



Health

Western NSW Local Health District

ORANGE HEALTH SERVICE

Emergency Specialist

Orange Health Service is looking to appoint Emergency Specialists to join our team

Orange is a major regional centre, and supports the largest hospital within Western NSW LHD, with the new 200-bed general hospital opened in March 2011. The Orange Health Service campus, incorporating the general hospital and mental health services, is now the largest rural health facility in Australia. Orange Health Service provides primary care to a population of approximately 45,000 with specialist support of a further 200,000, including the communities of Cowra, Parkes, Forbes, Grenfell, Condobolin, and other smaller towns.

The hospital has close links with Sydney University, hosting students in the final two years of the Graduate Medical Programme. The Hospital has also been actively involved in JMO and registrar training for over twenty years, with JMO and registrar support of all major disciplines.

The Emergency Department is a busy Level 5 rural referral unit, with approximately 27,500 presentations per annum. We see an interesting and diverse case mix and there is a high acuity and trauma load, with the ED designated as the regional trauma centre (equivalent to a Level 3 Trauma Service). The department provides a contemporary, well equipped work environment, with a Fast Track zone and dedicated paediatric treatment areas. The successful applicant will coordinate and oversee the provision of emergency medical care to patients presenting to the emergency department during their rostered clinical time.

Orange itself is a pleasant rural city (population of more than 38,000), with easy access to Sydney, and a wide range of sporting and other facilities. There are a number of excellent public and private schools in the city.

Further information can be obtained on the following links/websites:

<http://www.gwahs.nsw.gov.au/recruitment/index.php>

<http://www.gwahs.nsw.gov.au/userfiles/file/ORANGE.pdf>

<http://www.orange.nsw.gov.au/>

<http://www.orange-nsw.com/>

Fellows and those nearing completion are encouraged to apply

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