**Eastern and Greater Southern Surgical Skills Training Network**

 **Surgical Prevocational Training Term Description**

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| 1. **ACCREDITED TRAINING PROVIDER**
 | **Eastern and Greater Southern Surgical Skills Training Network** |
| **Training Term Based at:** | **Prince of Wales Hospital**  |

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| 1. **TERM NAME**
 | **Vascular Surgery** |
| **Overview of Unit or Service** | ***Please outline the role of the unit and range of clinical services provided:*****The Vascular Surgery Department provides the following services:****Elective cases** * **Revascularisation for patients with chronic PAD**
* **Endovascular repair of abdominal aortic aneurysms**
* **AV fistuloplasties.**

**Emergency/Acute admissions*** **Diabetic foot ulcers**
* **Acute limb ischaemia**
* **Chronic limb ischaemia with tissue loss**
* **Venous occlusive disease**

**Outpatient*** **Weekly vascular surgery clinic**
* **Monthly high risk foot clinic**

**Consults from many teams, examples including:** * **Renal for consideration of AVF formation**
* **ID for consideration of revascularisation in foot wounds**
* **Cardiothoracics for consideration of prophylactic carotid endarterectomy prior to CABG**

**Mix of fast and slow turnover – Most patients coming in for elective procedures are able to be discharged relatively quickly, some patients with difficult wound management may require prolonged admissions.****Most patients are highly comorbid and benefit from input from Vascular Geriatrics team, some will require further input from specialist teams.**  |
| **Term Duration *(Weeks)*** | **13 weeks**  |

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| 1. **TERM CATEGORY**
 | **SRMO position** |

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| 1. **TERM SUPERVISION**
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| **Name, Position and Contact Details of Term Supervisor*****Responsible for trainee term orientation and assessment***  | **Dr Shannon Thomas**  |
| **Term Supervisor Contact with Trainee*****Term supervisor to provide a plan for contact with the prevocational trainee/s during the training term***  | **General contact through theatres, virtual consultant rounds and radiology meetings.** ***Mid Term: Dr Shannon Thomas******End of Term: Dr Shannon Thomas*** |
| **Primary Clinical Supervisor (if not Term Supervisor)*****Consultant or senior medical practitioner with experience in managing patients in the relevant discipline*** | **Enis Kocak is the senior registrar and acts as immediate clinical supervisor** **Contactable on 0419495394** |
| **Immediate Supervisor with Direct Responsibility for Day to Day Supervision** | **As above** |

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| 1. **CLINICAL TEAM STRUCTURE**

***Provide positions of all members of the clinical team who provide supervision and bedside teaching including AMOs and Registrars. Please also identify how the Surgical SRMO/Registrar will be distributed amongst the team/s*** | **Vascular Surgery Private Rooms, POW Private Hospital Level 7 Suite 8 – Phone: (02) 9650 4981 | Fax: (02) 9650 4910****Dr. Andrew Lennox (Head of Department) – secretary is Tina (alennox.vascular@outlook.com)****Prof. Ramon Varcoe – secretary is Elena (prof.ramon.varcoe@gmail.com)****Dr. Shannon Thomas (Term Supervisor) – secretary is Gaye (sdthomas.vascular@gmail.com)****Dr. Nedal Katib – secretary is Gaye (nkatib.vascular@gmail.com)****Dr. Victor Bourke – based in Gosford and generally comes to POWH every 4-8 weeks for a week at a time****Fellows X 2:  - Ahmed Alhumaid – Vascular fellow at POW Private, but also does on call for the public.  - Yazeed Alofisan – Vascular fellow at POW public.** **Senior Registrar X 1: Enis Kocak. Point of contact for most things including negotiating ADOs** **Unaccredited Registrar x 1: Alex Stathis. Also looks after fistula and transplants.** **SRMO x 1****Resident x 1** |

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| 1. **Expectations of the Prevocational Surgical Trainee**
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| **Please List Expectations** | **Responsibilities** * **Take in-hour consults Mon-Fri**
	+ **Take calls from ED, other teams, occasionally from paeds or other hospitals (e.g. War Memorial, Sydney Eye/Hand)**
	+ **Discuss patients you see with any of the fellows or registrars. Ideally have them see the patient as well**
	+ **We alternate weeks with Ortho for diabetic foot infection consults**
* **Theatres (M/W/F)**
	+ **Check lists and chase letters prior to list**
		- **Check the Vascular Diary which is kept with Margaret in bookings**
		- **Email secretaries to request letters and imaging (emails for fistula cases go to Debbie)**
	+ **Check consents and mark patients in the morning before rounds**
	+ **Help get patient positioned on table, shave, time out, eOrder “DSA Angiogram in Theatre” for angio cases, assist (ensure consults pager is attended if you are scrubbed)**
* **Inpatients**
	+ **Attend rounds starting on Parkes 7E**
	+ **Attend clinical reviews, rapid responses and code blues**
	+ **Help resident with tricky/complex consults, transfer of care**
* **Outpatients**
	+ **Every Thursday 09:00 in Ambulatory Care Unit on Level 2.**
	+ **High risk foot MDT clinic monthly (endocrine, ortho, ID, podiatry, orthotics)**
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| **Patient Load *(average per shift)***  | **Inpatients: Anywhere from 5 to 15 inpatients.** **Consults: About 2-3 proper consults per day**  |
| **After Hours Roster*****Does this term include participation in a hospital wide after hours roster and if so, please advise frequency and the onsite supervision available after hours***  | **Required to participate in hospital after hours roster – resident shifts only.** **No participation in vascular on-call** |

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| **G: TERM LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES** |
| **Please list 5 learning opportunities/objectives**  | **Assessment and management of peripheral arterial occlusive disease including acute limb ischaemia and chronic limb ischaemia with or without tissue loss.** **Assessment and management of venous occlusive disease including iliofemoral DVT, phlegmasia and venous ulcers.** **Management of abdominal aortic aneurysmal disease and complications including endoleak.** **Complex wound assessment and care including dressings, debridement, skin grafts and amputations.** **Understanding of arteriovenous fistulas and common complications** |

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| **H: SIGN OFF**  |
| **Revision Date and by Who** | ***Carlin Ngai (SRMO)*****09/09/2021** |
| **Endorsement by Term Supervisor**  | ***Dr Shannon Thomas 21/9/21*** |
| **Endorsement by Network Director of Surgical Training**  | ***Dr Mark Muhlmann 24/9/21*** |

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| **I: TERM/UNIT TIMETABLE AND INDICATIVE DUTY ROSTER*****Important notes about completing the timetable:**** ***Please include the start and finish times of the shifts the trainee will be rostered to;***
* ***Please show the activities that the trainee are expected/rostered to attend – these include all education opportunities (both training facility wide and term specific), ward rounds, theatre sessions, inpatient time, outpatient clinics, shift handover, morning handover from hospital night team, afternoon handover to hospital’s after hours team. Please include times of activities where possible;***
* ***If there are extended shifts or evening shifts as part of the team, please attach an indicative roster.***
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| Monday  | Tuesday  | Wednesday  | Thursday  | Friday | Saturday  | Sunday |
| 0700 ward round | 0800 Ward round | 0700 ward round | 0800 Ward round | 0700 ward round |  |  |
|  |  |  | Virtual Consultant Ward round (via zoom) | Radiology meeting (via zoom)  |  |  |
| Theatres | Research Time | Theatres | 0900 Vascular outpatient clinic or Monthly high risk foot clinic | Theatres |  |  |
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| 1630 PM paper ward round | 1630 PM paper ward round | 1630 PM paper ward round | 1630 PM paper ward round | 1630 PM paper ward round |  |  |
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Please note changes may be made due to COVID – cases will probably be done in the Private and return to public wards.