

Registered Midwife GradStart 2025

St George Hospital & Community Health Service

Why St George Hospital for your GradStart year?

[St George Hospital](#) offers the opportunity for new Registered Midwives to develop your clinical skills and practice across Maternity services. As one of the busiest hospitals in metropolitan Sydney you will have the opportunity to work alongside a wide range of inpatient and community-based health services.

St George Hospital is a Level 5+ maternity unit that provides maternity care to a culturally diverse population. St George provides care for women whose pregnancy is low to high risk. St George Hospital will birth approximately 2,500 babies per year.

St George Hospital provides a variety of innovative midwifery models of care. These include Midwifery Group Practice (MGP), Culturally Specific Centering, Midwifery Antenatal and Postnatal Service (MAPS), Active Birth Team and Student-Led Midwifery Group Practices. There are also complex high risk medical models of care at St George Hospital.

St George Hospital is an accredited, principal teaching hospital of the University of New South Wales and is not only the largest hospital within the Local Health District but is



among the leading centres for trauma and emergency management in the State. The Hospital has a very high trauma load and accepts referrals from outside its immediate area. The hospital's areas of special expertise also include cancer services, critical care, cardiothoracic surgery, mental health services and women's and children's health care.

St George Hospital is undergoing a significant redevelopment that will bring together a range of day only, ambulatory and outpatient services that are delivered from a number of locations around the hospital campus at this time. This will improve accessibility for patients and their carers, particularly for those less mobile or who have chronic health conditions.

St George Hospital is in southern Sydney, situated adjacent to Botany Bay. The area is bounded by Cooks River in the north, Georges River in the south, Botany Bay in the east and Salt Pan Creek in the west.

Commencement dates

The current planned month is February 2025.

What we offer you in your GradStart year

St George Hospital prides itself on providing a nurturing setting for you as a new Registered Midwife. You will have a supported learning environment, providing a range of clinical experience with the aim of consolidating your midwifery education. All clinical areas are supported by a Clinical Midwife Educator and Midwife Educator to assist with support and clinical practice.

As a GradStart Registered Midwife you will undertake rotations within St George Hospital. Each rotation includes a Birth Unit, Antenatal/Postnatal inpatient ward, and Antenatal Clinic rotation.

St George Hospital will provide you a twelve-month rotational program, led by an extensive orientation, supernumerary clinical orientation days and study days tailored to your learning needs. You will be allocated study days where you will be supported with the opportunity to further develop your midwifery skills and knowledge.

The aim of the Grad Start program is to ensure that by the end of the year, our newly Registered Midwives have been provided with an opportunity to consolidate their midwifery clinical skills and knowledge within a structured and supported program.

Other details

You will receive specialised orientation to the organisation, facility, and ward. This includes supernumerary status at the commencement of each of your clinical rotations. You are provided with flexible rostering on a 7-day rotating roster, and we aim to allocate you two weeks annual leave at the end of your second rotation.

There is no on-site staff accommodation at St George Hospital.

There is a multi-storey paid-parking facility on the campus. The hospital is easily accessible by public transport.

For further information [visit this site.](#)

Questions?

If you have any questions about this GradStart program, please contact:

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All enquiries welcomed!