

AOA ACCREDITED FELLOWSHIP WEBSITE SUMMARY

TITLE OF FELLOWSHIP	FELLOWSHIP IN TUMOURS & ARTHROPLASTY (NSW0034)	
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Length	One year (negotiable) 1 st August – 31 st July	
Stipend	Approximately AU\$216,339 per annum	
Institutions	Royal Prince Alfred Hospital, Sydney	
Educational goals and characteristics	<p>The fellow will be involved in the management of patients presenting to the musculoskeletal tumour service through all phases of investigation and treatment. This is a multi-disciplinary facility involving surgical oncology, orthopaedic surgery, cancer medicine, radiotherapy and anatomical pathology. Duties entail monitoring and supervision of individual patients' progress through treatment of primary soft tissue and bone tumours, and metastatic bone disease.</p> <p>This unit acts as a tertiary referral centre for a wide range of tumours, as well as a consultative service, accepting radiological and pathological material from all areas of New South Wales.</p> <p>Apart from clinical studies there is now a large database backed by a pathology collection available for review studies in surgical pathology. Computer literacy would be an advantage to any appointee as there is a ready access to computer programs as well as help from the department's data managers for research projects.</p> <p>The appointee will be expected to participate in trauma management at senior registrar/resident level. This will involve on-call duties. Royal Prince Alfred Hospital is designated as a level three trauma centre and accepts a large number of multisystem trauma cases from country areas.</p> <p>There will also be extensive exposure to joint replacement in a unit doing 700 joint replacements per year</p>	
Requirements/ criteria	Candidates for this position should have successfully completed a recognised four-year training programme, which has included a significant trauma surgery component, and either holds a Fellowship (FRACS or equivalent) in orthopaedic surgery, or be	

	<p>recognised as 'boards eligible'. Previous experience in tumour management is not essential but the primary object of this fellowship is to provide a sound introduction to all aspects of musculoskeletal oncology.</p>
How to Apply	<p>Applications to be received 18 months ahead of time – cut-off date of 31st December – 18 months before fellowship to commence.</p> <p>Applications, to include a detailed curriculum vitae and the names of three referees with whom the applicant has worked.</p>