

Central coast LHD is offering a full time Stroke Fellowship position in 2019.

The location

The NSW Central Coast is positioned between Sydney and Newcastle, with a population that is expected to grow from the current approximate 350,000. The Central Coast is a popular destination for holiday makers and retirees, but is also a growing centre for day commuters into Sydney, Newcastle and the Hunter Valley. CCLHD has strong connections with Royal North Shore Hospital and is affiliated with the University of Newcastle. Gosford Hospital is the principal referral hospital and a trauma centre for the Central Coast, with approximately 500 inpatient beds

The position

Gosford is a busy stroke centres seeing over 500 ischaemic strokes a year with 60-80 receiving hyperacute therapies It has an 8 bed Stroke Unit (with work ongoing to increase to 12) within the neurology ward. The role of Stroke Fellow is responsible for the rapid evaluation and management of acute stroke patients, coordinating delivery of thrombolysis and assessment of patients suitable for endovascular therapy with particular emphasis on advanced imaging and eligibility of patients for hyperacute stroke trials. The Stroke Fellow will also gain extensive experience in the general management and assessment of stroke and the multidisciplinary elements required. The positions will be accredited for 1 year of elective/non-core neurology training.

Qualifications:

Full Registration as a medical practitioner with AHPRA. Candidates should have successful completion of the FRACP part 1 with part 2 being desirable.

Job to be advertised on NSW recruitment website <https://nswjmo.erecruit.com.au/>

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