

National Intern Data Audit Intern Recruitment 2024

To meet the Medical Board of Australia's requirements for general registration, an internship can be completed in any state or territory of Australia.

Can I apply to more than one State or Territory for an intern position?

Yes, you will need to apply separately to each state and territory where you would like to work. You will need to complete a separate application for each position, submit the documents, provide the information required and meet the selection requirements. As part of the application process each state and territory requires you to include your intern Placement Number (IPN).

What is an Intern Placement Number (IPN)?

The Intern Placement Number is a unique nine-digit number which has been generated by the Australian Health Practitioner Regulation Agency (AHPRA) and has been provided to medical schools for distribution to all 2023 final year medical students. If you do not have an Intern Placement Number issued or you have misplaced it, you must contact your medical school to have the number issued or reissued. Do not contact AHPRA.

Note: The Intern Placement Number is not your University Student Identification Number.

Can I submit a late application?

Acceptance of late applications is at the discretion of each state and territory.

When will offers be made?

All states and territories will commence making offers for Rural Pathways on Monday 17 July 2023 and will commence making offers for All Other Pathways on Wednesday 19 July 2023. The National Close Date for 2024 Intern Recruitment is Friday 17 November 2023.

What if I receive more than one offer?

You will need to decide where you would like to undertake your internship and accept this position. All other offers will need to be declined. You cannot hold onto more than one position acceptance per offer period as this negatively impacts both the hospital and remaining unplaced applicants.

What are the Medical Board of Australia-English language requirements?

Interns applying for registration with the Medical Board of Australia must demonstrate that they have necessary English language skills for registration purposes (refer to outline of registration standards at <http://www.medicalboard.gov.au/Registration-Standards.aspx>). Some applicants may need to complete International English Language Testing System (IELTS) proficiency or equivalent exams to demonstrate English language competency. Delays in obtaining medical registration and commencing as an intern may occur if the English language requirements have not been met.

What is the National Audit?

States and territories share intern applicant information at pre-agreed dates. This data is then used to identify applicants who have applied for and/or accepted intern positions in more than one state/territory. Applicants who have accepted more than one intern position will be contacted by the National Audit Data Manager by phone or email and given 48 hours to withdraw from all intern positions, except the one where they intend to undertake their intern year.

What if I don't respond to the National Audit Data Manager?

If you don't respond to the National Audit Data Manager and/or do not withdraw from all positions except one, the relevant states/territories where you have accepted an offer will be advised and all offers, except for the first offer you received may be withdrawn.

What is the Late Vacancy Management Process?

The Late Vacancy Management (LVM) Process runs from Monday 4 December 2023 to Friday 22 March 2024. The process ensures any late vacancies are offered to eligible intern applicants who have not yet accepted an internship position.

The Late Vacancy Management Process will be coordinated by the National Audit Data Manager on behalf of states and territories. Please ensure you have updated your contact details if you are going overseas during the Late Vacancy Management Process period.

The National Audit Data Manager will send out emails on Monday 27 November 2023 to participants who will need to opt into the Late Vacancy Management Process if they still wish to receive an internship position offer in Australia.

Please note that if an applicant does not respond to this email, they will no longer be eligible to receive an internship offer, and their application will no longer be considered in any Australian jurisdictions.

Who can participate in the Late Vacancy Management Process?

The process is open to medical graduates of AMC accredited medical schools who have applied for and are not holding a 2024 intern position through the Commonwealth or states and territories at the National Close Date for Intern Recruitment (17 November 2023). Participation in the LVM is an opt in process - you must confirm that you want to participate in the LVM by responding to the National Audit Data Manager by e-mail.

Commonwealth Junior Doctor Training Program Private Hospital Stream

Information about the Junior Doctor Training Program Private Hospital stream is available on the Department of Health website: <http://www.health.gov.au/internet/main/publishing.nsf/Content/work-junior-doctor-training-program-private-hospital-stream>

For further information, please contact your state/territory intern recruitment contact:

New South Wales	HETI-Internship@health.nsw.gov.au	(02) 9844 6562
Victoria	allocations@pmcv.com.au	(03) 9670 1066
Tasmania	shelley.hampson@ths.tas.gov.au	(03) 6166 7538
Queensland	Log into your application or email Intern-Recruitment@health.qld.gov.au	-
South Australia	HealthSAMET@sa.gov.au	(08) 8226 7231
Western Australia	PMCWA@health.wa.gov.au	(08) 6373 2302
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