

# Skin Cancer Clinical Attachment

Nurses can benefit from clinical attachments.

At FNQH Skin Cancer Centre and Pathology

Training Centre of Excellence, we tailor our

programs to provide you with the knowledge and
skills necessary to support effective skin cancer
medicine and dermatopathology.



## **About**

Our distinguished FNQH Cairns Training Centre of Excellence is recognised for its award-winning services. We offer nurses a two-day or four-day Clinical Attachment Program, providing nurses with knowledge and practical skills in skin cancer medicine and dermatopathology care and management. Participants will gain an understanding of skin cancer prevention, early detection, treatment modalities, and pathology.

# The Facility

Equipped with advanced technology, our state-of-the-art facility has dedicated surgical facilities with trained nursing and administration staff. You will be able to observe and learn about the operational and procedural aspects of skin cancer medicine. Plus, exclusive access to one-on-one support from leading practitioners, professionals and pathologists specialising in skin cancer.

The program caters to all levels of expertise, ranging from novices to experienced skincare professionals. The training centre is accessible, just 15 minutes from Cairns Airport and 10 minutes to accommodation and the iconic Cairns Esplanade, a focal point for locals and visitors.



# **Program Outline - Nurses**

We offer Clinical Attachment Programs lasting two to four days. Our programs focus on skin cancer, dermatopathology, and patient care.

#### Introduction to Skin Cancer:

- Introduction to common types of skin cancer.
- · Epidemiology and risk factors.
- · Dermatopathology.

#### Skin Cancer Prevention and Education:

- Strategies for skin cancer prevention.
- Patient education on sun safety and selfexamination.

#### Clinical Assessment and Diagnosis:

- Understanding benign and malignant lesions.
- Understanding diagnostic tools such as biopsies and imaging.

#### **Treatment Modalities:**

- · Interventions for skin cancer.
- Emerging therapies and clinical trials.

#### **Nursing Care and Symptom Management:**

- Wound management.
- Pain management and symptom control.

#### Follow the Specimen End-to-End Journey

- Walk-through of the histopathology laboratory and meet the team.
- Learn about Frozen Section with CCPDMA

#### **Documentation and Record Keeping:**

- Accurate documentation of assessments, interventions, and outcomes.
- Certificate of attendance.





## **Enrolement**

Submit your application with preferred dates at least one month prior to the program commencement, and we will contact you to confirm.

Please note that the 2-day course is available on either Monday to Tuesday or Wednesday to Thursday.

# What to bring

We suggest that you wear comfortable clothing or scrubs. Everything else will be provided. We provide weekday structured activities from 8:30 am to 12:00 pm and 1:00 pm to 4:30 pm, Monday to Friday.





# Travel and stay

Participants are expected to independently organise and fund their travel and accommodation throughout the program.

The FNQH Cairns Training Centre of Excellence is only a 10-minute drive from the Cairns
Esplanade, which overlooks the Great Barrier
Reef. Visitors can enjoy the Cairns nightlife,
walking tracks, shaded paths and many other activities.

Cairns is a popular travel destination for tourists from all around the world, the region attracts more than 2 million domestic and international visitors each year.



### **Course Fees**

To participate in the program, applicants must submit their application and preferred dates at least one month before the start date. When the placement is confirmed, an initial payment of 10% of the course fee is required, and the remaining amount is due 14 days before the program starts.

Please note that the 2-day course is available Monday to Tuesday or Wednesday to Thursday. If you're interested in starting your skin cancer clinic, we also offer an additional course component to help you build and optimise your business.



FNQH Skin Cancer Centre and Pathology Cairns Training Centre of Excellence support research and clinical trials. Attending the program could lead to opportunities to participate

## **FNQH Pathology Referrers**

FNQH Pathology offers referrers unlimited training and education opportunities. As part of their commitment to promoting ongoing learning, current referrers and staff only need to pay 50% of the course fee, with the remaining cost covered by FNQH Pathology.

By improving your skin cancer diagnosis and medicine skills, you can make a difference in saving lives.

Contact us today to find out more enquiries@fnqhpathology.com





