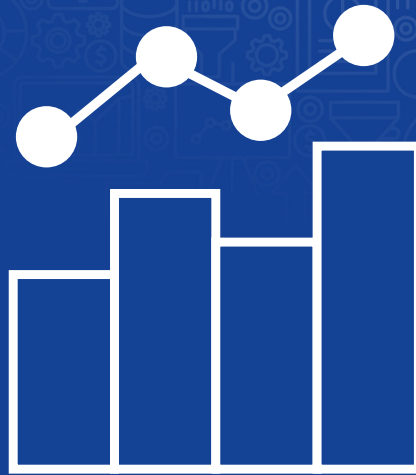




MET3

Summary snapshot 2018



Prevocational Medical Education and Training

The Medical Education and Training (MET) factsheets provide a comprehensive picture of medical education and training in Australia as well as the supply of medical practitioners from overseas. 'MET3' is the third data collection in the MET series bringing together the latest information from a range of sources.

FACTSHEETS ARE AVAILABLE ON:

University Medical Education and Training

Data provided by Medical Deans Australia and New Zealand – includes medical students enrolled in university training at accredited medical schools in undergraduate or postgraduate degrees. This also includes the number of graduates and projections on the numbers expected to graduate.

Prevocational Medical Education and Training

Data provided by State and Territory Health Departments – includes the number of prevocational junior doctors from internship to postgraduate year 2 across Australia.

Vocational Medical Education and Training

Data provided by the Medical Colleges and the Australian Government Department of Health – includes specialist training through an accredited specialist medical college. It also includes new and total Fellows of each of the medical colleges.

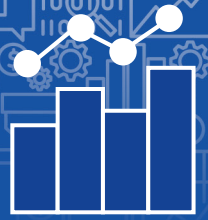
International Supply of Medical Practitioners

Data provided by the Department of Home Affairs and AHPRA – includes doctors and specialists who were trained overseas and their visa subclass, education level, countries in which studies were undertaken and pathways for assessment and recognition in Australia.

Quality, Distribution and Access to programs

Data provided by Australian Government Department of Health – includes Special Purpose Training Programs under section 3GA of the Health Insurance Act 1973.

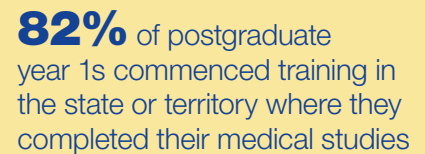
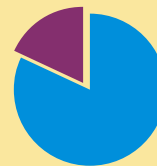
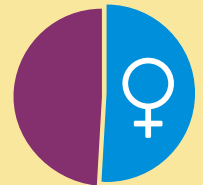
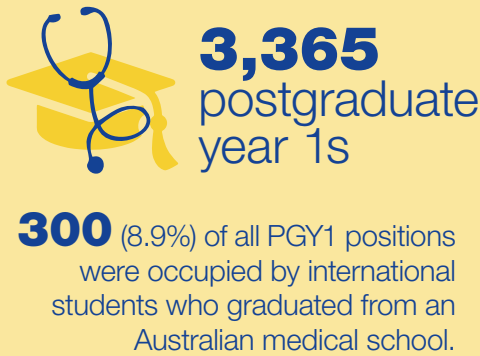
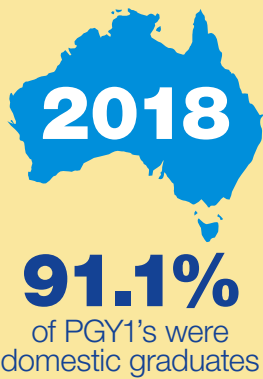
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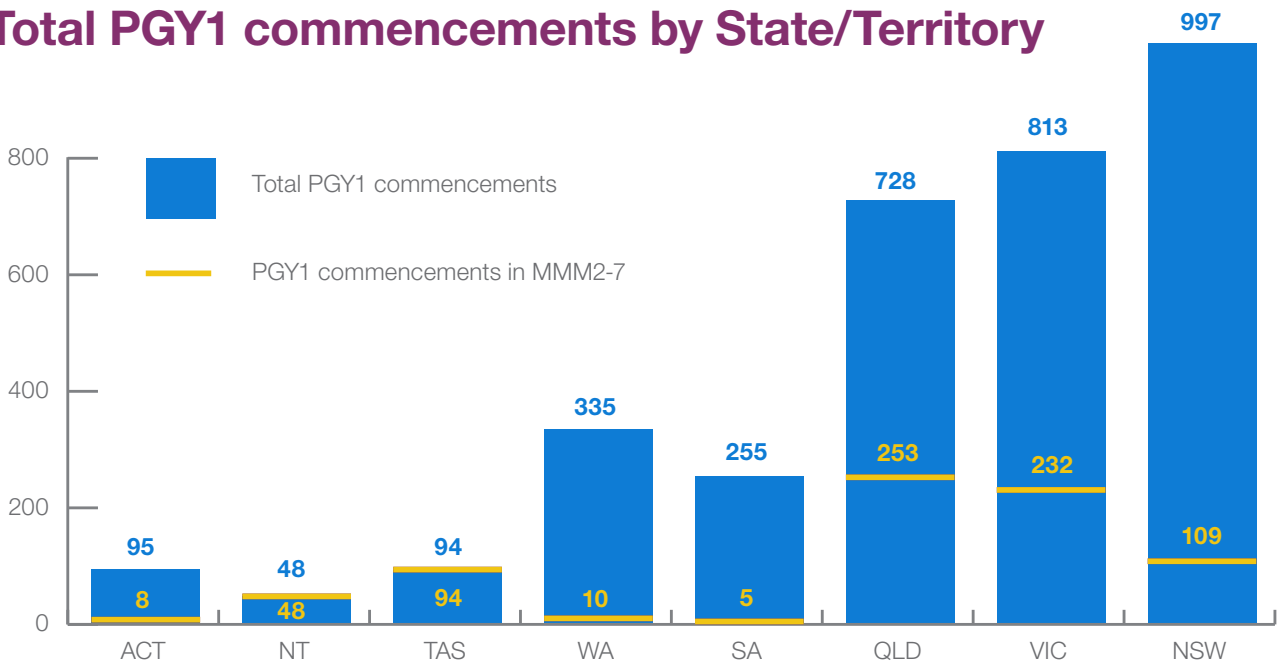
Prevocational Medical Education and Training

Australian university medical graduates enter the workforce as interns or postgraduate year 1 (PGY1) doctors, employed mainly through public hospitals and health services. Junior doctors must successfully complete an intern year before being granted general medical registration through the Medical Board of Australia (MBA). Some specialist medical colleges accept entrants to vocational training programs following completion of PGY1, but most prefer applicants who have completed a PGY2 and/or PGY3 training.

Postgraduate year 1/Intern



Total PGY1 commencements by State/Territory



According to the Modified Monash Model there were **761 RURAL INTERN POSITIONS** where PGY1 doctors could undertake most of their internship.



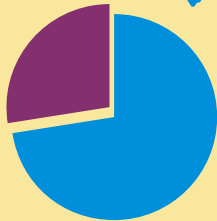
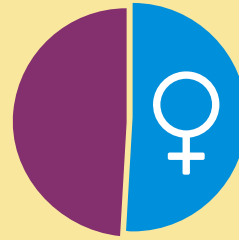
There were **759** PGY1 doctors undertaking a rural internship in the MMM2-7 classification.



Postgraduate year 2



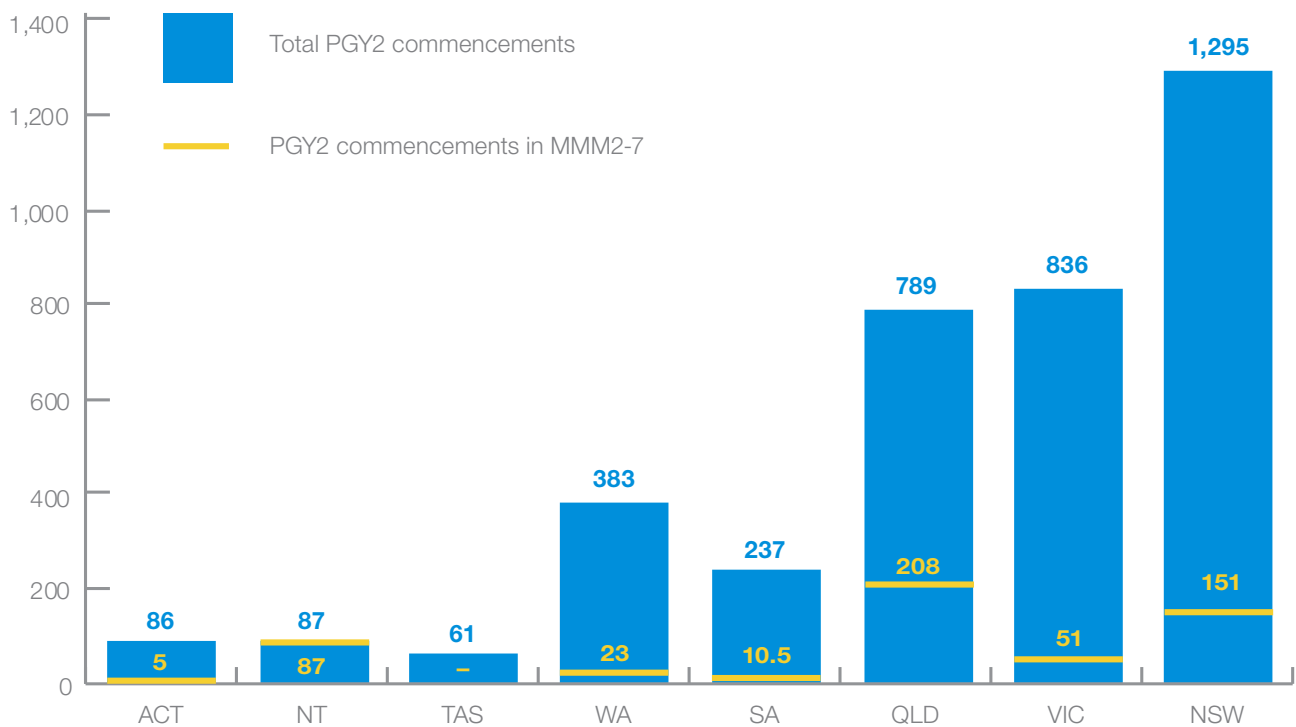
3,774
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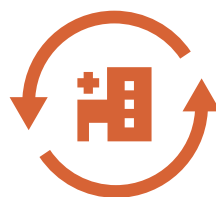
72.7% commenced their
second year of PG training in
the state or territory where they
completed their medical studies

377 (10%) of all PGY2 positions
were occupied by international
students who graduated from an
Australian medical school.

PGY2 commencements by State/Territory



According to the Modified
Monash Model there were
726 and **536**
POSITIONS and **DOCTORS**
located in rural and
regional areas.



There were **227**
rotational positions in rural
and regional areas that could
be filled by doctors from a
metropolitan hospital.