

Medical Radiations Program

Clinical Supervisors Meeting

Thursday 13th June 2024



Medical Imaging Break out room

MI specific discussion topics

- Clinical competencies, workbooks & reports Teresa Cross
- Horizon Health/Mobile X-ray unit Melissa Philpot
- Honours Program Haley Vu
- Medical Radiation MI specific grants Haley Vu & Elio Arruzza
- Q&A



Clinical competencies, workbooks & reports

Competency Requirement Milestones					
Course	Patient Classification	Total Competencies for the Course			
CP1	1,	*6 (minimum)			
CP2	1,2	*18 (minimum)			
СРЗ	1,2,3	*31 (minimum)			
CP4	1,2,3	*43 (minimum)			
PEP1	1,2,3	*52 (minimum)			
PEP2	1,2,3	*60 (minimum)			
*Minimum number of competencies may vary. Please refer to individual course outlines.					



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L/L Part 1 Foot/Toe(s) (Non Weight-Bearing)

Examination	Patient	Date	*Verified by:	Signature	Line	
Description	Class	completed	(please print name)		Code	
When the table is complete approach your clinical supervisor or delegated mentor to perform a competency						
assessment for this examination.						

^{*}Please ensure you have recorded your details in the supervising radiographers' section.

It is the student's responsibility to ensure that next to each signature there is Line Code documented. Failure to do so will result in the signature not being registered as valid.

COMPETENCY ASSESSMENT					
EXAMINATION COMPONENTS	COMMENTS				
SAFE PRACTICE - Appropriate personal and patient safety, safe					
application of radiographic equipment, safe application of manual					
handling					
PROFESSIONAL CONDUCT - Professional behaviour shown to staff,					
patient and carers at all tirpes, name badge and luxel visible and					
maintenance of strict patient confidentiality					
COMMUNICATION AND CARE - Clear explanations to the patient,					
respect and courtesy shown at all times, recognition of patient's needs,					
respects rights and sensitivities of the patient, appropriate interaction					
with other members of health care team					
MOTIVATION AND ORGANISATION - Seeks new information, displays					
respect and trust in authority of others, responds well to constructive					
criticism, shows initiative					
RADIATION PROTECTION - Checks request form for authorisation,					
adheres to ALARA principle, checks for pregnancy and responds					
appropriately and uses appropriate radiation protection for self and					
others					
RADIOGRAPHIC TECHNIQUE - Uses radio-opaque markers, ensures all					
technical factors correct prior to exposing, ensures logical sequence of					
projections taken, selects correct grid/non-grid technique, SID.					
PATIENT POSITIONING - Accurate positioning of the patient, correct					
centring points chosen, good use of positioning aids.					
EQUIPMENT/INSTRUMENTATION MANIPULATION - Understanding					
of exposure factors, select correct factors, sound knowledge of control					
console, appropriate use of automatic exposure devices, understanding					
of CR/DR system					
CONCLUSION OF EXAMINATION - Completion of examination					
fluently, refers to Radiologist appropriately, Offers appropriate					
information to the patient, processing/post processing completed					
correctly, films dispatched appropriately					
ANATOMY & PATHOLOGY KNOWLEDGE - Thorough image					
evaluation (PACEMAN), good suggestions for improvements if required,					
thorough knowledge of radiographic anatomy and relevant pathology.					
REFLECTION - Able to reflect on own practice accurately					
SUPERVISING RADIOGRAPHERS DECLARATION:	I.				
I have observed the student in performance of this examination and I deck	are that on this day they have				
demonstrated a clear level of competence meeting all the above criteria.					
Supervising radiographer's signature:					
Date:					
SUPERVISING REGISTERED RADIOGRAPHER'S NAME (Please print):					
LINE CODE - Student to complete	I				
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Clinical competencies, workbooks & reports

Summative Report Clinical Practice 2 Medical Imaging		Well above expected level	Above expected level	At expected level	Below expected level	Well below expected level	N/A			
COMMUNICATION										
C1	Communicates courteously and appropriately with the patient and relatives									
C2	Explains instructions and information relating to the examination, to the patient, in an appropriate manner	0								
C3	Accurately identifies the patient according to departmental protocols									
C4	Correctly responds to instructions									
C5	Interacts appropriately with other members of the health care team									
RADIATION PROTECTION										
RP1	Adheres to the ALARA principle									
RP2	Checks for pregnancy and responds appropriately to patient's reply				0					
RP3	Checks request and patient details are accurate and authorised									
RP4	Closes door prior to producing radiation									
RP5	Uses appropriate radiation protection for self, patient and others									

† . MOBILE X-RAY UNIT Output Output

Collaboration with Micro-X and the Horizon Hospital and Health Service





Utilised in 3rd year of the Medical Imaging program during the Studies 3 course which covers mobile and modified imaging techniques

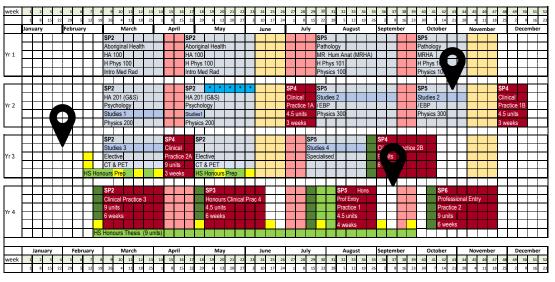
- Excellent opportunity for students to gain confidence and competence in mobile imaging techniques on campus before attending second clinical placement (CP2)
- Able to practice in the X-ray suite in our Medical Radiation Unit, as well as in the Nursing Unit's simulated clinical environment – The Horizon Hospital and Health Service





HONOURS PROGRAM

2024 (MI) Honours Clinical Grid



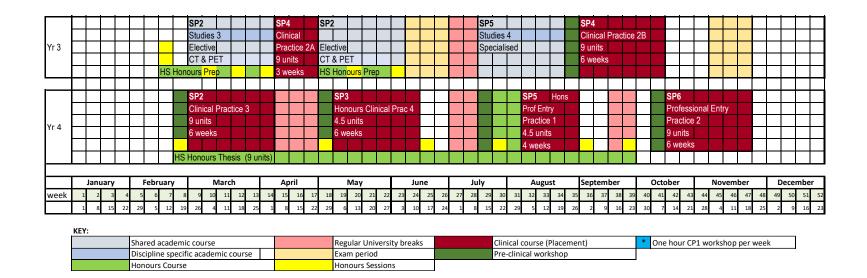
- Research training
- 2nd year: eligibility, expression of interest, conditional offers
- 3rd year: start
- 4th year: finish in September

KEY:

Shared academic course Regular University breaks Clinical course (Placement) One hour CP1 workshop per week

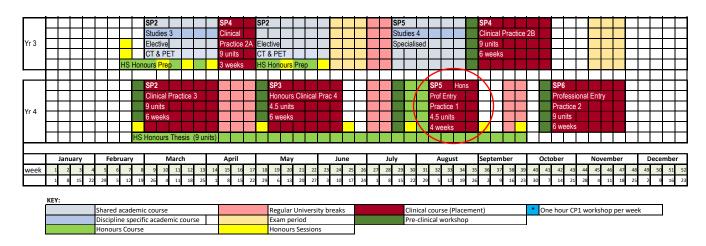
Discipline specific academic course Exam period Pre-clinical workshop

Honours Course Honours Sessions



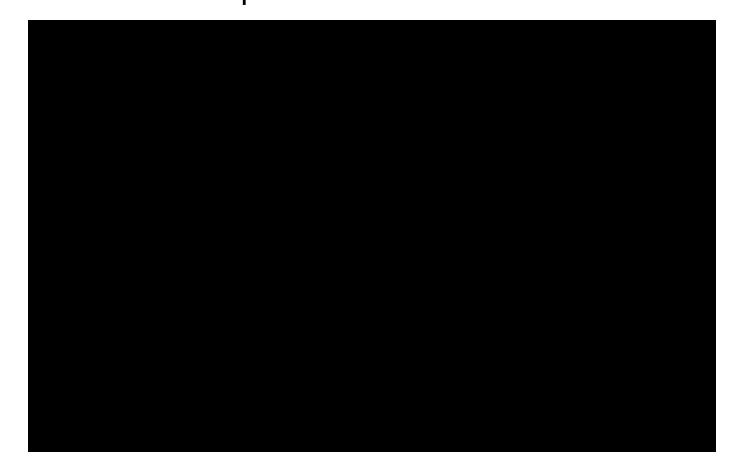
- Year 3: Health Science Honours Preparation (4.5 units)- 3000 words proposal and 15 mins oral
- Year 4: Honours Thesis (9 units)- 5000 thesis and 10 mins oral

Honours concession days



- Shorter PEP1 clinical course
- Less assignments in CP4 and PEP1
- 10 Honours concession days

Enriching Operative theatre imaging education through computer-based simulation



Touring clinical sites before placements using 360° virtual tours





We thank you all for taking the time out of your busy clinical day to participate in this meeting, and for the ongoing investment towards our profession by assisting in the training of UniSA MI students.