



Resident Medical Officer (RMO) Campaign 2026

Information for applicants

Sunshine Coast
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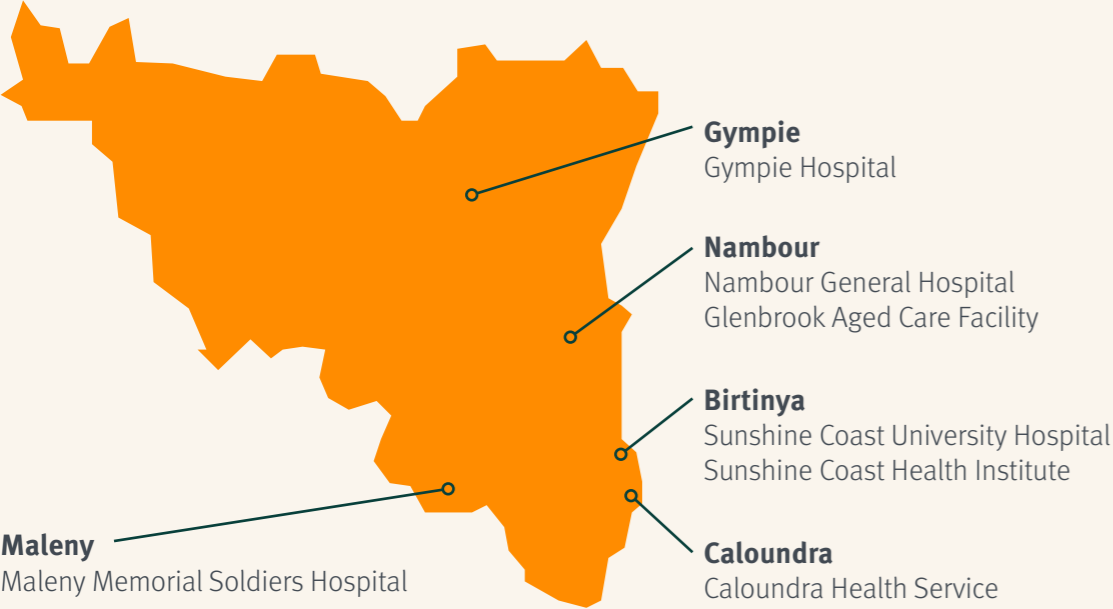
About us

Spanning more than 60km along the Queensland coast, the Sunshine Coast is a vast and varied landscape in a subtropical climate. Stunning beaches and pristine waterways sit alongside lush rainforests and national parks, making it one of the most incredible areas to live and work.

Sunshine Coast Health provides care in hospital and community settings to a population of 460,000 people and growing across the expansive Sunshine Coast region.

Our Health Service includes a number of facilities and a diverse range of clinical opportunities to meet the needs of patients as well as supporting training opportunities for our doctors.

- Opportunities for junior doctors**
- Great range of experience with opportunities for rural placements
 - Fantastic choice of specialties and streamed allocations
 - Access to non-rotational house officer positions in Orthopaedics, ENT, Plastics, Urology, Ophthalmology, Internal Medicine, Emergency Foundations Program, O+G, Paediatrics, GP Foundations, General Surgery Foundation Program
 - Dynamic and supportive Medical Education Unit
 - Job satisfaction and wellbeing
 - Relaxing Sunshine Coast lifestyle with Brisbane just an hour away
 - Contact Medical Workforce for information! sc-jmoworkforce@health.qld.gov.au



Various community facilities are based in Caloundra, Gympie, Maroochydore, Nambour and Noosa

Facilities

Sunshine Coast University Hospital (SCUH)

Sunshine Coast University Hospital (SCUH) is a 745-bed tertiary level teaching hospital and is co-located with Sunshine Coast Health Institute (SCHI) a purpose-built education and research facility. Griffith University Sunshine Coast School of Medicine opened onsite in 2019.

- Staff facilities**
- Childcare centre onsite
 - Gymnasium onsite
 - Extensive coffee, food and retail outlets
 - Cycle centre with secure racks, lockers and showers
 - Staff lounge/recreation room
 - On-site undercover paid parking (can salary sacrifice)

Nambour General Hospital (NGH)

Nambour General Hospital (NGH) is a 195-bed teaching hospital and has recently undergone an \$86+million redevelopment to better service the growing health needs of the local community.

Nambour offers an Emergency Department, inpatient and outpatient specialist medical and surgical services, a variety of subacute services and day therapy (dialysis and chemotherapy).

- Staff facilities**
- Hospital kiosk and local cafes
 - Medical officers lounge
 - Free parking on nearby streets, paid parking (can salary sacrifice), cycle parking

Gympie Hospital

Gympie Hospital provides a range of Acute, Ambulatory, Community and Mental Health services at this 83-bed facility including Emergency, Surgical and Medical services, Palliative care and Rehabilitation, Maternity services and Renal dialysis.

- Staff facilities**
- On-site and off-site accommodation available.
 - Free, untimed parking on local streets

Caloundra Health Service

Caloundra Hospital has a Minor Injury and Illness Clinic, a 35-bed hub for Palliative care as well as dental, child health and community-based services.

- Staff facilities**
- Free parking on hospital grounds and in local streets

Maleny Soldier’s Memorial Hospital

Maleny Hospital is a rural hospital with a catchment of over 10,000 people. It has 25 beds and is led by rural GPs and generalists with visiting staff specialists. It provides services to the Maleny region, including a 24-hr rural emergency department, medical ward, sub-acute rehabilitation unit, palliative care and outpatient clinics.

- Staff facilities**
- Free parking on hospital grounds and in local streets



Registrar and Principal House Officer (PHO) positions

Accredited Registrar Terms Available*

Medicine

General Medicine
Cardiology
Respiratory
Gastroenterology
Endocrinology
Obstetric Medicine
Renal Medicine
Infectious Diseases
Dermatology
Immunology (including Rheumatology)
Haematology
Oncology
Neurology
Stroke
Palliative Care
Geriatrics
Radiology

Critical Care

Anaesthetics
Persistent Pain Service
Intensive Care (adult ICU and Paediatric CCU)
Emergency Medicine
Paediatric Emergency Medicine

Surgery

General Surgery
Vascular Surgery
Orthopaedics
Surgical Fellow - General Surgery

Community and Sub-Acute

Community Geriatrics
Rehabilitation
Palliative Care

Women's and Families

Paediatrics (includes neonatal rotation)
Obstetrics & Gynaecology

Mental Health

Mental Health and Addiction
Adult Inpatient and Community
Older Persons Inpatient and Community
Child and Adolescent Mental Health
Adolescent Inpatients
Gympie Rural Team
Homeless Team
ATSI Team
Eating Disorders Program
Consultation-Liaison
Neurostimulation

PHO Terms Available*

General Medicine
Palliative Care
Community Geriatrics
Emergency
Anaesthetics
ICU
Paediatrics
Obstetrics and Gynaecology*
(*Advanced Diploma position also available)
Hospital in the Home
Mental Health
Nuclear Medicine
General Surgery
Orthopaedics
Urology
Ear, Nose & Throat (ENT)
Vascular Surgery
Ophthalmology
Plastic Surgery
Trauma Surgery (includes time in ED)
Thoracic Surgery



*These positions are current at the time of publishing, and subject to change over time. Reach out to our recruitment team for information at the time of application.

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RMO positions

Rotational Resident Medical Officer Positions

We have rotational positions for Junior and Senior House Officers, allowing a broad range of experience across different areas, with five term placements per year. Candidates have the opportunity to preference preferred allocations; requests for oversubscribed areas are reviewed by a panel of senior clinicians.

Rotational Terms include:

Medicine: General Medicine (including Peri-Operative Medicine), Cardiology, Gastroenterology, Geriatrics, Haematology, Infectious Diseases, Oncology, Ortho Geriatrics, Radiation Oncology, Renal, Respiratory, Obstetric Medicine, Rehabilitation Medicine and Stroke

Surgery: General Surgery (including Acute Surgical Unit), Ear Nose and Throat (ENT), Orthopaedics, Urology, Plastics and Vascular Surgery

Women and Children: Paediatrics, O+G

Emergency: SCUH, Nambour, Gympie

Other: ICU, Anaesthetics, Palliative Care, Ward Call (Medical/Surgical), Hospital in the Home, Mental Health, Rural Term (Maleny, Emerald, Barcaldine)

Non-rotational Resident Medical Officer Positions

There are a number of options to increase your experience in one area and prepare for the next stage of your career. We have non-rotational positions in:

- Internal Medicine
- Emergency Foundations Program (Critical Care)
- ENT
- O+G (Diploma of Obstetrics)
- Ophthalmology
- Orthopaedics
- Paediatrics
- General Practice Foundations
- Urology
- Plastic Surgery
- General Surgery Foundations Program

Applications for these positions are assessed by the relevant department and positions allocated on a merit basis. If you miss out on your preferred non-rotational position, talk with us about a rotational position instead.

For information about the Emergency Foundations, GP Foundations and General Surgery Foundations programs please see the flyer within the Sunshine Coast profile on the RMO Campaign website

Contact us for further information.

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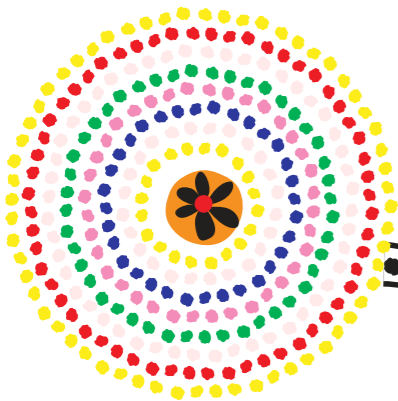
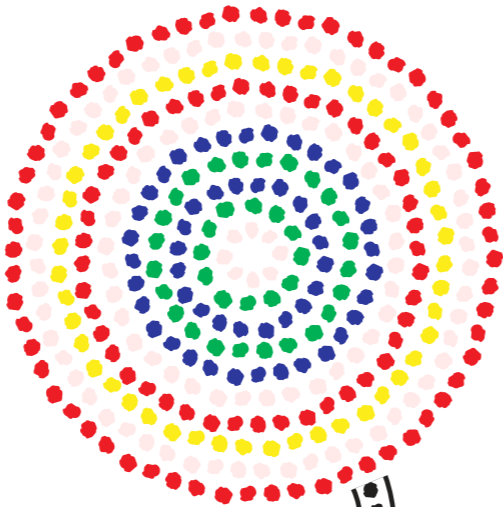


Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander RMO positions

Sunshine Coast Health is committed to engaging a diverse and inclusive workforce.

By doing so, we can ensure the cultural capability of our workforce through fostering an environment of understanding, shared lived experiences and shared cultural knowledge. Greater diversity means more voices representative of our community are heard within our organisation. Creating a culturally diverse and skilled workforce is a priority for Sunshine Coast Health and we strongly encourage RMOs of Aboriginal and or Torres Strait Islander descent to apply.

- The health service proudly works with the Gubbi Gubbi (Kabi Kabi) and Jinibara people on whose land we provide health services, as well as our local community and Elders.
- The Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander population on the Sunshine Coast is approximately 12,000 people.
- Sunshine Coast Health was the first hospital and health service in Queensland to launch its Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Equity Strategy (2022 - 2031) and Implementation Plan (2022 – 2025).
- Sunshine Coast Health has a dedicated Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health directorate that delivers direct patient care to the community including a Hospital Liaison Team, Preventable Hospitalisations Program, Community Health Program and a Cultural Capability and Workforce team.



How to apply for a role

Lodge all applications via the Queensland Health RMO campaign. [Resident Medical Officer \(RMO\) and Registrar campaign | Queensland Health by the due date.](#)

For Rotational/Non-Rotational Positions select the relevant position through the RMO Campaign using the following table as a guide:

Rotational/ Non-Rotational	Facility	Position	Specialty	Subspecialty
Rotational	Sunshine Coast University Hospital and Health Service	JHO SHO	Rotational	None (Rotation)
Non-Rotational	Sunshine Coast University Hospital and Health Service	JHO SHO	Emergency Medicine	None (ED Foundations Program)
Non-Rotational	Sunshine Coast University Hospital and Health Service	SHO	Obstetrics & Gynaecology	Diploma (O&G)
Non- Rotational	Sunshine Coast University Hospital and Health Service	SHO	General Practice	None (GP Foundations Program)
Non- Rotational	Sunshine Coast University Hospital and Health Service	SHO	Paediatrics	None (Gen Paeds)
Non- Rotational	Sunshine Coast University Hospital and Health Service	SHO	Surgery	Urology
Non-Rotational	Sunshine Coast University Hospital and Health Service	SHO	Surgery	Orthopaedics (Surg)
Non-Rotational	Sunshine Coast University Hospital and Health Service	SHO	Surgery	Ear, Nose & Throat (Surg)
Non-Rotational	Sunshine Coast University Hospital and Health Service	SHO	Surgery	Plastic Surgery
Non-Rotational	Sunshine Coast University Hospital and Health Service	SHO	Surgery	General Surgery (Surg)
Non-Rotational	Sunshine Coast University Hospital and Health Service	SHO	Ophthalmology	None (Ophthal)

*Successful applicants will be employed by the Sunshine Coast Health in line with the Medical Officers (QH) Certified Agreement (No.6) 2022 – MOCA 6.

For Registrar & Principal House Officer positions not centrally allocated to a Health Service, please select the relevant position through the RMO Campaign. Some examples are provided in the below matrix.

Please refer to the RMO Campaign for a full list.

Facility	Position	Specialty	Subspecialty
Sunshine Coast University Hospital and Health Service	PHO	Medicine	Gastroenterology & Hepatology (Med)
Sunshine Coast University Hospital and Health Service	PHO	Surgery	Trauma (Surg)
Sunshine Coast University Hospital and Health Service	PHO	Radiation Oncology	Rad Onc (AT)
Sunshine Coast University Hospital and Health Service	REG PHO	Emergency Medicine	None (ED)
Sunshine Coast University Hospital and Health Service	PHO	Surgery	Orthopaedics (Surg)

Message from the Directors of Clinical Training

A warm welcome to the Sunshine Coast Health. Working and training as a Junior Medical Officer (JMO) is rewarding but can be challenging. The Medical Education Unit (MEU) is here to support you in your training, and can be contacted for advice, advocacy, support and wellbeing. We are committed to the support and delivery of high-quality education, clinical training and research, which contribute to the vision of Sunshine Coast Health. We are confident that the training and support you receive, will help you develop your clinical competence, knowledge and skills and assist you with your career aspirations and professional goals.

Education and Support

The Medical Education Unit provides support and professional development for interns and junior medical officers. Sunshine Coast Health offers a relaxed and social atmosphere encouraging the development of good personal and professional relationships between junior and senior staff. There is an active and social Junior Doctor Society which is also a great support network.

Weekly RMO education is supported and includes interactive lectures, high fidelity simulations, procedural and clinical skills, and small group teaching sessions. There is also 24-hour medical library access.

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