

## Accreditation Matters *ISSUE #11: DECEMBER 2018*

### COMMITTEE

#### Accreditation Committee activities

The Committee accepted the resignations of Dr Ankit Gupta (JMO representative) and Dr Arunaz Kumar (university nominee) and acknowledged their support and commitment during their membership.

A meeting of the Committee was held on Monday 17 DECEMBER 2018. Outcomes include:

- Approval of intern and/or PGY2 posts at Albury Wodonga Health, Ballarat Health Services, Bendigo Health, Echuca Regional Health, Goulburn Valley Health, Mildura Base Hospital, Northern Health, St Vincent's Hospital, and West Gippsland Healthcare Group.
- The Reports of the re-accreditation survey visits to Melbourne Health and The Women's conducted in October 2018.
- Responses to survey reports from Ballarat Health Services, Mildura Base Hospital and Wimmera Health Care Group.
- Review of mid-cycle accreditation reports (and junior doctor feedback) for Albury Wodonga Health, Latrobe Regional Hospital, St Vincent's Hospital.
- Review of conditions from 2017 survey visits to Alfred Health, Goulburn Valley Health, and Grampians Intern Training.
- Changes to staffing and/or rostering at Albury Wodonga Health, Alfred Health, Northern Health.

The committee also noted the Final Report of the Independent Review of Accreditation Systems.

The next meeting will be held on **MONDAY 18 FEBRUARY 2019**.

**Agenda items due by Wednesday 6 February 2018**

### UPDATES

#### Australian Medical Council

PMCV has received notification that the AMC has accepted the progress report for 2018 and agreed that PMCV continues to meet the domains for intern training accreditation authorities.

The next progress report is due October 2019.

#### PMCV Strategic Plan 2019 - 2021

##### Domain 1: Accreditation and Standards

*To develop, monitor and evaluate accreditation standards and processes for the provision of prevocational medical education and training and for promotion of junior doctor wellbeing and safe quality patient care.*

##### Goals

- 1.1 Align our program and processes to the National Intern Training Framework and maintain Australian Medical Council (AMC) approval as an intern accrediting organisation.
- 1.2 Ensure intern posts are accredited and PGY2 posts are reviewed at all Victorian health services.
- 1.3 Ensure that accreditation processes remain timely, relevant and transparent and emphasise quality improvement.
- 1.4 Develop and build expertise in accreditation through ongoing training and support of prevocational doctors, surveyors and health service representatives.

#### New Posts, Changes and Other Accreditation Matters

Facilities with intern/PGY2 training programs are reminded that they must ensure that the PMCV Accreditation subcommittee is advised **at least two months prior to the commencement** of any new or changes to posts proposed. **For further information on applications contact the Accreditation Manager** or refer to *PMCV Accreditation Guide* on the website.