specialised skills in rehabilitation and palliative care nursing
- Development of skills for working within a multidisciplinary team

- Management of patients with complex symptoms
- Development of knowledge and skills in pain management
- Utilisation of holistic assessment skills
- Participation in ongoing skill competencies and knowledge development.

#### Other details

You will receive specialised orientation to the organisation, facility, and ward. This includes supernumerary status at the commencement of each of your clinical rotations. You are provided with flexible rostering on a 7-day rotating roster.

There is no on-site staff accommodation at Calvary Healthcare Kogarah.

There is free parking on site.

The nearest railway station is Kogarah, and a bus stop is located on Rocky Point Road, directly outside the hospital.

For more information, see this link.

## Questions?

If you have any questions about this GradStart program, please contact:

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All enquiries welcomed!

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