

John Flynn Prevocational Doctor Program

FEDERATION FUNDING AGREEMENT – HEALTH

Table 1: Formalities and operation of schedule	
Parties	Commonwealth New South Wales Victoria Queensland Western Australia South Australia Tasmania Northern Territory
Duration	This Schedule is expected to expire on 31 March 2027
Purpose	<p>Funding is provided to contribute to the delivery of the John Flynn Prevocational Doctor Program (JFPDP) for increased rural primary care rotations for eligible hospital-based prevocational junior doctors in Modified Monash Model 2019 (MM) 2-7 locations (refer Health Workforce Locator for MM of locations).</p> <p>The objectives of the JFPDP are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • expanding the number and rural distribution of rotations delivered under the Rural Junior Doctor Training Innovation Fund (RJDTIF) and RJDTIF Rural Generalist; • strengthening rural training pathways to rural training networks funded by the State and Northern Territory Governments within their region and address community needs; • developing rural training capacity by fostering innovative ways, to provide rurally based prevocational doctors with a positive experience during their training period in rural primary care settings; and • supporting the National Rural Generalist Pathway. <p>The intended outcomes of the JFPDP are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • increased recruitment and retention of medical graduates and prevocational doctors in rural medical practice; • greater uptake of rural generalist vocational training; • increased rural medical training capacity, including rural general practices operating as vertically integrated teaching units for medical students, prevocational doctors, and GP registrars; • strengthening the rural training pathway for general practice and rural generalism in expanded settings, in particular MM2-7; and • enhanced rural training networks to increase the supply of doctors in training to address workforce shortages and meet the changing health needs of Australians. <p>Priority areas for grant funding include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • establishing linkages with regional training and workforce organisations and with local primary care health services (particularly Aboriginal Medical services and /or Aboriginal Community Controlled Health Services) to address medical workforce supply and geographic distribution needs in your region; • supporting the training of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander prevocational doctors; • delivering rotations in high priority and community need areas, with particular emphasis on areas that support an Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander workforce and service delivery, and northern Australia; • supporting 'grow your own' approaches for regional training networks to support local workforce development and community need; and

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> establishing linkages with rural clinical schools and the Royal Australian College of General Practitioners (RACGP) and the Australian College of Rural and Remote Medicine (ACRRM) to encourage greater uptake of rural generalist vocational training. 																																																																						
<p>Estimated financial contributions</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Commonwealth will provide an estimated total financial contribution to the States of \$146,251,501.00 in respect of this Schedule. Funding covers delivery of the JFPDP up to and including the 2026 calendar year. <table border="1" data-bbox="373 421 1503 936"> <thead> <tr> <th data-bbox="373 421 523 488">Table 1 (\$)</th> <th data-bbox="523 421 699 488">2022-23</th> <th data-bbox="699 421 874 488">2023-24</th> <th data-bbox="874 421 1050 488">2024-25</th> <th data-bbox="1050 421 1225 488">2025-26</th> <th data-bbox="1225 421 1401 488">*6 months 2026-27</th> <th data-bbox="1401 421 1503 488">Total</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td data-bbox="373 488 523 555">Estimated total budget</td> <td data-bbox="523 488 699 555">12,546,667.67</td> <td data-bbox="699 488 874 555">27,680,473.33</td> <td data-bbox="874 488 1050 555">35,338,860.00</td> <td data-bbox="1050 488 1225 555">43,908,000.00</td> <td data-bbox="1225 488 1401 555">26,777,500.00</td> <td data-bbox="1401 488 1503 555">146,251,501.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="373 555 523 667"><i>Less estimated National Partnership Payments</i></td> <td data-bbox="523 555 699 667">12,546,667.67</td> <td data-bbox="699 555 874 667">27,680,473.33</td> <td data-bbox="874 555 1050 667">35,338,860.00</td> <td data-bbox="1050 555 1225 667">43,908,000.00</td> <td data-bbox="1225 555 1401 667">26,777,500.00</td> <td data-bbox="1401 555 1503 667">146,251,501.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="373 667 523 712">- NSW</td> <td data-bbox="523 667 699 712">2,266,666.67</td> <td data-bbox="699 667 874 712">5,422,633.33</td> <td data-bbox="874 667 1050 712">7,978,200.00</td> <td data-bbox="1050 667 1225 712">9,103,678.77</td> <td data-bbox="1225 667 1401 712">5,551,921.25</td> <td data-bbox="1401 667 1503 712">30,323,100.02</td> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="373 712 523 757">- VIC</td> <td data-bbox="523 712 699 757">1,017,142.86</td> <td data-bbox="699 712 874 757">2,607,817.14</td> <td data-bbox="874 712 1050 757">3,785,040.00</td> <td data-bbox="1050 712 1225 757">4,305,617.34</td> <td data-bbox="1225 712 1401 757">2,625,800.96</td> <td data-bbox="1401 712 1503 757">14,341,418.30</td> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="373 757 523 801">- QLD</td> <td data-bbox="523 757 699 801">3,075,000.00</td> <td data-bbox="699 757 874 801">6,264,720.00</td> <td data-bbox="874 757 1050 801">7,832,280.00</td> <td data-bbox="1050 757 1225 801">9,977,875.98</td> <td data-bbox="1225 757 1401 801">6,085,054.52</td> <td data-bbox="1401 757 1503 801">33,234,930.50</td> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="373 801 523 846">- WA</td> <td data-bbox="523 801 699 846">682,142.86</td> <td data-bbox="699 801 874 846">1,840,457.14</td> <td data-bbox="874 801 1050 846">2,378,400.00</td> <td data-bbox="1050 801 1225 846">2,847,750.42</td> <td data-bbox="1225 801 1401 846">1,736,713.97</td> <td data-bbox="1401 801 1503 846">9,485,464.38</td> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="373 846 523 891">- SA</td> <td data-bbox="523 846 699 891">2,763,809.52</td> <td data-bbox="699 846 874 891">5,825,830.48</td> <td data-bbox="874 846 1050 891">6,874,360.00</td> <td data-bbox="1050 846 1225 891">8,985,434.08</td> <td data-bbox="1225 846 1401 891">5,479,809.17</td> <td data-bbox="1401 846 1503 891">29,929,243.26</td> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="373 891 523 936">- TAS</td> <td data-bbox="523 891 699 936">954,285.71</td> <td data-bbox="699 891 874 936">1,931,474.29</td> <td data-bbox="874 891 1050 936">2,124,240.00</td> <td data-bbox="1050 891 1225 936">2,911,085.41</td> <td data-bbox="1225 891 1401 936">1,775,339.11</td> <td data-bbox="1401 891 1503 936">9,696,424.52</td> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="373 936 523 981">- NT</td> <td data-bbox="523 936 699 981">1,787,619.05</td> <td data-bbox="699 936 874 981">3,787,540.95</td> <td data-bbox="874 936 1050 981">4,366,340.00</td> <td data-bbox="1050 936 1225 981">5,776,558.00</td> <td data-bbox="1225 936 1401 981">3,522,861.03</td> <td data-bbox="1401 936 1503 981">19,240,919.03</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Table 1 (\$)	2022-23	2023-24	2024-25	2025-26	*6 months 2026-27	Total	Estimated total budget	12,546,667.67	27,680,473.33	35,338,860.00	43,908,000.00	26,777,500.00	146,251,501.00	<i>Less estimated National Partnership Payments</i>	12,546,667.67	27,680,473.33	35,338,860.00	43,908,000.00	26,777,500.00	146,251,501.00	- NSW	2,266,666.67	5,422,633.33	7,978,200.00	9,103,678.77	5,551,921.25	30,323,100.02	- VIC	1,017,142.86	2,607,817.14	3,785,040.00	4,305,617.34	2,625,800.96	14,341,418.30	- QLD	3,075,000.00	6,264,720.00	7,832,280.00	9,977,875.98	6,085,054.52	33,234,930.50	- WA	682,142.86	1,840,457.14	2,378,400.00	2,847,750.42	1,736,713.97	9,485,464.38	- SA	2,763,809.52	5,825,830.48	6,874,360.00	8,985,434.08	5,479,809.17	29,929,243.26	- TAS	954,285.71	1,931,474.29	2,124,240.00	2,911,085.41	1,775,339.11	9,696,424.52	- NT	1,787,619.05	3,787,540.95	4,366,340.00	5,776,558.00	3,522,861.03	19,240,919.03
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<p>Additional terms</p>	<p>Jurisdictions will be required to deliver the JFPDP consistent with the objectives, outcomes and priority areas described above under 'Purpose'.</p> <p>States and the Northern Territory are responsible for:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Acting as a lead agency of a consortium including with existing RJDTIF organisations and Coordination Units. Providing all participating junior doctors with assistance and support related to the training. Engaging supervisors of JFPDP prevocational doctors, who will be responsible for providing a safe and positive environment within the training facility that promotes and supports the safety of the prevocational doctor, patients, practice staff and other clinicians and the delivery of competent medical care. Engaging with the community and consider community needs in determining JFPDP rotations. Ensuring the primary care rotation is accredited for training consistent with the Australian Medical Council's <i>National Framework for Prevocational Medical Training</i>. <p><i>JFPDP Review</i></p> <p>The Department of Health and Aged Care will undertake a review of the JFPDP to ensure the program is delivering intended outcomes and where needed to refine the program. The review will focus on continuous improvement to strengthen program implementation. Jurisdictions will be required to provide:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Data in accordance with the agreement for the National Rural Generalist Pathway Minimum Data Set (conditional on finalisation and agreement of Data Sharing Agreement). Summary of results of surveys conducted to capture participant experiences. Other data/information as determined by the department to inform the review. 																																																																						

Table 2A: Victoria – Performance requirements, reporting and payment summary

Output	Performance milestones	Report due	Payment
<p>Annual Activity Work Plan</p>	<p>Victoria will submit either:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • an Activity Work Plan (AWP) and Risk Management Plan for the agreement period (2022-23 to 2026-27), re-submitted annually to confirm currency; or • an annual AWP and Risk Management Plan for consideration by the Commonwealth for the period 1 January to 31 December of the relevant calendar year. • Any AWP submitted should include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - the key tasks Victoria will undertake to meet the objectives of the JFPDP program within the agreement period. - the proposed outputs of the activity (rotations and locations) - the performance measures for each activity. - timelines for the milestones for each activity. - detail about how each jurisdiction will work with consortium members to meet project outcomes. <p>AWPs will be flexible documents that may be varied to accommodate changed circumstances.</p>	<p>2023 (AWP) Within two months of execution of this Agreement</p> <p>2024 (AWP) 1 July 2023</p> <p>2025 (AWP) 1 July 2024</p> <p>Full Year 2025 (AWP) Within two months of execution of variation</p> <p>Full Year 2025 (AWP) Within two months of execution of variation</p> <p>2026 (AWP) 1 Jul 2025</p> <p>2027 (AWP) 1 Jul 2026</p>	<p>2022-23 \$1,017,142.86</p> <p>2023-24 \$2,607,817.14</p> <p>2024-25 \$3,785,040.00</p> <p>2025-26 \$4,305,617.34</p> <p>2026-27 \$2,625,800.96</p>
<p>Annual Performance Reports (including financial reporting) against Commonwealth-approved Activity Work Plans.</p>	<p>Victoria will submit Performance Reports (PR) demonstrating progress against the agreed AWP from 1 January to 31 December (after each training year) to demonstrate the effectiveness of rotations in achieving the JFPDP program objectives. The report will include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • evidence of your progress towards completion of agreed activities and outcomes. • evidence of your progress against agreed performance indicators. • results of surveys conducted to capture participant experiences; and • an explanation of how funding has been spent during the calendar year, including a breakdown of funding provided to General Practice consortium members. 	<p>Annually</p> <p>2023 (PR) 15 Mar 2024</p> <p>2024 (PR) 15 Mar 2025</p> <p>2025 (PR) 15 Mar 2026</p> <p>2026 (PR) 15 Mar 2027 covering to 31 Dec 2026</p>	<p>2022-23 Nil</p> <p>2023-24 Nil</p> <p>2024-25 Nil</p> <p>2025-26 Nil</p>

The Parties have confirmed their commitment to this schedule as follows:

**Signed for and on behalf of the Commonwealth
of Australia by**



The Honourable Mark Butler MP
Minister for Health and Aged Care

18 09 2024
[Day] [Month] [Year]

**Signed for and on behalf of the
State of Victoria by**



The Honourable Mary Anne Thomas MP
Minister for Health

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