

Practice Profile 2011

Evidence of infrastructure and training capacity

Practice name	Renmark Medical Clinic		
ABN	41 095 895 240		
Address	65 Thurk Street, Renmark SA 5341		view Google Map
Phone number	0885864111		
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Web address	www.renmarkmedical.com.au		
Principal contact name	Aspasia Papazaharias		
ASGC-RA classification*	RA5		
Outer metropolitan	Yes		
RACGP teaching site	No		
ACRRM teaching site	Yes		
RACGP accredited	No		
ACRRM accredited	No		
AGPAL accredited (or equivalent)	Yes		
Public liability insurance	Yes	Name of insurer AMP	Date of renewal 30 June 2011

Location 65 Thurk Street, Renmark Sa 5341

Description of practice location	Single story
Health and medical information about the region	<p>The Renmark Paringa District Hospital supply facilities for most GP interests including general medicine, surgery and anaesthetics. ENT and General Surgery are undertaken at the hospital.</p> <p>There is a Nursing Home and Hostel on the same campus that provides ample opportunity for geriatric medicine.</p> <p>Riverland Regional Hospital at Berri. There is a resident gynaecologist. The radiology service is sited here.</p>
Practice type and size	<p>The Renmark Medical Clinic has 8 FTE doctors and one part time doctor.</p> <p>There are 9 admin staff – 4 full time, 4 permanent part-time and one casual. There are 4 nursing staff, one casual and the rest permanent part-time.</p>
Clinic hours	Monday – Friday –9.00am – 5.30pm Saturday 9.00am – 11.30am
Are home visits provided?	Yes
Is an after-hours/weekend service provided?	Yes – some GPs participate on the afterhours roster at Riverdocs ED at Berri
If no, is a locum service provided?	No
Is hospital in-patient care provided?	Yes
Are nursing home visits provided?	Yes
What access to specialists and other health professionals is available?	<p>Wide range of visiting specialist and allied health providers visit Riverland Regional Health Services at Berri.</p> <p>There is an ENT surgeon, a general surgeon and a paediatrician who visit the Renmark Medical Clinic.</p> <p>There is a Mental Health social worker that also works for the Renmark Medical Clinic</p>

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Some of the services provided at the Riverland Regional Hospital include:-

- Resident Gynaecologist
- Visiting Surgeons
- Visiting Cardiologists
- Visiting Eye Specialists
- Visiting Urologist
- Visiting Vascular Surgeon
- Visiting Dermatologist
- Visiting Gastroenterologist
- Visiting Orthopaedic Surgeons
- Visiting ENT Surgeon
- Visiting Oral Surgeon
- Visiting Geriatrician

Aspects of medicine in your practice that will be a feature of registrar training	CDM clinics, INR, minor surgery, aged care, pre-employment medicals, Aged Health Assessments, driver's licence medicals, women's health, men's health, immunisations
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Details of practice support

On-site and after-hours supervision to meet professional standards	The practice has 2 senior partners with supervisory status available
Provision is made for registrars to attend education activities	The practice allocates time for the registrar to attend all workshops etc
Access to clinical resources/reference materials	Clinic has a library, Flinders University Clinical School is available for registrars to access their resources, Clinical software has information pamphlets on computer desk top, wide and varied electronic resources also available
Adequate consulting space, IT facilities and equipment for registrar	The registrar will be allocated their own equipped consulting room. The practice is fully computerised
Appropriate space available for teaching purposes	Consulting room large enough to carry out a teaching session. We also have a board room that can be used

Expectations of registrar workload

Workload of registrar monitored and managed to ensure a balanced patient base	Patients per hour 2 – 3 basic registrar 3 – 4 advanced registrar 4 subsequent registrar
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Facilities offered by practice

Spirometry, audiometry, 24 hour BP Monitor,

We endeavor at all times to have suitable housing for the registrar. So far the home has been of a high standard, situated in a good residential area

Technical information - Our practice is fully computerised

Principal supervisor

Name of principal supervisor/trainer	Dr Christopher Muecke
Qualifications	MBBS, DRANZCOG, FACRRM
Full and unrestricted registration with the Medical Board of Australia	Yes
FRACGP member	No
RACGP member	No

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FACRRM member	No
ACRRM member	Yes
Vocational registration status	Accredited
Experience, including number of full time years in general practice	25 years of rural general practice
CPD status achieved 2008 - 2010	Yes
Professional medical indemnity insurance	Yes Name of insurer MIGA Date of renewal 1 July 2011

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Other supervisor

Name of supervisor/trainer	Dr Paul Smith
Qualifications	MBBS (Adelaide) DRACOG
Full and unrestricted registration with the Medical Board of Australia	Yes
FRACGP member	No
RACGP member	No
FACRRM member	No
ACRRM member	Yes
Vocational registration status	Accredited/not accredited
Experience, including number of full time years in general practice	Over 25 years of experience in rural general practice
CPD status achieved 2008 - 2010	Yes
Professional medical indemnity insurance	Yes Name of insurer MIGA Date of renewal 1 July 2011

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*RA1 – major cities of Australia

RA2 – inner regional Australia

RA3 – outer regional Australia

RA4 – remote Australia

RA5 – very remote Australia

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