

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

Training region: North Eastern New South Wales

Subregion: Hunter Manning and Central Coast

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.

Please note:

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.

Start Date	Time	Education hours	Name of event	Registrar Cohort	Type	Content details of event	Location	PSO/ Contact
Monday 03/08/2026	9.00am – 5.00pm	8	Orientation day	GPT1	Large	Core orientation topics	Newcastle	Lara Alford
Friday 07/08/2026	9.00am – 5.00pm	8	Elevate	GPT2	Large	TBC	Newcastle	Kiralea Smith
Friday 28/08/2026	9.00am – 5.00pm	8	Peer-Led Small Group Learning (SGL) #1	GTP1/2	Small	Small group learning	Gosford	Lara Alford
							Newcastle	Kiralea Smith
							Singleton	
							Taree	
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
Friday 25/09/2026	9.00am – 5.00pm	8	Peer-Led Small Group Learning (SGL) #2	GTP1/2	Small	Small group learning	Gosford	Lara Alford
							Newcastle	Kiralea Smith
							Singleton	
							Taree	
Friday 23/10/2026	9.00am – 5.00pm	8	Procedural skills day	GPT1/2	Large	Skin biopsy & excisions, ECG, ENT, musculoskeletal - knee aspiration and injection, acute trauma, role/indication for splinting, general procedures in general practice.	Newcastle	Kiralea Smith

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Friday 06/11/2026	9.00am – 5.00pm	8	Peer-Led Small Group Learning (SGL) #3	GTP1/2	Small	Small group learning	Gosford	Lara Alford
							Newcastle	Kiralea Smith
							Singleton	
							Taree	
Thursday 26/11/2026	1.30pm – 5.00pm	3	Fusion D	GPT1/2	Large	Dementia and deprescribing in the elderly	Online	Bronwyn Nielsen
Friday 04/12/2026	9.00am – 5.00pm	8	Peer-Led Small Group Learning (SGL) #4	GTP1/2	Small	Small group learning	Gosford	Kiralea Smith
							Newcastle	
							Singleton	
							Taree	