



ACEM Accredited Linked Emergency Departments

ACEM has recently approved a new type of accreditation called Linked-ED accreditation for Emergency Departments (EDs). Such hospitals may not meet the requirements of a 6 month accredited term, but still offer a great experience for trainees. EDs that may be in this category include smaller regional centres and private EDs.

Linked-EDs are formally linked to a fully accredited 6, 12, 18 or 24 month accredited ED allowing them to access the educational resources of that site. These EDs can have the minimum of two FACEMs working at 0.5 FTE each.

What does it mean for ACEM Trainees?

As Linked-EDs may only have 2 FACEMs, Provisional trainees may not be able to fulfil their Structured Reference requirement. Please check with the DEMENT at the Linked-ED.

Advanced trainees can complete up to 6 months in a linked-ED and have it count towards their core ED Advanced training time.

Other abbreviations: ED = Emergency Department DEMENT = Director of Emergency Medicine Training
FACEM = Fellow of the Australasian College for Emergency Medicine FTE = Full Time Equivalent.

* Provisional Accreditation

Region	Site	Linked to:	Accreditation Status	DEMENT
Vic	Bass Coast Health (Wonthaggi)	Monash Medical Centre	Accredited	A/Prof Gary Wilkes
	St John of God Hospital, Geelong	The University Hospital Geelong	Accredited	Dr Hayden Richards
NSW	Auburn Hospital	Westmead Hospital	Accredited	Dr Gregory White Dr Felicity Day
	Kempsey District Hospital	Port Macquarie Hospital	Accredited	Dr Paul Travnicek Dr Digby Hone
	Shoalhaven Hospital	Wollongong Hospital	Accredited	Dr Peter Llewellyn
QLD	St Andrew's War Memorial Hospital	Royal Brisbane and Women's Hospital	Accredited	Dr Muhammad Malik
	Noosa Hospital	Nambour Hospital Sunshine Coast University Hospital	Accredited	Dr Karl Van der Merwe Dr Phebe O'Mullane
WA	Northam Hospital	St John of God Midland	Accredited	Dr Arthur Stephenson
	Palmerston Regional Hospital	Royal Darwin Hospital	Accredited *	Dr Mark De Souza Dr Rebecca Day Dr Mark Ross