## Call for Nominations: General Practitioner with Special Interest in Aged Care representation on GCHHS Specialist Palliative Care in Aged Care (SPACE) Project Clinical Governance Group

GCPHN in partnership with GCHHS is currently seeking a nomination to fill the following position for the SPACE Project Clinical Governance Group:

General Practitioner based in General Practice providing services to Residential Aged Care Facilities

The purpose of the meeting is for key members of the Gold Coast Hospital and Health Service and primary care clinicians providing healthcare to residents of aged care facilities to oversee and provide Clinical Governance regarding the development, implementation and monitoring of the Gold Coast Hospital and Health Service (GCHHS) SPACE project.

It is expected the GP representative through their delivery of health care to residents in aged care facilities will be able to provide guidance to ensure the SPACE project aims and objectives are met, these include:

- Support aged care providers to put systems and processes in place that facilitate the provision of palliative care
- o Build capacity within RACFs to identify and respond to the palliative care needs of all residents
- Focus on improving access to specialist palliative care within RACFs
- Support activities which clearly align with the new Aged Care Quality Standards
- Are based on available evidence, best practice or learnings from service provision across the health and aged care sectors

The SPACE Project Clinical Governance Group meets monthly for one hour. The GP will be remunerated for attendance in line with GCPHN's Sitting Fees:

The deadline for application submission is: COB, Friday, 22 January 2021.

## **General Practitioner:**

Category	Key Characteristics	Hourly Rate (ex GST)
<ul><li> General Practitioners</li><li> Specialists</li></ul>	<ul> <li>Based on medical qualifications and clinical practice experience</li> </ul>	\$171.00

This role will provide an excellent opportunity to help develop and shape the delivery of health care on the Gold Coast.

## **Application and Appointment Process**

A shortlist of candidates will be prepared from the applications received by the deadline. These candidates will be presented to the SPACE Project Clinical Governance Group for final approval. Please submit a cover letter (a maximum of two pages) outlining your professional experience and the contribution you believe you can make to the SPACE Project Clinical Governance Group, *based on the SPACE project aims and objectives outlined above* - email application to Chris Ash email: <a href="mailto:christinea@gcphn.com.au">christinea@gcphn.com.au</a> no later than COB, 22 January 2021.

Questions regarding the process may be addressed to Chris Ash by email or phone (07) 56125460 Unsuccessful candidates will be advised in writing by email. The first meeting you will be required to attend is Monday February  $8^{th}$  2021 (11.00am- 12md) via Teams virtual meeting.

