

JMS Education and Training Committee

2022 Highlights

Committee Membership

In 2022 we were lucky to have 16 members in the JMS Education and Training Committee representing interns, HMOs and IMG junior doctors. Our representatives at the JMO Victoria Forum was Dr Rachel Rebecca.

Intern representatives were: Drs Abera Saeed, Alexander Cowcher, Bowen Xia, Eshreena Karwal, Jeffrey Jiang, Katherine Tsigaridis, Sonali Fernando, Tianchi Ren, Timothy Nguyen and William Barbis. Our HMO's were represented by Drs Callum Nguyen, Dion Paul, Jonathan Tsien Je Wong, Michael Gregg, Namankit Gupta and Rachel Rebecca.

We would also like to acknowledge the 2022 Innovation and Quality Medical Officers, who rotated into the committee as part of their IQMO term, and Medical Administration Registrar Dr Nathan Vos who remained as an ongoing member of the committee.

- Updated shadow shift checklists
- Reviewed learning packages
- Commenced developing EMR top tips for units

Monash Intern Mentoring Project

Commencing in 2021, this junior doctor lead initiative links new interns with PGY2s to support their transition from student to doctor.

2022 has already seen an increase of 30 Interns and 20 HMOs sign up to be involved from the 40+ Interns/HMOs in 2021 with a number of the 2021 Interns signing up to be mentors in 2022.

MDE looks forward to providing ongoing support to this great initiative.

Presentation at Intern Orientation

Five committee members kindly presented at the 2023 Intern Orientation Program, providing an opportunity for 2023 Interns to ask questions of current JMS. When asked if the session was helpful, the incoming interns rated it 4.4/5 and it was highlighted multiple times as a particularly useful session. We thank them for their time.

Monash Doctors Teach Students

Initiated by JMO Victoria, MDTs is a Monash Doctors and School of Clinical Sciences support program, which provided final year Medical students with the opportunity to learn from Monash JMS. This was supported by MDE and over the initial 8 week trial period, 71 JMS registered as tutors and 31 tutorials were held. There was such a large uptake from students a waitlist was required. From the feedback, 96% of students found the tutorials useful. We look forward to continuing to support this project in 2023.

Updating of Shadow Shift documents

The JMS education and training committee played a pivotal role in refining the shadow shift documents for the 2023 Interns. The shadow shift documents work as an orientation tool for Interns on their shadow days, it provides the incoming interns with prompts for things they should clarify and explore while on their shadow day.

In addition the Committee was able to develop EMR top tips for new incoming interns. Tips that would be useful for interns to utilise while they are still relatively unfamiliar with EMR.

Developing Learning Packages

The JMS Committee in conjunction with MDE directors of clinical training and the Med education manager worked to develop learning packages around the management of deteriorating patient designed for interns. The new Gols of Care module is centered around 4 cases and can be found on Latte. The module, includes interactive quizzes, images, information and tips that could be utilised by junior medical staff to develop their knowledge around the management of a deteriorating patient.

