VICTORIAN RURAL GENERALIST PROGRAM

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Hume Region Rural Generalist Intern Training Program Murray to the Mountains (M2M)

Application Process:

Applications for **2023** internships with the Hume Region Rural Generalist Intern Training Program, Murray to the Mountains (M2M) are made directly through the Postgraduate Medical Council of Victoria (PMCV) intern computer match.

Medical graduates are eligible to apply through the Victorian Rural Preferential Allocation process and selection into the program is based on various criteria set by the region, including the graduate's interest in, and intention to, pursue a medical career in rural and regional Victoria, particularly in General Practice locations in the Hume Region.

Students interested in the program can apply through the PMCV Allocation and Placement Service website (register for the Victorian Intern Match and indicate that you wish to be part of the Victorian Rural Preferential Allocation round).

For more information about the PMCV intern match, please visit the PMCV website <u>pmcv.com.au/intern-match-2022/#</u> or contact PMCV via email to <u>allocations@pmcv.com.au/intern-match-2022/#</u> or contact PMCV via email to <u>allocations@pmcv</u>

Applicants are encouraged to contact Merryn Lodding, M2M Program Manager to discuss their individual learning and career needs.

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Our Program:

15 positions

The Victorian Rural Generalist Program (VRGP) intern year provides medical graduates with a unique experience in both rural and regional hospitals and general practice settings. The VRGP Intern year will undertake core training rotations at rural and regional health services with noncore rotation/s in rural general practices and community settings, facilitating a career as a Rural Generalist. VRGP trainees are supported by Regional Coordinators and Clinical Leads.

The M2M Rural Generalist Intern Training Program (M2M) was developed in partnership between Alpine Health, Cobram District Health, Numurkah District Health Service and Yarrawonga Health back in 2012 and now has over 100 Alumni.

The M2M intern training experience is unique. Our placement structure will give you the total experience in both rural and regional hospitals and is based in some of Victoria's most beautiful locations across the Hume Region providing you with an opportunity to live and work where many people choose to holiday.

Core intern rotations are completed at Albury Wodonga Health and Northeast Health Wangaratta in General Medicine, General Surgery, Orthopaedic Surgery and Emergency Medicine:

- 10 interns complete their Core Rotations at Northeast Health Wangaratta
- 5 interns complete their Core Rotations at Albury Wodonga Health



The 20-week extended community-based **non-core intern rotations** will be completed at one of nine participating GP clinics based in some of Victoria's most beautiful locations:

- 5 interns will be placed in Yarrawonga
- 4 interns will be placed in Benalla
- 2 interns will be placed in Cobram
- 2 interns will be placed in Kyabram
- 1 intern will be placed in Mt Beauty/Falls Creek
- 1 intern will be placed in Mansfield

The Program includes eight skills workshops and 12 medical education meetings, which are mandatory components and feature renowned presenters on a variety of relevant topics. Interns will also present at one Clinical Grand Round and one Clinical Review Meeting in the General Practice/Rural Health Service rotation.

The M2M Program provides the opportunity for career progression from undergraduate to GP Rural Generalist or specialist registrar and a strong foundation for a rural medical career.