



Thank you for your enquiry into our Registered Nurse Graduate Program at Kerang District Health.

KDH takes 3 Registered Nursing graduates each year, with rotations through our Acute Ward, District Nursing, Theatre and Residential Care Facility. You are employed 8 shifts per fortnight, with no night duty rostered during your grad year.

The program is supported by a Clinical Nurse Educator and an enthusiastic team of experienced RNs & ENs. There are supernumerary periods at the start of each rotation through a new area, and a program of clinical hurdles to achieve.

In-house education is provided over 4 study days throughout the year, with a suite of on-line learning packages to complete too. Grads get the opportunity to become competent at cannula insertion and are introduced to triage and advanced life support in the second half of the year. On our final study day, I take the group to Bendigo Health for a discovery tour. This is an opportunity to begin planning for future career development, with a tour of the new hospital and view a procedure in the Cardiac Catheter Suite.

While we do not guarantee permanent ongoing employment at the end of the program, we have a high retention rate and often offer casual contacts that lead on to permanent employment.

If you are not from Kerang, we have very reasonably priced accommodation available in our newly renovated accommodation quarters (\$10-15 per night). The accommodation is clean, spacious and self-contained, with a study lab complete with computers and WiFi.

We also have salary packaging, a social club, free onsite parking and freshly cooked meals available for lunch and dinner at reasonable prices. There is an abundance of clean country air, and access to many lakes and rivers within a 25 km radius.

Kerang District Health has a comprehensive website available at <http://www.kerangdistricthealth.com.au> if you would like to learn more about our services, vision and values.

Please email me for more information or to tour our facility.

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