

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

Training region: Victoria

Sub-region: Metro Rural South West

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.

Please note:

- The Program Support Officer for the South West region can be contacted by emailing vicmrsw.pso@racgp.org.au.
- Registrars will receive further details about each out-of-practice education event, prior to the date.
- For some activities each registrar will be allocated to group (either Group A or Group B).
- Registrars will receive an email indicating which group they are in and therefore which calendar dates apply.

2026.2: GPT1

- GPT1 registrars commencing in Semester two (2025.2) will attend the Orientation Workshop and Day in the Life of GP Webinars, with registrars from other Victorian subregions (see table immediately below).
- Following these events, GPT1 registrars who begin in 2026.2 will join their subregion's out-of-practice education program as shown in the second table (2026.2: GPT1 & 2)

Start date	Time	Education hours	Name of event	Registrar cohort	Type	Content details of event	Location
Thursday 6 August	9.00am - 5.00pm	8	Orientation Day 1	GPT1	Large	Registrars will receive the program early July	RACGP East Melbourne
Friday 7 August	9.00am - 5.00pm	8	Orientation Day 2	GPT1	Large	Registrars will receive the program early July	RACGP East Melbourne
Friday 14 August	9.00am - 1.00pm	3.5	Clinical Scenarios	GPT1	Small	Registrars will receive the program late July	Online via Zoom
Wednesday 19 August	9.00am - 1.00pm	3.5	Day in the Life of GP	GPT1	Large	Registrars will receive the program late July	Online via Zoom
Thursday 20 August	9.00am - 1.00pm	3.5	Day in the Life of GP	GPT1	Large	Registrars will receive the program late July	Online via Zoom

2026.2: GPT 1&2

Start Date	Time	Education hours	Name of event	Registrar Cohort	Type	Content details of event	Location
Friday 21 August	9:00am - 5:00pm	8	Day in the Life of GP	GPT2	Large	Registrars will receive the program late July	Prickly Moses/Otway Estate
Friday 4 September	9.00am - 5.00pm	8	Practical and Procedural Skills	GPT1 & 2	Large	Registrars will receive the program mid Aug	Geelong & Warrnambool (split)
Friday 9 October	9.00am - 5.00pm	8	Peer-led small group (SGL) #1	GPT1 & 2	Small	Musculoskeletal *See note below	Prickly Moses/Otway Estate
Friday 23 October	9.00am - 5.00pm	8	Mental health advanced skills	GPT1 & 2	Large	Registrars will receive the program mid Sep	Prickly Moses/Otway Estate
Friday 6 November	9.00am - 5.00pm	8	Peer-led small group (SGL) #2	GPT1 & 2	Small	Chronic pain and addiction *See note below	Geelong & Warrnambool (split)
Friday 20 November	9.00am - 5.00pm	8	Peer-led small group (SGL) #3	GPT1 & 2	Small	Women's, men's, sexual health *See note below	Prickly Moses/Otway Estate

Start Date	Time	Education hours	Name of event	Registrar Cohort	Type	Content details of event	Location
Thursday 3 December	9.00am - 4.30pm	7.5	Peer-led small group (SGL) #4	GPT1 & 2	Small	Vulnerable patients *See note below	Lady Bay Resort, Warrnambool
Friday 4 December	9.00am - 4.30pm	7.5	Aged Care	GPT1 & 2	Large	Registrars will receive the program mid Nov	Lady Bay Resort, Warrnambool

***Please note:**

- Small group learning sessions comprise a combination of:
 - registrar experience driven learning;
 - registrar priority topics - both registrar and medical educator facilitated; and,
 - agreed topics facilitated by medical educator and/or guest speakers
- Topics addressed in small group learning sessions will be planned with registrars and shared prior to the sessions.