

Rural Advanced Skills Training (AST) Campaign 2024 Application Guide

Prior to applying, please review all information on the [Queensland Rural Generalist Pathway website](#).

Applications open: Tuesday, 11 April 2023 9.00am AEST

Applications close: Thursday, 27 April 2023 3.00pm AEST

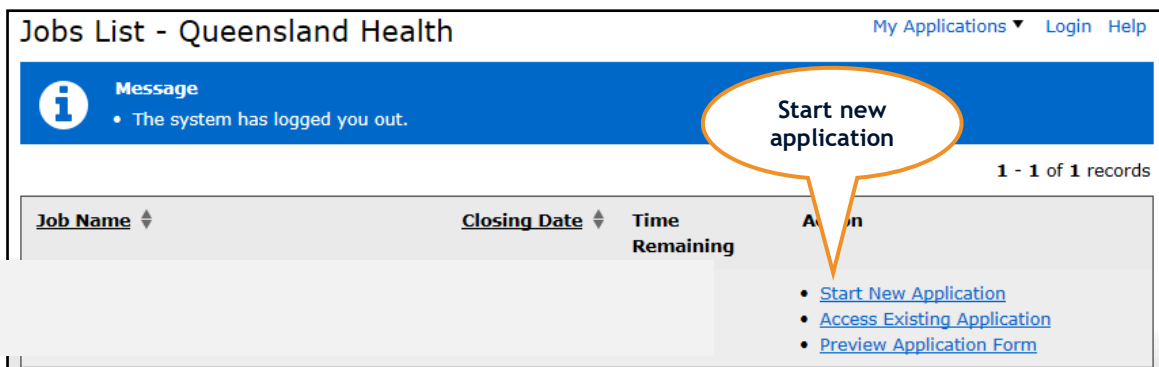
To apply to the Rural AST Campaign, submit an application via the [RMO Campaign website](#)

For eligibility, application information, please refer to the [Queensland Rural Generalist Pathway](#) webpage for further information.

The Queensland Rural Generalist Pathway (QRGP) coordinates a state-wide recruitment and placement process for medical officers wishing to undertake AST in obstetrics, mental health, adult internal medicine, anaesthetics and paediatrics.

For further information or assistance, please [email your query](#) to or contact Suzanne Edmondson on 1800 680 291.

Once the campaign opens, you will be able to access the application link via the [RMO Campaign website](#). To apply, click 'Start New Application' and follow the prompts. Please note, the link will only be accessible during active recruitment campaigns.



Please specify the campaign you are applying for: *

Queensland Rural Advanced Skills Training Campaign

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Select the Queensland Rural Advanced Skills Training Pathway and complete the questions that follow.

Personal Details

* Denotes a mandatory question

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Select Queensland Rural Advanced Skills Training

Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander AST Initiative

The Queensland Rural Generalist Pathway (QRGP) has implemented the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander AST Initiative. The purpose of this initiative is to increase the number of Aboriginal and /or Torres Strait Islander medical officers delivering appropriate advanced skills services in rural Queensland communities.

To apply, please select 'Yes' to the initiative question and familiarise yourself with the key requirements.

Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander AST Initiative

Eligible applicants can apply to the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander AST Initiative to be presented to their first preferred hospital. Please note, participation in this initiative is voluntary and the information is treated confidentially.

For details on what supporting documentation is to be provided and further information, please check the [Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Initiative Guide](#) .

Are you applying for the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander AST Initiative? *

Yes
 No

Select 'YES' if applying


Preference Section


Preferences

* Denotes a mandatory question

Queensland Rural Advanced Skills Training applicants MUST ONLY complete 1st preference as follows:

Facility: College/Pathway/Network (Determined)
Position: Principal House Officer
Specialty: Select the Specialty you are applying for
Sub-specialty: Advanced Skills Training RG

Please refer to the [How to Guide](#)  for further details.

If you wish to apply to other disciplines, please apply via the **main RMO Campaign** which opens **Monday, 6 June**. Note: you must return to this application once the campaign is open, amend the campaign name and your preferences. Positions will be advertised via the [Position search tool](#)  on the website.

What is your first preferred facility? *

--Please Select--

What is your first preferred position? *

--Please Select--

Prior to preferencing your discipline and training locations, you MUST review the 2024 AST position list and preference the correct training locations outlined in the document.

Only select locations for your discipline as outlined in the AST position list

Specify your 2nd Discipline of Interest:

Note: Selection of a 2nd Discipline of Interest is not mandatory. Please contact the Rural AST coordinator [via email](#) before completing this section.

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--Please Select--



Specify your first preference training location:

--Please Select--



Specify your second preference training location:

--Please Select--



Specify your third preference training location:

--Please Select--



Selection Criteria

Rural Advanced Skills Training Selection Criteria Questions
1. Responses to each question must not exceed 400 words
2. Responses provided below will inform the shortlisting process.

Selection Criteria 1: Please state your rural background / experience to date: (400 words max.) *

Selection Criteria 2: How do you see yourself working with the advanced skill you have selected in five years' time? (400 words max.) *

Selection Criteria 3: How do you see the advanced skill you have selected benefiting a rural community? (400 words max.) *

The Selection Criteria questions need to be completed.

Documentation Upload

Upload evidence of successful application to the Australian General Practice Training (AGPT) OR the Remote Vocational Training Scheme (RVTS).
Note: This is not required if you have obtained fellowship.

Browse... No file selected.

Upload your term reports for the previous 12 months:
(If these are individual documents, please collate and submit as one document [max 5MB])
Note: This is not required if you have obtained fellowship.

Browse... No file selected.

Your term report document must not exceed 5MB. For individual pages, scan pages together to combine into one document.

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Use the [Available positions search tool](#) to search for vacancies. From the 'search results' complete your preferences below.

New and current trainees must refer to the [Specialty training recruitment](#) webpage on 'how to preference.'

Preferences two to five should be used for positions you are unsuccessful in obtaining your first preference position.

What is your first preferred facility? *

College/Pathway/Network (Determined)

What is your first preferred position? *

Principal House Officer

What is your first preferred Specialty? *

Anaesthesia

What is your first preferred Sub-Specialty? *

Advanced Skills Training RG (Anaes)

Facility:
College/Pathway/Network (Determined)
Position: Principal House Officer
Specialty: Your discipline
Sub-specialty: Advanced Skills Training RG

Referees

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Prior to completing the Referee Details section below, please review the [Referee information](#) on the website.

Referee/s should be:

- current immediate/supervisor and current consultant, staff specialist, clinical director, director of medical services etc.
- able to comment on your ability, capacity / motivation and rapport / cooperation
- able to comment on your general character and performance

Ensure you have **approval** from your referee prior to proceeding. It is your responsibility to ensure reports are submitted in a timely manner. Facilities may not consider your application if both reports are not attached to your application.

Important: Amendments to referee email addresses will delete any previously uploaded reports. These reports cannot be retrieved and your referee/s will need to provide a new reference again.

Referee Details

Referee 1	
Title:*	<input type="text"/>
First Name:*	<input type="text"/>

Your referees need to be aware that they need to complete the referee report as soon as possible; before AST applications close. Do not nominate referees that will be unable to complete the report prior to the application closing date. A referee report will be sent to the email addresses you nominate here as soon as you complete this section of the application.

Unsuccessful AST Applicants

If you are unsuccessful at obtaining an AST position and you would like to re-apply to the **Main RMO campaign** which is opening **Monday, 5 June 2023**, you will need to submit a new application to an RMO Campaign application.

Access your current application via the application portal, click on 'Login' and you will need to amend the campaign you are applying for to:

Please specify the campaign you are applying for: *

Queensland RMO Campaign

For all information relating to the RMO Campaign, please visit the [RMO Campaign website](#) and review the information outlined within 'About the campaign' hyperlink. Please see 'Campaign dates' and 'Position search tool' on the RMO website for further information.