2026.2 GPT1 and GPT2 Registrar Out-of-Practice Education Program

Training region: Lower Eastern New South Wales
Subregion: Upper South Eastern New South Wales

Registrars must attend the RACGP's out of practice education program during their GPT1 & GPT2 terms as a requirement to Fellow. Attendance contributes to their education hours within the registrar's TMS portfolio.

The out-of-practice education program comprises a mix of large group and small group activities facilitated either face to face or via an online platform. The peer-led small group learning (SGL) sessions are specifically focused on registrars working in a stable group with their peers and medical educators. The small group learning sessions are semi-structured and tailored to the learning needs of the group. The out-of-practice education program is underpinned by the RACGP *Curriculum and syllabus*.

Registrars are required to attend 54 hours in GPT1 and 48 hours in GPT2 terms. Hours are counted differently when face-to-face or when online, please refer to the education column for hours accrued and not the time column.

Registrars will be assigned to Small Groups on designated days and times according to their geographical location. Registrars will receive further details about which small group learning group they need to attend closer to the commencement of the 2026.2 term. In the meantime, please direct any questions to your Training Coordinators.

Registrars in Lower South Eastern NSW (as indicated below the green line) attend the Murrumbidgee ACT workshops in Canberra to support safe travel. This applies to locations such as the Southern Tablelands, Snowy Mountains, Mid and Far South Coast. Please refer to combined WNSW MACT - Lower South Eastern NSW calendar.

Start Date	Time	Education hours	Name of Event	Registrar Cohort	Type	Content details of event	Location	PSO/ Contact
Wednesday 05/08/2026	9:00am – 5:00pm	8	Orientation day	GPT1	Large	Orientation to GP training, introduction to Joint College Training Services, SGLs, general practice consultation, professionalism and ethics, emergencies in general practice	RACGP Office, Wollongong	Kristen Whitton
Thursday 06/08/2026	9:00am – 5:00pm	8	Motivational and difficult consultations	GPT1/2	Large	Smoking cessation, doctors' health, breaking bad news and difficult consultations, motivational interviewing	WIN Stadium, Wollongong	Kristen Whitton
Friday 07/08/2026	9:00am – 5:00pm	8	Procedural skills day	GPT1/2	Large	ENT, audiology, spirometry dermatology: basic skin procedures, skin check and non-surgical management of skin cancers.	WIN Stadium, Wollongong	Kristen Whitton
Monday 17/08/2026 - Friday 21/08/2026	9:00am – 1:00pm or 1:00pm – 5:00pm	4	Peer-Led Small Group Learning (SGL) # 1	GPT1/2	Small	Chronic disease	Various locations	Kristen Whitton
Wednesday 02/09/2026	9.00am – 1.30pm	4 GPT1 3 GPT2	Fusion C	GPT1/2	Large	Antibiotic stewardship, eye health, oral health ReCEnT (GPT1s only 12.30-1.30pm)	Online	Katie Wighton
Monday 14/09/2026 – Friday 18/09/2026	9:00am – 1:00pm or 1:00pm – 5:00pm	4	Peer-Led Small Group Learning (SGL) # 2	GPT1/2	Small	Adolescent health	Various locations	Kristen Whitton

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Monday 12/10/2026 – Friday 16/10/2026	9:00am – 1:00pm or 1:00pm – 5:00pm	4	Peer-Led Small Group Learning (SGL) # 3	GPT1/2	Small	Vulnerable population	Various locations	Kristen Whitton
Wednesday 11/11/2026	9:00am – 5:00pm	8	Women's health day	GPT1/2	Large	Menopause, MTOP, implanon training, PMOS, menstrual disorders, fertility	RACGP Office, Wollongong	Kristen Whitton
Monday 16/11/2026 – Friday 20/11/2026	9:00am – 1:00pm or 1:00pm – 5:00pm	4	Peer-Led Small Group Learning (SGL) # 4	GPT1/2	Small	Men's health and Dillybag	Various locations	Kristen Whitton
Thursday 26/11/2026	1.30pm – 5.00pm	3	Fusion D	GPT1/2	Large	Dementia and deprescribing in the elderly	Online	Bronwyn Neilsen
Monday 30/11/2026 – Friday 04/12/2026	9:00am – 1:00pm or 1:00pm – 5:00pm	4	Peer-Led Small Group Learning (SGL) # 5	GPT1/2	Small	Rural health	Various locations	Kristen Whitton
Monday 14/12/2026 – Friday 18/12/2026	9:00am – 1:00pm or 1:00pm – 5:00pm	4	Peer-Led Small Group Learning (SGL) # 6	GPT1/2	Small	Palliative care, pain medicine and older persons	Various locations	Kristen Whitton