

GPiT Wellbeing Committee

Expression of Interest

Introduction

The GP in training (GPiT) wellbeing committee is a new committee established to support the safety and wellbeing of GPiT.

All GP trainees should be well supported professionally and in their personal welfare by the RACGP as they train to achieve their full potential as GPs so they may provide the highest quality of care to their patients. The safety and wellbeing of GPiT is crucially important.

The committee will inform the GP training unit of priorities to be considered to improve or assist the safety and wellbeing of GPiT. They will ensure there is a focus on issues of racism, discrimination, bullying and harassment as well as ensure that the wellbeing and safety of GPiT is considered as part of the ongoing development, implementation and evaluation of RACGP training programs and their policies and procedures as these impact on GPiT.

The committee will be composed of RACGP GPs in training, supervisors and staff which will as a whole represent the depth and breadth of GP training (location, Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander people, training pathway, ADF). The composition of the committee will be reviewed every two years as will each individual's term on the committee.

Meetings and time commitment

The committee will meet bi-monthly by Zoom during work hours. The times of these meetings will be advised to all members at the conclusion of the final meeting for that year.

For 2023 the meetings will be 1.5 hours during work hours, starting Tuesday 19 September 2023 at 1pm AEST. There may be an additional meeting between the September and November meeting to accelerate the start of the committee's work. Timing of the meetings for 2023 will be finalised in the first meeting (taking into account the majority of the member's availability). We are expecting all members to attend the first meeting.

Remuneration

Non-RACGP staff will be remunerated for their time to attend the Wellbeing Committee meetings. Any extensive work required by the committee outside of the meeting time (e.g. working group work) will be remunerated with prior negotiation.

RACGP staff will need to discuss with their line manager remuneration arrangements if this work is not within usual working scope. Please discuss with your line manager in the first instance and reach out to GPiT@racgp.org.au if you have any further questions.

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Please complete this expression of interest form and attach an up-to-date Curriculum Vitae (CV) and submit to GPiT@racgp.org.au by **COB Monday 21 August 2023**.

Demographics

Name	
RACGP ID number	
Email address	
Contact number	
Current position/role	
Location (City/town and state)	
Training pathway	
Additional relevant demographic or training information	
Are you of Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander descent?	
CV attached	Yes/No

Motivation and commitment

Why are you interested in joining the RACGP GPiT Wellbeing Committee?

How do you envision contributing to the safety and wellbeing of GPiT through your involvement in the committee?

In your opinion, what are the key priorities that the committee should focus on to improve the safety and wellbeing of GPiT?

Availability

Are you available to attend the first meeting at 1pm (AEST) Tuesday 19 September 2023?

Yes

Confidentiality Agreement

If you are an external committee member, are you willing to participate under a confidentiality agreement?

Yes

Declaration

I hereby express my interest in joining the RACGP GP in Training Wellbeing Committee and confirm that the information provided in this expression of interest form is accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge. I understand that participation in the committee will involve attending regular meetings, contributing to discussions, and adhering to the RACGP Membership Code of Conduct and any additional parameters set by the committee. If selected as a committee member, I commit to fulfilling the responsibilities assigned to me and working collaboratively with other members to support the wellbeing of GPiT. I understand that filling out this form does not guarantee membership on the committee.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Please submit this form and up-to-date CV to GPiT@racgp.org.au by **COB Monday 21 August 2023**.