TUTOR INFORMATION

Westmead Clinical School (WCS) is based at Westmead Hospital, though facilities and sites for teaching in the Sydney Medical Program (SMP) extend across tutorial rooms, Clinical Skills Lab, Simulation Labs, hospital wards, clinics and associated institutes, hospitals and health service facilities. SMP students at WCS receive a very broad and complex clinical training, which requires many variously skilled and dedicated teachers. Teaching in the SMP is both highly valued and rewarding.

Tutors are required for teaching medical history taking, procedural skills, communication and physical examination skills at the bedside and tutors are recruited for teaching these skills across all years. In Stage 3, (includes third and fourth year) tutors are also needed in other activities such as clinical reasoning sessions, bedside tutorials, ethical discussions, online work and assessment. View here for further information regarding tutoring opportunities.

Although teaching in the SMP is voluntary, there are several professional and collegiate benefits. Tutors become part of the collaborative Clinical School environment and network, and may then take up the opportunity to apply for a clinical title.

For an Honorary Title form or information regarding Honorary Policies and Procedures, please view the Current policies/resolutions: http://www.medfac.usyd.edu.au/staff/policies-resolutions.php

If you have areas of clinical expertise, recent teaching experience in health and medical education, or, are a recent medical graduate, and you are passionate about clinical teaching, your skills and interest is always welcome at WCS.

For each stage of the course, there is a designated Education Support Officer (ESO). You can find the relevant ESO officer’s contact information on the Westmead Clinical School page underneath Teaching. The ESO's support tutors in organising various teaching sessions, providing resources, collating student feedback, arranging transport for patients etc. Please don’t hesitate to contact your ESO for support.