



Government of Western Australia
WA Country Health Service

ROTATION OPPORTUNITY IN COUNTRY WA

Busselton Health Campus



Living and working in Busselton

The city of Busselton is known for its beautiful foreshore, which connects to the iconic Busselton Jetty - the longest timber-piled Jetty in the Southern Hemisphere, extending an impressive 1.841km into the sea!

Situated next door to one of the most renowned wine regions in WA, enjoy the many food and drink options nearby. Alternatively, you can chip away at the famous 130km Cape to Cape Walk or spend your time at a selection of pristine beaches.

Busselton Health Campus has a number of services:

- 24-hour Emergency Department
- General, surgical, maternity and rehabilitation wards
- Theatre complex
- Hospice and outpatient
- Ambulatory care areas



Rotations available in 2027:

Employer	Resident Medical Officer
Joondalup Health Campus	General Medicine

Current at time of publishing - subject to change

Supporting your move

Relocation

Busselton is a short three-hour drive from Perth. It is strongly encouraged to have your own car, as public transport can be limited in Busselton. Any junior doctor rotating to a WA Country Health Service site will be rostered off the Sunday directly before their rural term to cater for travel time.

Kilometre usage applicable to a return trip may be claimed at the commencement and conclusion of your employment.

Accommodation

Junior doctors are offered a very spacious shared junior doctor accommodation, with an under five-minute commute to the hospital. Housing is equipped with furniture, bedding, WiFi access, laundry facilities, and all the tools required to cook at home.

You must complete an *Accommodation Request Form* detailing any special requirements so we are able to allocate you appropriate housing if available. Seconded JMOs are not required to pay for accommodation expenses.

Please note: There is no entitlement to relocate or house family members for short term secondments.

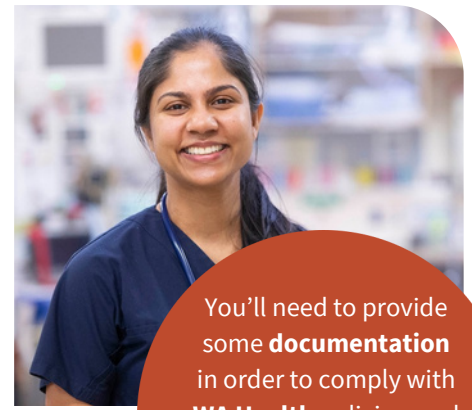
Get involved

There's plenty of opportunities to get involved in the community, including:

- Connecting with local events through the [South West Health Professionals Network](#).
- The local MEO is always happy for a coffee catch-up on a Monday afternoon.
- Join other JMOs on day-trips to explore the greater South West region on your days off.



Photo from Tourism WA



You'll need to provide some **documentation** in order to comply with **WA Health** policies, and for us to best assist with you with a **smooth transition**.

Requirements

All doctors working at a WA Country Health Service site must have a current:

- Working with Children's Check
- Australian National Police Clearance or Criminal Record Screening
- Pre-Employment Health Assessment Form (N10) (we will contact you via email on how and when to complete this)
- Medicare provider number for your WA Country Health Service site and any other regional site you will be working at. To apply:
 1. Register via PRODA to apply for a provider number online.
 2. Once you have created an account, you will need to enter your WA Country Health Service site details.
 3. Notify your employing hospital of your new provider number/s.

The WA Health Health Care Worker Immunisation Policy requires all doctors working at WA Country Health Service to be immunised for: Diphtheria, tetanus and pertussis (dTpa), Hepatitis B, Measles, mumps and rubella (MMR), Varicella, Influenza, Hepatitis A (as required), and other vaccinations that may become a requirement as directed by WA Country Health Service in the future.



Rosters and leave

- You'll receive your term roster from the Busselton MEO at least two weeks prior to your commencement.
- Any leave requests once you've commenced your term must be approved by your Head of Department. Ensure the Busselton MEO and your employing medical admin teams are aware of your leave request.



Orientation and education

- Hospital and departmental orientation commences on the first Monday of your rotation.
- You will complete a beginning of term discussion with your term supervisor.
- A swipe card and IT access will be arranged for you by the local administrative team.

Educational activities will be incorporated into your work hours, including formal face-to-face teaching. Additionally, you will have access to bedside teaching, observation, external education sessions, staff meetings and case discussions. Virtual educational programs are also offered by the Central Medical Education Unit.



Assessment and support

Your term supervisor will provide feedback on your progress through EPAs, mid- and end-of-term assessments through Clinical Learning Australia, and transfer with your profile.

The local and central Medical Education Unit teams are always available for support and assistance, so don't hesitate to reach out!

Contacts us

For more information, please contact your local Medical Education team or the WACHS Medical Education Unit.

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