

Caboolture Hospital

RMO Training Opportunities in 2025

CARING-together Caboolture Hospital is committed to changing the way health care is delivered. Our promise is to put people first, providing safe, effective, person-centred care. We strive to ensure our patients have equity of access, outcomes and experience, whilst nurturing a culture of teamwork, learning, improvement and being part of a community that provides connected accredited in Patient and Family Centred Care. Our vision is to improve the health of our community by caring together.

This is your chance to make a difference!

Caboolture Hospital is a part of Australia's biggest and most diverse Hospital and Health Service delivering the best care via the best health care professionals. Caboolture Hospital is a 302 bed Hospital (including Mental Health) with 1,600 Health Practitioners providing care to more than 200,000 people. We are forty-five minutes' drive from Brisbane and the Sunshine Coast and located in an area growing both in demographics and infrastructure. Caboolture Hospital provides training opportunities for doctors pursuing generalist or specialist career pathways. Caboolture's size as an accredited training facility places it in perfect stead to build your clinical competence and assist your professional advancement through the diverse range of clinical exposure and hands on experience you will gain in our friendly and supportive environment. Caboolture Hospital is currently undergoing extensive growth in size and services which will enhance your learning opportunities. In 2023 Caboolture Hospital opened its new Clinical Services Building, expanding the hospital to support the growing Moreton Bay region. In 2024 additional refurbishment works will be completed on the existing main hospital building to expand the services available at Caboolture Hospital (please see Page 3 for redevelopment update).

Rotations

- Medicine, including General Medicine, Cardiology, General Medicine and Stroke, Infectious Diseases, Rheumatology, Geriatric Services, Respiratory, Endocrinology, Hospital In The Home and Palliative Care
- **Surgery** (including Gastroenterology)
- **Emergency**
- **Paediatrics**
- **Mental Health**
- **0&G**
- **Anaesthetics**
- **Education RMO**
- **Unit Support (Relieving)**

Working Conditions

- Award conditions are 76 hours per fortnight
- Annual leave to be discussed with Medical Workforce Unit for PGY2/3 and with specific departments for PGY4s and above
- Weekly PGY 2/3 Specific Education including monthly simulation sessions and/or workshops
- Unit Specific Education
- Supportive Medical Workforce Unit and **Medical Education Unit**
- Easy access to public transport

Education Support

Caboolture Hospital has a very supportive and encouraging Medical Education Unit (MEU). The team, including the Director of Clinical Training (DCT), the Deputy DCT, Medical Education Officers (MEOs) and Administration Officer, are always available and willing to provide advocacy and support.

The MEU works closely with our Director of Medical Services (DMS) and Medical Administration Registrars. Caboolture Hospital has a Medical Peer Support Program, Mentoring Program and the opportunity every term to attend a Pre-vocational Doctors Meeting with our Medical Executive team to discuss any training concerns or issues.

The MEU actively promotes its open-door policy. We provide support specific to your needs, be it in relation to a personal or professional matter. We continually monitor your training environment to ensure you are provided the best environment to learn and reach your learning objectives.

Caboolture's Education and Skills Development Centre is an important training hub for our junior doctor teaching. The centre provides a simulation centre, linked to the Clinical Skills Development Service, offering healthcare simulation permitting junior doctors to practice procedures, refine commination techniques, gain experience in recognising and treating medical conditions, undertake multi-disciplinary teamwork training all in a safe and supported learning environment.

Learner centred education - a full weekly education program including, JHO and SHO focused education, Grand Rounds, Journal Clubs, e-learning programs and unit tutorials with hands on practical sessions.

We have a state-of-the-art Education and Skills Centre with a large number of supervisors to support your ongoing training. Our formal education programs include the Junior Doctor Professional Development Program (JDPDP) and Grand Rounds. In addition, you will have access to each Unit's specific learning programs which include, for example, bedside teaching, department education, case presentation and meetings. You have the opportunity to gain learning experience from your day-to-day clinical services such as handover and ward rounds given the supportive nature of the supervisors at Caboolture Hospital. Additionally, you have access to researchers, and you can choose to be involved in research and audits.

Being a smaller hospital and given the high numbers of retention of JHOs and SHOs at Caboolture Hospital, you will have access to a fantastic medical peer support program. In addition, the wider team at Caboolture are extremely welcoming and supportive. We all want to see you become the best doctor you can be!



Workforce Support

The Medical Workforce Unit (MWU) is here to help you. The MWU team are easily accessible, friendly and always approachable. The MWU efficiently and effectively handles all recruitment, assignment of allocations, leave, AHPRA requirements, Department of Immigration requirements, provider and prescriber number requirements, and any other issues you may face beginning your career as a doctor.

Term allocations are assigned in order to meet your desired career path.

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Caboolture Hospital Redevelopment

By 2031, the population of Caboolture and surrounds is expected to grow by 51%. The Queensland Government has committed \$352.9 million to significantly expand and redevelop Caboolture Hospital, with a further \$41.7 million committed to deliver a new multi-storey carpark.

New five storey Clinical Services Building

- · New and expanded Emergency Department
- · 20-bed Rehabilitation Unit
- · 10-bed Palliative Care Unit
- 14-bed Geriatric Evaluation and Management Unit
- 32-bed Medical Ward
- · 10-bed Intensive Care Unit
- 6 (representing 2 additional) Operating Theatres and 4 Stage One Recovery Spaces
- 8-bed Cardiac Care Unit
- · 4-bed Chest Pain Assessment Unit and 16-bed Medical Ward



Refurbishment within existing hospital

- Enhanced and expanded special care nursery with 15 bays
- Medical day stay unit
- · Upgraded and expanded morgue
- Expanded medical records facility, pharmacy and pathology
- New main entry, café and visitor lounge.

Multi-storey carpark

- Approximately 1,080 parking spaces in a mix of multi-storey and at-grade facilities
- Accessible parking spaces, electric vehicle charging bays and motorcycle parking
- Combined with other car spaces around the site, there will be approximately 1640 spaces in total across the Caboolture Hospital site