

AOA ACCREDITED FELLOWSHIP WEBSITE SUMMARY

TITLE OF FELLOWSHIP	Cairns Hip, Knee and Trauma Fellowship (QLD2502754) Dr Ben Parkinson		
Chiefsupervisor			
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Length	6 months		
Stipend	\$150,000 per annum (additional income from overtime available)		
Institutions	 Cairns Hospital Cairns Private Hospital Cairns Orthopaedic Clinic 		
Educational goals and characteristics	 The aim of the Fellowship is to provide extensive exposure in both elective and trauma surgery. The elective component will predominantly cover hip and knee surgery. The trauma component will cover general trauma surgery as well as subspecialised spine and pelvic trauma surgery. Elective exposure over the 6-month term will provide sub-speciality training in the following procedures: Primary and revision total hip and knee arthroplasty (approx. 500 cases/yr) Unicompartmental knee arthroplasty (approx. 30 cases/yr) Sports knee surgery – meniscal repair, primary and revision ACL reconstruction (HS, quads, and BPTB), multiligament knee reconstruction, chondral and meniscal transplantation, patellofemoral stabilisation, femoral and tibial osteotomy surgery (approx. 250 cases/yr) Fellows will be expected to attend the morning trauma meetings and be actively involved in the management of the more complex trauma cases. Fellows will be supervised and encouraged to take the primary surgeon role in both elective and trauma cases. Fellows will be expected to attend elective and complex trauma clinics. Fellows will have the opportunity to be involved in after hours on-call trauma service which will provide additional income at higher rates. Fellows will be encouraged to attend meetings and conferences relevant to their training. Research opportunities are available for fellow's and they will be encouraged to 		

Requirements/ criteria	 APHRA registration Fully qualified orthopaedic surgeons, or within 12 months of completing. FRACS or equivalent qualification. English language proficiency minimum score of 7 in all units of an International English Language Testing System (IELTS) test, in keeping with AHPRA's medical registration standards. This is to be passed prior to applying.
How to Apply	CV, 3 references and cover letter to be sent to bparkinson@coc.net.au