



Expression of Interest

The Canberra Region Medical Education Council, the Postgraduate Medical Council of the ACT, is seeking expressions of interest for membership from **individuals with experience in Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander health.**

The CRMEC has been established as a Ministerial Management Council by the Minister for Health. The role of the CRMEC is to:

- perform accreditation functions of the intern training program within the ACT
- provide expert advice to the Minister for Health regarding the quality of education, training and welfare for junior medical officers within the ACT and linked regional network.

Meetings of the CRMEC are held four times each year, currently on Wednesday at 5.30pm-7.30pm via teleconference, with occasional out-of-session meetings if required.

The CRMEC provides leadership and innovation in postgraduate medical education and training in the ACT, developing linkages and promoting partnerships with relevant national and jurisdictional organisations. This includes connections with the Australian Medical Council, the Australian National University and other postgraduate medical councils.

The Council is seeking one individual with experience in Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander health for a Ministerial Appointment

Selection criteria:

1. Experience and understanding of healthcare for Aboriginal Torres Strait Islander people, including implications with respect to Closing the Gap targets
2. Experience on committees or governance bodies
3. An understanding of accountability requirements and ethical decision-making standards
4. Strong communication and advocacy skills and ability to work cooperatively with stakeholders
5. Experience and understanding of healthcare education in the Indigenous context, preferably with tertiary qualifications in medicine or a health discipline, is strongly preferred.

Expressions of Interest will be shortlisted against the above criteria. Final recommendations for appointment will take into account the overall balance of the CRMEC with regards to gender and diversity representation, with a very strong preference for Indigenous representation. Remuneration is consistent with rates established by the ACT Remuneration Tribunal for Part Time Public Officer Holders.

Your expression of interest should include a cover letter addressing the selection criteria, a current curriculum vitae and one written reference, and be submitted and be submitted by **5pm on 17 April 2024** to the CRMEC Director.

All enquiries and applications to:
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