



# ASPIRE Program

## Applied Surgical Pathway in Rural Environments

WA Country Health Service offers a two year full-time pre-surgical training program for those interested in pursuing a career as a Rural General Surgeon.

Upon completion of the ASPIRE Program, candidates will be well placed to apply for the Surgical Education and Training (SET) Program with the Royal Australasian College of Surgeons (RACS).

Successful applicants will commence with WA Country Health Service as a surgical service registrar. Candidates will rotate between Bunbury Regional Hospital and Kalgoorlie Health Campus gaining essential experience across various surgical departments.

### What ASPIRE provides:

- Employment across Bunbury and Kalgoorlie sites
- Relevant surgical and critical care rotations
- Foundations of Leadership Program
- Advanced Life Support 2
- CV and interview skills workshops
- Senior general surgeon mentoring
- Clinical presentation opportunities

### What you need:

- General registration with the Medical Board of Australia
- At least two years of clinical experience in Australia, or a competent authority
- Commitment to working in a rural setting
- Commitment to pursuing a career as a Rural General Surgeon
- Commitment to continuing your education, knowledge and skills

### Get in touch

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