

RANZCOG Trainee Selection Process



The Royal Australian
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College of Obstetricians
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Provincial Training Pathway – Expression of Interest

Are you interested in learning, working, teaching and practising in a rural area?

Successful applicants can undertake the FRANZCOG Training Program via the Provincial Integrated Training Program (PITP). There are three PITP posts available in **2020: Orange, Mackay; and Bendigo.**

During the first four years (Core Training), training will be based at **Orange, Mackay or Bendigo.** All three PITPs include a rotation to a tertiary training site where assistance with, and access to, research, audit, teaching and education services will be available.

Aims and Objectives

- To enable medical practitioners who have a demonstrated commitment to rural health to undertake their specialist training in a regional area.
- To encourage growth in the rural and regional O&G workforce.

Process

- Complete online registration and application form for the standard FRANZCOG Selection Process;
- Meet eligibility criteria for the FRANZCOG Selection Process;
- Complete and submit this supplementary PITP Expression of Interest (EOI) form, which will be considered by RANZCOG Provincial Fellows Committee, who will assess applicant's commitment to rural practice;
- Attach documentary evidence in support of EOI;
- Applicant may be required to undertake a phone interview or complete a paper-based assessment;
- If deemed eligible, applicant may preference PITP posts in Phase 1 of RANZCOG Selection Process;
- If deemed ineligible, applicant cannot apply for PITP posts in Phase 1. Applicant may still apply for other Phase 1 training locations, ie ACT, TAS, and Newcastle.
- If shortlisted, interview location will be determined by first preference in Phase 1, see example below:
Phase 1 Preferences (in order of preference): PITP Mackay (**QLD**), Newcastle (NSW)
Phase 2 Preferences (in order of preference): NSW, QLD, VIC
Interview location: **QLD**.

Conditions

- An applicant who is *offered* a position for the PITP will be excluded from the remaining trainee selection process.
- The training and assessment requirements for the PITP are the same as those applicable to all FRANZCOG trainees.
- Transfers from Phase 1 to Phase 2 training posts during Core Training **will not** be considered.

PITP Expression of Interest

Surname:	Given name(s):
PITP position applying for:	Orange Mackay Bendigo

1. Describe your intention and interest in rural medicine and why you would like to pursue the PITP to qualify as a Fellow of RANZCOG. (Maximum 300 words, Attach documentary evidence, if available)