

Gradstart and Midstart Program



Fairfield Hospital is home to the award-winning Whitlam Joint Replacement Centre, a recognised Centre of Excellence for elective orthopaedic surgery. Fairfield Hospital provides a regional service in elective joint replacement for Fairfield, Liverpool, Campbelltown and Camden Hospitals.

Our staff provide a wide range of hospital and community-based health services including acute care services in medicine, cardiology, surgery, orthopaedics, obstetrics, paediatrics, and emergency medicine. Specialist care for babies, children and teenagers are available 24/7 with specialist paediatric doctors available around the clock.

In addition, the hospital provides local care in geriatrics, rehabilitation, renal dialysis, as well as a regional service for hand surgery.

Stream	Gradstart RN / Gradstart RM / Midstart • Medical, Surgical, Critical Care, Aged Care and Rehabilitation, and Midwifery
Duration	Offers a 12 month program. Includes 2 x six month rotations
Intake dates (subject to change)	Intakes are March and May each year.
Rotations / specialties	To provide you with a range of experiences, each applicant is typically offered a rotation on an inpatient ward and then a specialty unit (subject to numbers and availability) Ward - Medical, Surgical, Aged Care Specialty - Emergency Department, Operating Suites, Paediatric, Intensive Care, Coronary Intensive Care, Midwifery
Orientation and support	We offer a three-day dedicated face-to-face orientation at the start of the program Two-three days supernumerary time is then allocated at each rotation Preceptorship Gradstart Coordinator
Study days / education	Five targeted study days throughout the year.