



Connecting people and organisations who care about keeping rural communities healthy.

A personalised digital experience to network, nurture, support and recognise rural health professionals.

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Rural Health Pro is a network of healthcare professionals and organisations passionate about keeping rural communities healthy.

Vision

Support health professionals and organisations to deliver better health and wellbeing services in rural communities.

Mission

Our mission is to connect health professionals and organisations who care about rural communities, to inspire and support them in their work.

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What is Rural Health Pro?

At its core, Rural Health Pro is a community for

- People who work in rural health;
- Organisations who support those working in rural health; and
- People/organisations who may not work in rural health but care about rural communities.

Creation of a digital platform to connect

- Information about career opportunities, training resources, financial assistance, events, locums, rural communities and more;
- Interactive - opportunity to engage in conversations and network with other health professionals no matter where they are;
- Personalised to the user's needs.

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Why have we created Rural Health Pro?

- Support rural communities
 - Support health professionals, knowing they are most capable when supported to positively respond and contribute to life in rural communities
 - Acknowledge and celebrate health professionals
 - Recognise challenges - isolation, long hours, confusion about where to turn for support
- ❖ To do this by aggregating information and connecting rural health professionals so that they can find what they need to help them in their careers wherever they are and whenever they need it.

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Who is Rural Health Pro for?

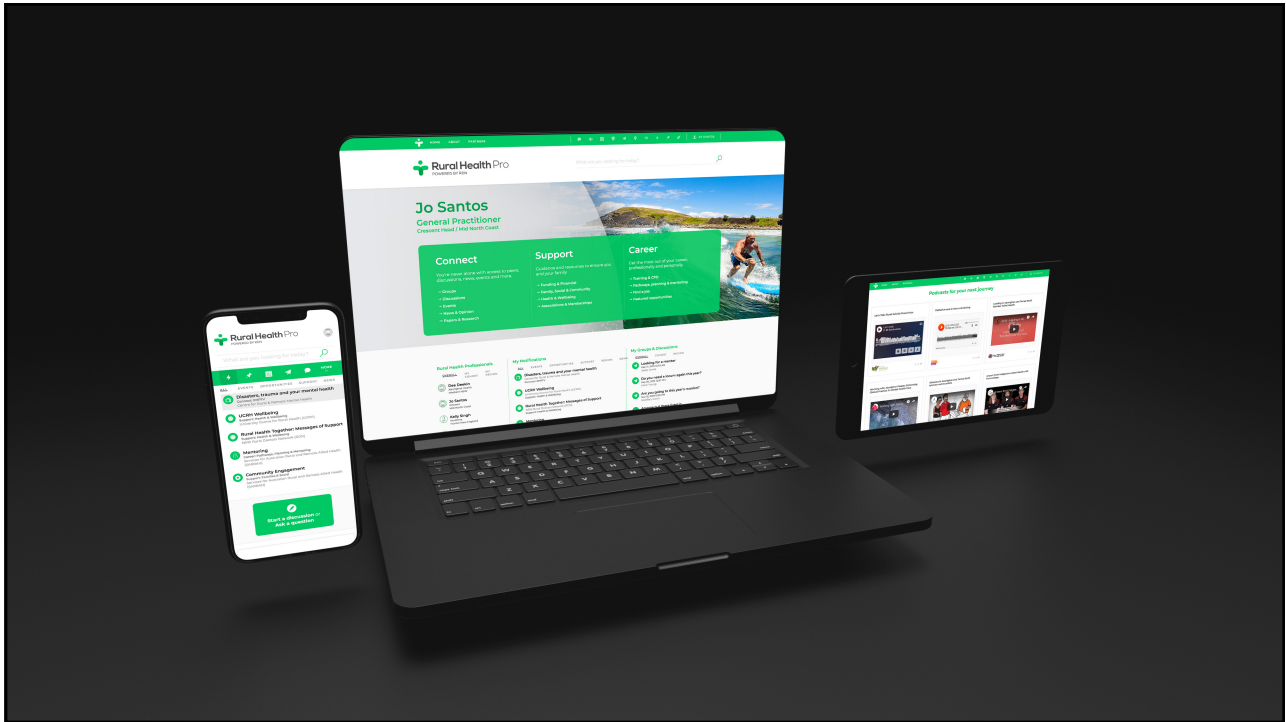
Those we support:

Doctors	Allied health professionals	Aboriginal Health Workers
Future workforce	Educators	Researchers
Students	Health administrators	Outreach workers
Paramedics	Dentists	Pharmacists
Locums	Practice Managers	Students
Carers	Midwives	Nurses

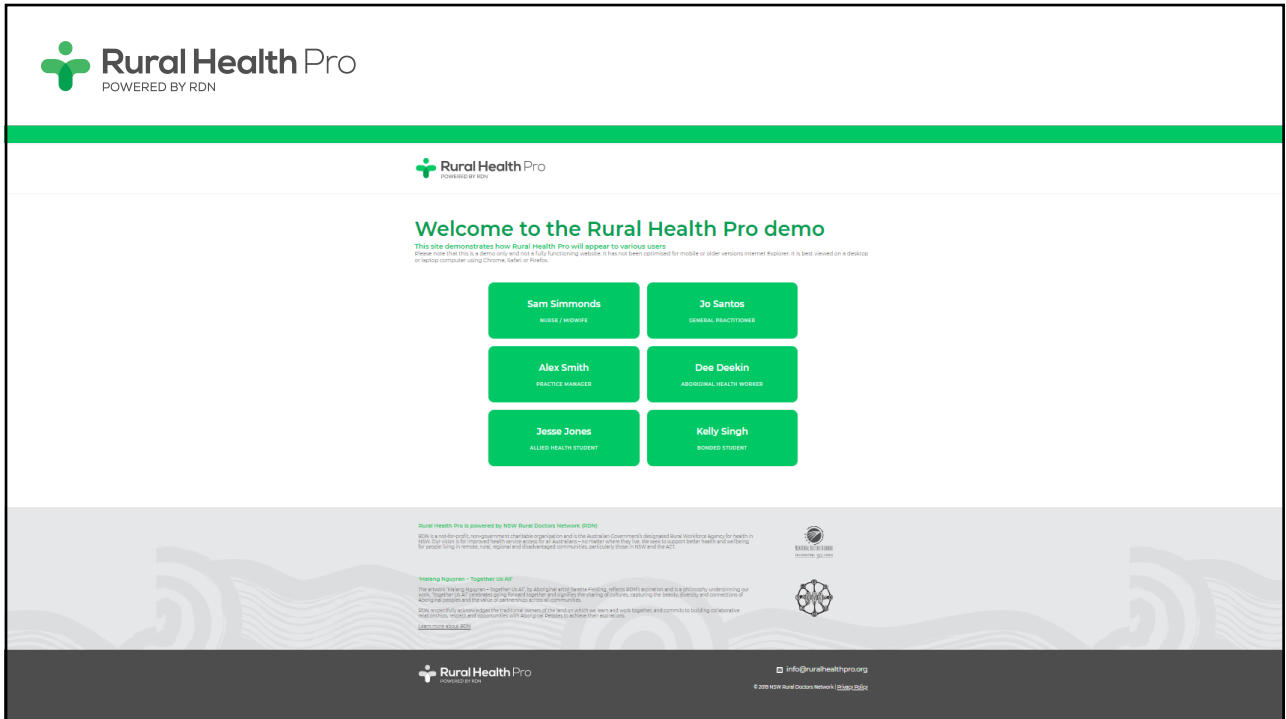
Those who support RHP: • Mentors • Benefactors • Sponsors • Universities • Professional associations • Training organisations
 • Government departments • Local councils • Communities • Corporations

How does it work?


- Users generate a profile, including what interests them
- This determines what they see when they log in.
- Information about career opportunities, training resources, financial assistance, events, locums, rural communities and more.
- Rural Health Pro has more than 100 partners on board
 - Supporting the philosophy;
 - Supporting rural health professionals to do their work and contribute to healthy rural communities;
 - Showing the value of partnerships and collectively contributing;
 - Providing the content to Rural Health Pro.




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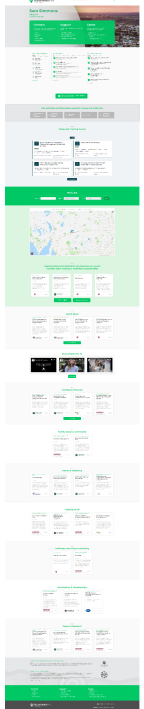

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MY RURAL HEALTH PRO



Rural Health Pro is a network of healthcare professionals and organisations who care about keeping rural communities healthy.


Rural Health Pro:

- connects healthcare professionals and organisations to share information, support, career opportunities, training resources, mentor programs, funding opportunities and events
- is a unique, partnership-based approach to connecting people and organisations in the health care system, wherever they may be, to support each other
- is powered by NSW Rural Doctors Network (RDN), a trusted provider for more than 30 years of workforce support for remote, rural and regional health professionals and their communities.




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MY PERSONAL HOME PAGE

HOME ABOUT PARTNERS


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What are you looking for today?

Sam Simmons

Midwife
Broken Hill / Far West

Connect

You're never alone with access to peers, discussions, news, events and more.

- Groups
- Discussions
- Events
- News & Opinion
- Papers & Research

Support

Guidance and resources for you and your family.

- Funding & Financial
- Family, Social & Community
- Health & Wellbeing
- Associations & Memberships


Career


Get the most out of your career, professionally and personally.

- Training & CPD
- Pathways, planning & mentoring
- Find a Job
- Featured opportunities


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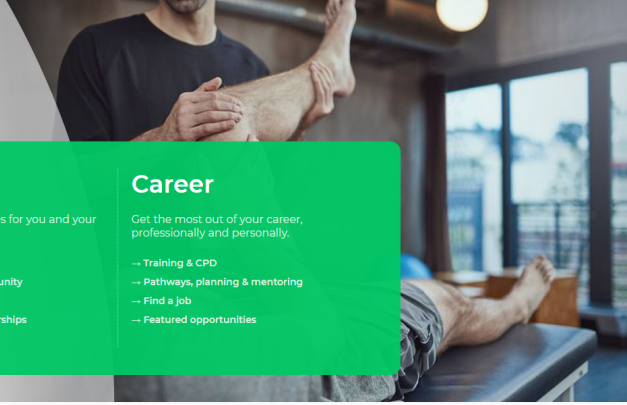

 QUICK LINKS TO MY DISCUSSIONS, GROUPS, EVENTS, CPD, MESSAGES, NEWS AND JOBS

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 JESSE JONES


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Jesse Jones

Allied Health Student
University of Sydney / Sydney

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 A SNAPSHOT OF UPDATED CONVERSATIONS AND NOTIFICATIONS

Rural Health Professionals






OVERALL MY COHORT MY REGION

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Jo Santos
 Doctors
 Mid North Coast
- 
Kelly Singh
 Students
 Hunter New England
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Alex Smith
 Practice Managers
 Murrumbidgee
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Jesse Jones
 Students
 Sydney
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Sam Simmons
 Nurses & Midwives
 Far West

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My Notifications






ALL EVENTS OPPORTUNITIES SUPPORT REGION NEWS

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Nyumbalingu Simulation Centre
 University Centre for Rural Health (UCRH)
 Career: Development & Training
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IAHA Cultural Responsiveness Workshops
 Indigenous Allied Health Australia
 Career: Development & Training
- 
Map My Health Career
 NSW Government
 Career: Pathways, Planning & Mentoring
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NSW Nurses and Midwives' Association on Facebook
 NSW Nurses & Midwives' Association
 Support: Membership
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Western NSW PHN and Oberon Council collaborate to produce first health snapshot PAPER
 Australian Government Department of Health
 Connect: Papers & Research


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My Groups & Discussions


OVERALL COHORT REGION

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Are you going to this year's reunion?
 Sep 16, 2019 12:35 PM
 Geoffrey Kwon
- 
Do you have time to talk about bringing up a young family in Broken Hill?
 Sep 26, 2019 10:15 AM
 Lucy Chen
- 
Are we car pooling for the CRANAPlus conference?
 Sep 24, 2019 1:20 AM
 Giles Fagan
- 
Anyone out there lived in Murrumbidgee?
 Sep 10, 2019 12:52 PM
 Ria Stein
- 
Anyone sorted out a placement yet?
 Sep 9, 2019 10:50 PM


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 **START A CONVERSATION WITH PEOPLE
IN MY FIELD AND/OR AREA**

Start a discussion

CLOSE

 All NSW

 Doctors




 General

SUBJECT:

Diabetes rates amongst 'Gray Nomads'


DISCUSSION:

I'm seeing more 'Gray Nomads' coming through our town than usual, and with a higher rate of diabetes. Is this the same elsewhere? If so how is it affecting your practice and the ability to serve local patients.


Attach


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 **WHAT ARE THE KEY ISSUES RIGHT NOW FOR MY
PROFESSION?**


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 SAM SIMMONDS

Key priorities and discussion areas for nurses and midwives

1. Mental Health & Suicide Prevention

2. Managing Diabetes & Obesity

3. Aboriginal Health

4. eHealth


5. Finding your place in the community

Mental Health & Suicide Prevention


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WHAT COURSES CAN I DO TO ENHANCE MY SKILLS?



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Statewide Training Events

2019

12 SEP

APNA Foundations of General Practice Nursing Workshop - Cardiff

Developed and delivered by local nurse leaders, this highly engaging workshop will provide an ove...

12th Sept. 8:45AM - 12th Sept. 5:00PM

45 Macquarie Rd, Cardiff NSW 2285, Australia

26 SEP

Raymond Terrace - Nurse Day - Diabetes Management in General Practice

Registration tea/coffee from 8am. Education starts at 8:30am Our Hunter Alliance & Greater Newcas...

26th Sept. 8:00AM - 26th Sept. 4:00PM

2 Jacaranda Ave, Raymond Terrace NSW 2324, Australia

26 OCT

Certificate of Dermoscopy

An ideal introduction to dermoscopy suitable for both doctors and nurses wanting to understand...

26th Oct. 12:00AM - 27th Oct. 12:00AM

77 York St, Sydney NSW 2000, Australia

1 NOV

HETI Mobile Simulation Centre Emergency Masterclass

The NSW Rural Mobile Simulation Centre education program provides a simulation based experien...

1st Nov. 12:00AM - 2nd Nov. 12:00AM

361 Howick St, West Bathurst NSW 2795, Australia

12 NOV

Bi-annual Workshop for ED Staff Richmond-Clarence Network


A workshop for doctors and nurses working in the Emergency Departments of the nine hospitals tha...

12th Nov. 12:00AM - 12th Nov. 12:00AM

61 Unalaba St, Lismore NSW 2480, Australia


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I'M INTERESTED IN CHANGING ROLES. WHAT'S AVAILABLE THAT MIGHT SUIT ME?



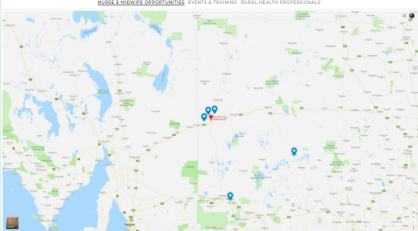
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CHOOSE Find a job

KEYWORDS: PRACTICE AREA: REGION: FILL TIME: SUBMIT

NUMBERS & MIDWIFERY

NUMBERS & MIDWIFERY EVENTS & TRAINING RURAL HEALTH PROFESSIONALS



CHOOSE Opportunities hand picked for you because you would consider other nursing or midwifery opportunities

NEW GOVERNMENT

Child & Family Clinical Nurse Consultant

1 of 10

Employment Type: Temporary Full Time

Location: Various locations across the state

Salary: \$100,000 - \$120,000 per annum (incl. L)

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NEW GOVERNMENT

Clinical Nurse Consultant Critical Care Grade 2

1 of 10

Employment Type: Permanent Full Time

Location: Various locations across the state

Salary: \$100,000 - \$120,000 per annum (incl. L)

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NEW GOVERNMENT

MCP Midwife

1 of 10

Employment Type: Temporary Full Time

Location: Various locations across the state

Salary: \$100,000 - \$120,000 per annum (incl. L)

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NEW GOVERNMENT

Registered Nurse Wicamba

1 of 10

Employment Type: Temporary Full Time


Location: Various locations across the state


Salary: \$100,000 - \$120,000 per annum (incl. L)

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WHAT'S NEWS?

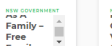
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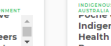
CONNECT


Latest News



PNH and Oberon Council produce health snapshot
 Western NSW Primary Health Network (WNSW PHN) has partnered with Oberon Council to produce a snapshot of the health of the Local Government Area (LGA).



WNSW PHN seeking members for Clinical Councils
 We are currently seeking expressions of interest for the Western and Far West Clinical Advisory Councils Membership for a two-year term to 30 September 2021. The



Family - Free Enrolment
 A free program called 'Healthy Families' to support


Care Volunteers Complete
 Far West LHD Palliative Care Service based at Dawson Primary Health is pleased to support


Indigenous Health 8th Annual Research
 The Pacific Centre for Indigenous Health, University of Sydney is working together with communities to improve the health of Aboriginal children and families and



Magazine
 The CRANAPLUS Magazine is published on



Newsletter
 Our weekly newsletter CRANAPLUS is emailed to over 6,000 contacts world-wide each week.



Mindfulness Newsletter
 Mindfulness is an important focus in current psychological

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 Rural Health Together
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 Emily Neville Rural Health


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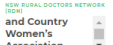

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WHERE CAN I FIND FINANCIAL SUPPORT FOR MY WORK OR STUDIES?


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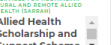
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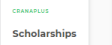

and Country Women's Association
 Offering selected medical, midwifery and nursing students in NSW/ACT a scholarship and the opportunity to spend two weeks on a rural placement in country NSW.

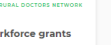

Health Workforce Scholarship Program
 NSW Rural Doctors Network (RDN) administers financial assistance to medical, nursing, allied health, dental and Aboriginal


Memorial Foundation of S.A.
 The Nurses Memorial Foundation of South Australia Inc. have generously


Allied Health Scholarship and Support Scheme
 The following list of eligible professions is for current NAHSSS Allied Health Undergraduate (Entry Level) scholars only Aboriginal Health



Recruitment support
 Individual support for nurses, midwives and allied health professionals working, or seeking work, in Aboriginal Community



Scholarships
 Awards, Scholarships and Grants to support the ongoing development


Workforce grants
 Financial grants to support the provision of a highly skilled health workforce in Aboriginal Community Controlled Health Services


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SUPPORT FOR MY WELLBEING AND MY FAMILY

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Family, Social & Community

SERVICES FOR AUSTRALIAN RURAL AND REMOTE ALLIED HEALTH (SARRAH)

Community Engagement

Community engagement is a philosophy that underpins remote and rural service delivery. Community engagement is one of a number of terms used to refer to the process of involving the community in [...]

SARRAH
Services for Australian Rural and Remote Allied Health

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NEW RURAL DOCTORS NETWORK (RDN)

Living and Working in NSW

Rural and remote NSW is made up of many diverse settlements including pastoral farming, mining, tourism and Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander communities, which have different social and ec [...]

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Health & Wellbeing

UNIVERSITY CENTRE FOR RURAL HEALTH (UCRH)

UCRH Wellbeing

Wellbeing is about managing your mental, physical, emotional and financial health to ensure you have a [...]

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NEW RURAL DOCTORS NETWORK (RDN)

Rural Health Together: Messages of Support

When you're in a tough time of drought? RDN has launched #RuralHealthTogether to provide rural health professionals with a [...]

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Rural Health Together: Emily Neville

NSW Rural Doctors Network cadet and medical student, Emily Neville, share her #RuralHealthTogether message of support.

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RURAL RETIRED DOCTORS SERVICE SOUTH EASTERN DISTRICT

Communities - Weekend Walkabout

Residents of the north-west are invited to a weekend of wellbeing at Road Lake Station near [...]

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#RuralHealthTogether - Caring for the carers

An initiative of NSW Rural Doctors Network (RDN) to provide rural health professionals with self-care and mental health support and information, for themselves and their patients.

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Rural Health Together: Leslie Williams MP


Leslie Williams MP Member for Port Macquarie in the NSW Parliament and Parliamentary Secretary for Regional and Rural [...]

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I NEED TO COMPLETE MY CPD. WHAT'S ON OFFER?

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Training & CPD

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National Disability Insurance Scheme (NDIS)

Various resources to assist rural and remote allied health professionals who are working or intend to work with the NDIS.

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Nationally Recognised Training (NRT) Courses

Nationally Recognised Training (NRT) courses contain at least one Unit of Competency. All [...]

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Nyumballihu Simulation Centre

We aim to provide the best possible educational experience in a state of the art Simulation Facility for medical, nursing and allied [...]

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Online Courses

CRANAplus provides an online learning platform that provides health [...]

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Continuing Professional development

UCRH Continuing Professional development

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UCRH Indigenous Health Placements

The program is led by the Aboriginal Health Academic Lead and Educators from the Bundjalung Nation and is conducted in a range of settings, from [...]

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UCRH Introduction video

A video showcasing what goes on at UCRH.

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UCRH Medical Placements


The UCRH provides a comprehensive and innovative regional-rural clinical learning experience for medical students from 3 participating [...]















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MY CAREER PATH


















CAREER

Pathways, planning & mentoring


NEW GOVERNMENT
Map My Health Career

 Compare key attributes of medical specialities and health professions to help inform your career decisions.


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Mentoring

 A productive mentoring relationship can offer you increased networking opportunities, access to resources you might not have known about, enhanced clinical skills, support in difficult or new at [...]








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Associations & Memberships

SERVICES FOR AUSTRALIAN RURAL AND REMOTE ALLIED HEALTH (SARRAH)
Become a SARRAH Member

 Join a national multidisciplinary member association, supporting allied health professionals to improve health outcomes in rural and remote communities throughout Australia. SARRAH has been open [...]


INDIGENOUS ALLIED HEALTH AUSTRALIA
IAHA Membership: Get Involved

 IAHA's purpose is to strive for Indigenous Australians to have access to professionally and culturally responsive allied health services and Indigenous allied health professionals that are recognised...


NSW NURSES & MIDWIVES' ASSOCIATION
NSW Nurses and Midwives' Association on Facebook

 The registered union for all nurses and midwives in NSW.




















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LITERATURE ABOUT MY FIELD


















DOCUMENTS


Papers & Research






AUSTRALIAN GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH
Western NSW Primary Health Network (WNSPHN) and Oberon Council produce a snapshot of the health of the Local Government Area (LGA)

 Western NSW Primary Health Network (WNSPHN) has partnered with Oberon Council to produce a snapshot of the health of the Local Government Area (LGA).

NSW RURAL DOCTORS NETWORK (RDN)
Primary Healthcare Workforce Data

 NSW Rural Doctors Network (RDN) maintains an extensive Rural Primary Healthcare Workforce Database and can support requests for evidence data.

SERVICES FOR AUSTRALIAN RURAL AND REMOTE ALLIED HEALTH (SARRAH)
Increasing Allied Health Recruitment and Retention

 What strategies have been proven effective or ineffective for increasing the efficacy of allied health recruitment and retention in Australia?

SERVICES FOR AUSTRALIAN RURAL AND REMOTE ALLIED HEALTH (SARRAH)
AHE supports the Allied Health Professionals in Intervention Pro

 This report identifies potential annual savings of \$75 million to the Australian healthcare budget from the implementation of

SERVICES FOR AUSTRALIAN RURAL AND REMOTE ALLIED HEALTH (SARRAH)
Prevalence of Diabetes-Related Foot Disease in Indigenous NSW

 This report looked at the prevalence of diabetes, and diabetes-related foot disease in the indigenous population, and reviewed the evidence

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RDN is a not-for-profit, non-government charitable organisation and is the Australian Government's designated Rural Workforce Agency for health in NSW. Our vision is to improve health service access for all Australians, no matter where they live. We aim to support better health and wellbeing for people living in remote, rural, regional and disadvantaged communities, particularly those in NSW and the ACT.

Malang Nganyan - Together We All

The artwork 'Malang Nganyan - Together We All' by Aboriginal artist Saveta Fieding, reflects RDN's aspiration and is a philosophy underpinning our work. 'Together We All' emphasises going forward together and signifies the sharing of cultures, capturing the beauty, diversity and connections of Aboriginal peoples and the value of partnerships across all communities.


RDN respectfully acknowledges the traditional owners of the land on which we learn and work together, and commits to building collaborative relationships, respect and opportunities with Aboriginal Peoples to achieve their aspirations.


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