

Royal Brisbane & Women's Hospital (RBWH) Brisbane, Australia

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DETAILS OF THE PD HOST INSTITUTION

PD available for: CKD
Type of Patients: Adult
Type of PD available: IPD + CAPD + APD
PD Catheter insertion: Percutaneous + Laparoscopic + Surgical
Who performs the catheter insertion? Surgeons
Number of catheter insertions per month (on average): 05
Number of patients on chronic PD: 90

DETAILS OF TRAINING

Do you have a structured residency or fellowship program? Yes, Fellowship program
-Advance Trainees in Nephrology
Do you provide training opportunities for nurses, pediatrics, etc? Yes, for nurses
Minimum duration of the training period: 4 weeks
Hands on training: No
Language(s) of instruction: English
Language(s) spoken by patients: English
Are regular scientific activities (lectures, case discussions, journal club)
organised? Yes; Monday- Grand Rounds; Wednesday - Radiology sessions to
alternate CME; Fridays - Topic Discussions . alternate month CQI discussion on PD
problems.
Do you provide opportunities for research? Yes; More than 20 publications in PD
related problems besides abstracts

OTHER RELEVANT INFORMATION

Do you provide accommodation options? No, hospital does not provide
accommodation; Social worker may help in arranging accommodation
Are there any registration costs associated with the fellowship? No