



Rural Psychiatry Training

Western Australia

2025 Stage 1 Trainee Intake

Join Australia's first ever dedicated rural Psychiatry training program and explore rural & remote Western Australia with our comprehensive and fully supported pathway to a rewarding rural Psychiatry career. There are Stage 1 posts available in Albany, Bunbury, and Geraldton starting February 2025.

Complete your RANZCP Psychiatry training with Rural Psychiatry Training WA program and explore the wealth of training experiences in rural WA and the many benefits of our program including:

- **Length of training** contracts for up to 5 years, including full time and part time options
- Generous Trainee **accommodation & relocation packages**
- Australia's **best salary and benefits package** for RANZCP trainees
- **1:1 Training and Pastoral Support** from experienced RPTWA Staff
- Independent **Support & Crisis Pathways**
- **Peer support and mentoring** for Trainees & New Fellows
- Annual **Orientation & Assessment Masterclass** weekend in Perth for all Trainees
- Comprehensive **Exam & Assessment support** including dedicated Psychotherapy & Research coordinators.
- A **directory of local services & contacts** to help Trainees and their families settle in their community.
- **Orientation, safety & security resources** to complement existing WACHS policies and procedures.
- A comprehensive **library of educational material** for self-directed learning.



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Rural Psychiatry Training WA (RPTWA) is Australia's first ever dedicated rural Psychiatry training program. Run by a highly qualified team from our Bunbury training hub in WA's picturesque South West region, RPTWA provides comprehensive rural training at more than 30 RANZCP accredited posts.

The RPTWA program is overseen by the Western Australia Branch Training Committee, in accordance with the requirements for obtaining Fellowship of the Royal Australian New Zealand College of Psychiatrists. We provide unique and comprehensive training experiences in rural generalist psychiatry, with Stage 3 trainees completing Certificates of Advanced Training considered on a case-by-case basis.

Comprehensive Training Hubs

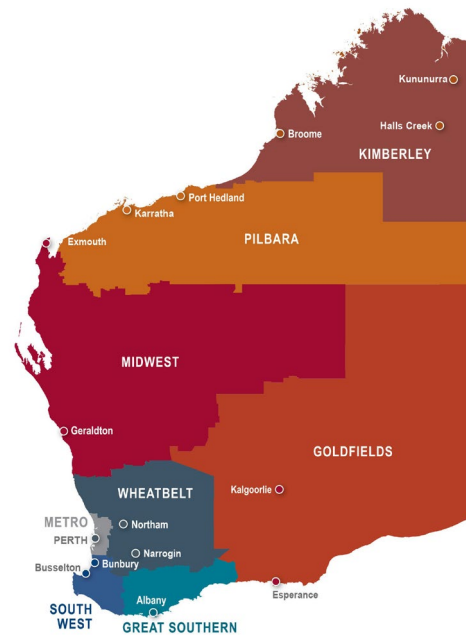
Stage 1 trainees are allocated to one of three Comprehensive Training Hubs, which each have the full range of training posts required for completion of a 5-year generalist RANZCP Fellowship.

- **Great Southern** - Albany (7 posts)
- **Kimberley** - Broome (6 posts)
- **South West** - Bunbury (8 posts)
- **Midwest** - Geraldton (6 posts)

Rural Training Centres

Stage 2 & 3 Trainees also have the option to explore the unique and well-supported training posts available at each of our Rural Training Centres across rural and remote WA.

- **South West** - Busselton (1 post)
- **Pilbara** - Port Hedland (2 posts)
- **Wheatbelt** - Northam (2 posts)
- **Goldfields** - Kalgoorlie (Planned)



Salary Package

\$155,451 to \$208,105 p.a.
Trainee Psychiatrist Year 1-7

Includes base salary \$129,574 to \$177,010pa, professional development \$10,472p.a. and 11.5% superannuation. Generous accommodation & relocation subsidies also available.

How to Apply

The RPTWA 2025 Stage 1 Training Intake is open until 4:00pm, Monday 8 July. Apply via the [MedCareersWA](https://medcareerswa.health.wa.gov.au) intake at medcareerswa.health.wa.gov.au or by scanning our QR code.

