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Northern Territory Clinical Senate

Key messages

- The key focus of the Department of Health is to achieve the best health and wellbeing for all Territorians through the development, management and performance of the public health system.

- The Senate is established to provide the Chief Executive Officer with advice regarding the improvement of clinical quality and safety of health services across the Northern Territory.

Expressions of interest for clinical members on the Northern Territory Clinical Senate are now open

Clinical members are expected to be experienced health professionals, involved in regular clinical practice and held in high regard by their colleagues. Members practising in the public, non-government and private sectors are sought, as are emerging clinical leaders.

The Chairs, Health Advisory Committees will be nominated as the consumer members of the Clinical Senate. Consumer members will present consumer perspectives and engage and consult with the community in areas of health service delivery. Representatives should have an interest in improving quality of health care and commit.

If short-listed, you will be invited for an interview in October 2017.

Northern Territory Clinical Senate first meeting

The Senate will have its initial meeting in early December 2017 in Darwin.

About the Northern Territory Clinical Senate

Northern Territory Clinical Senate will provide expert advice, information and recommendations to the Chief Executive Officer in consideration of:

- the Department’s clinical governance strategy and its implementation;
- the Department’s clinical quality and patient safety programs, standards, guidelines and indicators and the implementation of these;
- evidence-based strategies in relation to system integration;
• evidence-based strategies in relation to the management of consumers with complex or chronic conditions;
• clinical quality and patient safety issues regarding the Northern Territory health system, including access to health services by people living in remote communities.

Northern Territory Clinical Senate members

Northern Territory Clinical Senate members will include up to 30 non-representational multi-disciplinary clinicians and consumers with appropriate skills and experience in clinical quality and patient safety systems and processes from across the broader NT health system to ensure there is both an internal and external perspective in improving quality and safety of health care delivery.

Downloads

• Northern Territory Clinical Senate Terms of Reference
• EOI for Clinicians
• Information for Clinicians

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