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		MONASH IMAGI	NG							
PLEASE NOTE: Monash Health acknowledges t practice authorised for the practice.	· ·	<u> </u>	•		•				the scop	e of clinical
Core Services:										
Core Services: Please indicate (with a ✓) those services that you	u wish to undertake on a	site by site basis		MMC Clayton	MMC Moorabbin	Dandenong Hospital	Casey Hospital	Cranbourne Integrated Care Centre	Kingston Centre	Jessie McPherson Private
Inpatient Services including consultations										
Outpatient Services										
Research										
Supervision of trainees and/or students										
Other Services										
Core Procedures:  Please indicate (with a ✓) those procedures you wish to undertake on a site by site basis		Prerequisite requirements authorised by the specials head prior to Dept Head (	MMC Clayton	MMC Moorabbin	Dandenong Hospital	Casey Hospital	CICC/GDCHS (Cranbourne Integrated Care Centre & Greater Dandenong Comm. Health Service)	Kingston Centre	Jessie McPherson Private Hospital	
1. GENERAL RADIOLOGY:		Prerequisite requirements	S							
1.1 Conventional Radiography and Fluoroscopy. (Fluoroscopy includes lumbar puncture, arthrography retrograde pyleography, arteriovenous fistulograr conduitogram/loopogram, cystogram, hysterosaly cystourethrogram, urethrogram, nephrostogram, swallow/meal/follow-through/enema or small boinsertion/repair/unblocking, sialogrpahy, T-tube cyideo fluoroscopy inclusions)	n, pingogram, micturating opaque wel enema, PICC line	FRANZCR								
2. BREAST IMAGING:		Prerequisite requirements	s							
2.1 Mammography Non-tomographic		BRC/Women's Head authorization		NA		NA		NA	NA	NA
2.2 Mammography Tomographic		BRC/Women's Head authorization		NA	NA	NA		NA	NA	NA
2.3 Breast Ultrasound - Diagnostic		BRC/Women's Head authorization						NA		
2.4 Breast interventions		NA		NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
2.5 US guided biopsy/FNA/core biopsy		BRC/Women's Head authorization						NA		
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2.6 Mammographic and US needle (e.g. hookwire) localisation	BRC/Women's Head authorization		NA		NA		NA	NA	NA
2.7 Cyst aspiration and abscess drainage	BRC/Women's Head authorization						NA		
2.8 Ductography	BRC/Women's Head authorization		NA				NA	NA	NA
2.9 Vacuum Assisted and Stereotactic Biopsy	BRC/Women's Head authorization		NA		NA		NA		NA
3. ULTRASOUND:	Prerequisite requirements								
3.1 Head, neck, chest, abdomen, pelvic, peripheral vascular and musculoskeletal ultrasound - except as detailed below	FRANZCR								
3.2 Nuchal translucency assessment	FRANZCR + online training tool						NA	NA	
4. COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHY:	Prerequisite requirements								
4.1 Computed tomography (CT) of the head, neck, spine, chest, abdomen, pelvis, extremity, musculoskeletal systems except as detailed below	FRANZCR						NA		
4.2 Cardiac CT	see accompanying note 4.2						NA	NA	
4.3 CT Colonography	see accompanying note 4.3						NA	NA	
4.4 Cervical facet or nerve root injection	See accompanying note 4.4						NA	NA	
4.5 Coeliac plexus blockade	See accompanying note 4.5						NA	NA	
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5. MRI:	Prerequisite requirements						Health Service)		
5.1 Magnetic resonance imaging (MRI) of the head, neck, spine, body, extremities and joints except as listed below:	FRANZCR plus >500 reported cases						NA	NA	
5.2 Fetal MR	See note 5.2			NA		NA	NA	NA	
5.3 Breast MR	See note 5.3						NA	NA	
5.4 Rectal MR	See note 5.4						NA	NA	
5.5 Cardiac MR - Paediatric	See note 5.5						NA	NA	
5.6 Cardiac MR - Adult	See Note 5.6						NA	NA	
6. NUCLEAR MEDICINE:	Prerequisite requirements								
6.1 General nuclear medicine	FAANMS or eligible						NA	NA	
6.2 PET	FAANMS or eligible, HIC recognition		NA		NA	NA	NA	NA	NA



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6.3 Bone Densitometry	FRANZCR or FAANMS or equivalent			NA	NA	NA	NA	NA			
7. PAEDIATRICS:	Prerequisite requirements										
7.1 Reduction of intussusception	See note 7.1			NA	NA	NA	NA	NA			
8. VASCULAR INTERVENTIONAL (Non-CNS):	Prerequisite requirements	Auth.									
8.1 Angiography/venography of body systems including the pulmonary circulation and extremities; diagnostic and therapeutic including angioplasty, thrombolysis, stenting and including embolic and occlusive agents and revascularisation drugs and devices	IR group (TB/JB) authorization			NA		NA	NA	NA			
8.2 Aortic endograft placement	IR group (TB/JB) authorization			NA		NA	NA	NA			
8.3 Angiography of body systems and extremities to include placement and removal of vena cava filter	IR group (TB/JB) authorization			NA		NA	NA	NA			
8.4 Angiography of body systems to include placement of catheter for tumour treatment	IR group (TB/JB) authorization			NA		NA	NA	NA			
8.5 Peripheral Vascular Malformation - Paediatric and Adult - endovascular/percutaneous diagnostic and therapeutic procedures	IR group (TB/JB) authorization			NA	NA	NA	NA	NA			
8.6 Insertion of peripheral central venous catheters (PICC)	FRANZCR						NA				
8.7 Insertion of implantable venous access device	IR group (TB/JB) authorization					NA	NA	NA			
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9. GENERAL INTERVENTION & BIOPSY:	Prerequisite requirements	uirements Auth.		Moorabbin	Hospital	Hospital	Dandenong Comm. Health Service)	Centre	Private Hospital		
9.1 Cisternography	See note 9.1			NA	NA	NA	NA	NA			
9.2 Myelography	See note 9.2			NA		NA	NA	NA			
9.3 Percutaneous diagnostic and interventional biliary / hepatic / renal procedures e.g. nephrostomy, PTC	IR group (TB/JB) authorization					NA	NA	NA			
9.4 Ureteric stent change	IR group (TB/JB) authorization	\ \ \					NA	NA			
9.5 Image guided biopsy or drainage (excluding pulmonary)	FRANZCR	T					NA				
9.6 Image guided pulmonary biopsy or drainage	KL/JB authorization						NA	NA			
9.7 Placement of stents (all body regions)	IR group (TB/JB) authorization	<u>                                     </u>					NA	NA			

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10. NEURO INTERVENTIONAL:		Prerequisite re	equirements	Auth.							
10.1 Vertebroplasty		IR/INR (JB/WC) authorization	) group			NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	
10.2 Interventional neuroradiological (INR) (i.e. end (including cerebral DSA) and therapeutic procedure head and neck	, ,	FRANZCR plus year approved				NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	
10.3 Head and Neck (i.e. non-CNS but with potential connection to CNS) vascular malformation endovased diagnostic and therapeutic procedures (in collaboral member)	See note 10.3				NA	NA	NA	NA	NA		
ADDITIONAL PROCEDURES:											
Please indicate any additional or specific sub-specia included in the 'core') you wish to undertake on a si		Prerequisite re	equirements	Auth.	MMC Clayton	MMC Moorabbin	Dandenong Hospital	Casey Hospital	CICC/GDCHS (Cranbourne Integrated Care Centre & Greater Dandenong Comm. Health Service)	Kingston Centre	Jessie McPherson Private Hospital
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Clinician's Name:			Signat	ure:					Date:		
Reviewed & Approved by Dept. Head:			Signat	ure:					Date:		
Reviewed & Approved by PMD:			Signat	ure:					Date:		
Authorised and Approved by the Chief Medical Officer			Signat	ure:					Date:		



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Procedures	Qualification requirements	Knowledge Prerequisites	Experience/Skills Prerequisites	Ongoing Education/ CPD/Verification:					
4.2 Cardiac CT	FRANZCR or equivalent.	<ul> <li>Understanding of the indications and contraindications to Cardiac CT.</li> <li>Theoretical understanding of CT techniques /analysis of Cardiac CT (including both coronary and cardiac pathophysiology).</li> </ul>	ANZCTCA Level A qualification as a minimum; Level B qualification welcome.	Attendance at regular weekly or monthly clinico-radiological meetings.     Attendance of at least one conference or workshop on Cardiac CT, in a three year period.     CPD involvement in accordance with accepted guidelines ANZCTCA.					
4.3 CT Colonography	Board certification FRANZCR	<ul> <li>Completion of at least</li> <li>Greater than 15 hours of CME credit related to CT Colonography (CT Colonography specific course endorsed by a recognised major imaging body such as RSNA, ARRS, ESR, RANZCR, RCR).</li> <li>50 endoscopically-confirmed cases performed using a variety of scanning methods (with/without oral tagging, intravenous contrast).         <ul> <li>o the candidate must be present in 25 of these cases</li> <li>o Interactive manipulation and interpretation by the candidate required</li> <li>o Opportunity to interact with trainer</li> <li>o 10% normal studies</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	Provision of the relevant documentation indicating the details of the requirements.	May include but is not limited to:  1. Attendance at regular weekly or monthly clinico-radiological meetings  2. Attendance of at least one conference or workshop on CT Colonography, in a three year period  3. Specific CT Colonography CME/triennium 10 pts  4. Participate in CT Colonography peer review program  5. Maintain familiarity with the American College of Radiologists – joint consensus guidelines on CT Colonography reporting criteria.					
4.4 Cervical facet or nerve root injection	FRANZCR Formal INR training or meet the skills / experience criteria	Anatomy of the cervical spine, spinal cord/nerve roots, paraspinal structures and blood supply the spine, cord and brain	Proficiency in CT guided procedures Demonstrate past experience of at least 5 successful procedures and continuity of practice If no previous experience, perform 5 procedures under supervision prior to be credentialed by the supervisor	Logbook and audit and regular audit					
5.2 Fetal MRI	FRANZCR or equivalent	Understanding of  indications for intrauterine (including fetus and placenta) MRI during the second and third	Supervision and reporting of at least 50 "live" cases. This can include mentored co-reporting as long as the report is co-signed by another	May include but is not limited to:  • Attendance at fetal diagnostic unit MDT meetings (currently 1st, 3rd, and 5th week					
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		trimesters of pregnancy and optimal timing of MRI to answer clinical questions and inform prognosis / management of the patient and her fetus.  • ultrasound manifestations / sonographic diagnosis of these conditions  • information required by fetal diagnostic clinicians, paediatric neurologists and surgeons, neonatal intensive care specialists and genetecists who may be involved in the care of woman and her fetus  • Patient preparation for MRI and MRI safety issues that are particular to the pregnant patient including  • Gadolinium administration  • SAR limits  • Pulse sequences and technical factors that reduce motion artifacts  • Reporting requirements and templates for various areas of fetal anatomy e.g head, lungs, orbits  • Where to find and how to use normative data for measurements of fetal anatomy	radiologist who is credentialed to supervise and report fetal MRI at Monash Health.  Review of reports and images for at least 150 previously performed fetal MRI cases at an institution with more than 5 years fetal MR experience. These 150 cases should include normals and pathological conditions of the skull, cranium, orbits, face, neck, chest, abdomen, spine, pelvis, limbs and placenta. At least 75 of these should be cranial pathology  Annual supervision / reporting of at least 25 cases  Performance of measurement of observed to expected lung volume and percentage liver herniation in at least 2 "live" or archived cases of fetal CDH  Be able to provide radiologist representation for patient counseling and late termination review committee (TRC) meetings either by  Personal attendance to explain the MRI findings and their significance to the multidisciplinary group OR  Fully briefing another fetal MRI credentialed radiologist who can attend as a proxy	of the month on Thursdays 09:15) as permitted by geographic rostering including  o preparedness to discuss MRI findings on current cases at this meeting as well as  recommending timing of fetal when appropriate in cases where this may add useful information to other antenatal imaging / diagnostic testing.  Attendance of at least one conference or workshop that includes some fetal MRI content every 2 years – this may be in combination with other MRI, neuroradiological, or paediatric content of the meeting  Specific fetal MRI CME/triennium = 10 pts  Attend Fetal Diagnostic Unit educational sessions (0800 Thursday mornings) whenever possible  Attend M & M / fetal pathology meetings (0800 Thursday mornings) whenever possible			
Procedures	Qualification Prerequisites	Knowledge Prerequisites	Experience/Skills Prerequisites	Ongoing Education/ CPD/Verification:			
5.4 Rectal MR for cancer staging Radiologist credentialing for the independent reporting of MRI for the staging of rectal cancer.	Board certification FRANZCR Maintenance of RANZCR MRI reporting accreditation	MRI reporting credentialing AND Specific rectal MR credentialing conferred by subspecialty body imaging reporting group	"Grandfathered" if reported - 40 MR rectal cancer staging cases, that have been reviewed in a colorectal cancer MDT meeting (eg at DH, Melbourne Health, Western Health)  OR At least one course or workshop dedicated to MR interpretation of rectal cancer staging – eg ARGANZ, Melbourne 2010  AND At least 20 cases co-reported with a credentialed radiologist.	Report at least 15 cases per year. Attendance at least one workshop, or dedicated update session at a broader imaging conference every 3 years. Participate in a MR Rectal Ca peer review program Provision of relevant documentation indicating the details of requirements as outlined above.			
7.1 Intussusception Reduction		Anatomical knowledge relevant of at least MBBS standard  • Understanding of risks of perforation of at least	Observe >1 Intussusception Reduction by credentialed operator     Perform >3 Intussusception Reductions	Once completed, credentialed status of operator documented with administration.			



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9.9.0 Dynasduvas of	FRANZCR or equivalent	<ul> <li>MBBS standard</li> <li>Understanding of radiation biology, protection and ALARA - equivalent to studying for FRANZCR Part 1</li> <li>Understanding of the indications and contraindications to Intussusception Reduction</li> <li>Theoretical understanding and able to describe intussusception reduction technique (positioning, patient preparation, pre procedure checklist, equipment list, procedure steps including aseptic technique, post procedure care and responsibilities), pitfalls, difficulties and complications and their treatment</li> <li>Attendance at Monash Intussusception Reduction In-services will ensure knowledge of indications/contraindications, reduction technique, difficulties and complications.</li> </ul>	personally supervised by a credentialed operator  3. Perform quality audit of first 3 Intussusception Reductions experience with Head of Paediatric Imaging.  4. Grandfathered if performed or supervised >5 Intussusception Reductions.  Performance as part of the team in regular cases.	May include but is not limited to:
8 & 9 Procedures of Endoluminal repair of Aortic aneurysms ,trauma and Dissections	Interventional Radiological Training	<ul> <li>Understanding of:</li> <li>Indications for repair</li> <li>Techniques for repair</li> <li>The role of the Radiologist in the team of clinicians(vascular Surgeons and anesthetists)responsible for these procedures</li> <li>Patient preparation for procedure</li> <li>Required Inventory</li> </ul>	This can include mentored participation. Participation in an audit Participation in the MDT meetings where cases are discussed Be able to provide radiologist representation for consent and patient discussions	<ul> <li>Attendance at vascular MDT meetings when feasible</li> <li>Attendance of at least one conference or workshop that includes endoluminal aortic repair</li> </ul>
9.1 & 9.2 Cisternography and Myelography	FRANZCR Cisternography & Cervical puncture – Only INR/fellow Lumbar Puncture Myelography - Formal INR training or meet the skills / experience criteria	Anatomy of the brain and base of skull, whole spine, spinal cord/nerve roots, paraspinal structures and blood supply the spine, cord and brain Knowledge of complications of procedures and how to deal with them Knowledge of contraindications	Proficiency in CT and Fluoroscopic guided procedures Demonstrate past experience of at least 5 successful procedures and continuity of practice If no previous experience, perform 5 procedures under supervision prior to be credentialed by the supervisor	Logbook and audit and regular audit
10.1 Vertebroplasty	FRANZCR Formal INR training with exposure in Vertebroplasty OR meet the skills / experience criteria – If	Anatomy of the Spine including its vascular supply Knowledge and understanding of all the major spinal pathology Knowledge of the embolic materials used for the procedure Complications & contraindications and their	Proficiency in CT and fluoroscopic guided bone biopsies / intervention procedures and the specific procedure itself	Regular Audit and CPD activities essential Logbook



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10.2 Interventional neuroradiological (INR) (i.e. endovascular) diagnostic (including cerebral DSA) and therapeutic procedures	not INR trained, then equivalent of 1 year's training or equivalent experience in A Body/Peripheral Fellowship with exposure in Vertebroplasty  If no previous exposure but has obtained the above fellowships, then 5 procedures under supervision  FRANZCR plus minimum 2 year RANZCR / ANZSNR / Conjoint Committee approved INR training	management					
of the central nervous system (CNS), spine and head and neck  10.3 Head and Neck (i.e. non-CNS but with potential for vascular connection to CNS) vascular malformation endovascular/percutaneous diagnostic and therapeutic procedures (in collaboration with INR team member)	FRANZCR Formal INR training (which must also include training in H & N vascular malformation) OR meet the skills / experience criteria  If not INR trained, then equivalent of 1 year's training or equivalent experience.	Anatomy of the Head and Neccranial and intracranial and or the potential EC-IC anastomos Good knowledge and understate & N low flow and high flow Good knowledge of all the em Complications & contraindicate management	bital blood suppl is anding of all the I VM bolic materials	y and	Proficiency in CT, US and fluoroscopic guided procedures Competency in arterial, venous and direct puncture embolization and usage of all the sand liquid embolics currently in use. Demonstrate currency of practice  If IR not INR trained, then high flow VM need least consultation if not performed together INR	solid ds at	Regular Audit and CPD activities essential – e.g. regular attendance at the RCH Vascular Anomaly Clinic Logbook and regular audit

## References used to inform this document

- 1. Guidelines for Education of Pediatric Radiology Fellows in Fetal Imaging www.pedrad.org/Specialities/FetalImaging.aspx
- 2. ISUOG are in the process of developing their own guidelines for credentialing centres as Fetal MRI training centres and this may include individual radiologist credentialing recommendations, but no such recommendations are available from RANZCR, RCR, or ECR at present.