

#### **Medical Board of Australia**

# LIST OF SPECIALTIES, FIELDS OF SPECIALTY PRACTICE AND RELATED SPECIALIST TITLES

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## **Authority**

This revised list of specialties, fields of specialty practice and related specialist titles has been approved by the COAG Health Council on 27 March 2018 pursuant to the Health Practitioner Regulation National Law, as in force in each state and territory with approval taking effect from 1 June 2018.

Specialty	Fields of specialty practice	Specialist titles
Addiction medicine	_	Specialist in addiction medicine
Anaesthesia	_	Specialist anaesthetist
Dermatology	_	Specialist dermatologist
Emergency medicine	_	Specialist emergency physician
	Paediatric emergency medicine	Specialist paediatric emergency physician
General practice	_	Specialist general practitioner
Intensive care medicine	_	Specialist intensive care physician
	Paediatric intensive care medicine	Specialist paediatric intensive care physician
Medical administration	_	Specialist medical administrator
	_	Specialist obstetrician and gynaecologist
	Gynaecological oncology	Specialist gynaecological oncologist
	Maternal-fetal medicine	Specialist in maternal-fetal medicine
Obstetrics and gynaecology	Obstetrics and gynaecological ultrasound	Specialist in obstetrics and gynaecological ultrasound
	Reproductive endocrinology and infertility	Specialist in reproductive endocrinology and infertility
	Urogynaecology	Specialist urogynaecologist
Occupational and environmental medicine	_	Specialist occupational and environmental physician
Ophthalmology	_	Specialist ophthalmologist

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Specialty	Fields of specialty practice	Specialist titles
	_	Specialist paediatrician
	Clinical genetics	Specialist paediatric clinical geneticist
	Community child health	Specialist in community child health
	General paediatrics	Specialist general paediatrician
	Neonatal and perinatal medicine	Specialist neonatologist
	Paediatric cardiology	Specialist paediatric cardiologist
	Paediatric clinical pharmacology	Specialist paediatric clinical pharmacologist
	Paediatric emergency medicine	Specialist paediatric emergency physician
	Paediatric endocrinology	Specialist paediatric endocrinologist
	Paediatric gastroenterology and hepatology	Specialist paediatric gastroenterologist and hepatologist
Paediatrics and child	Paediatric haematology	Specialist paediatric haematologist
health	Paediatric immunology and allergy	Specialist paediatric immunologist and allergist
	Paediatric infectious diseases	Specialist paediatric infectious diseases physician
	Paediatric intensive care medicine	Specialist paediatric intensive care physician
	Paediatric medical oncology	Specialist paediatric medical oncologist
	Paediatric nephrology	Specialist paediatric nephrologist
	Paediatric neurology	Specialist paediatric neurologist
	Paediatric nuclear medicine	Specialist paediatric nuclear medicine physician
	Paediatric palliative medicine	Specialist paediatric palliative medicine physician
	Paediatric rehabilitation medicine	Specialist paediatric rehabilitation physician
	Paediatric respiratory and sleep medicine	Specialist paediatric respiratory and sleep medicine physician
	Paediatric rheumatology	Specialist paediatric rheumatologist
Pain medicine	_	Specialist pain medicine physician
Palliative medicine	_	Specialist palliative medicine physician
Pathology	_	Specialist pathologist
	General pathology	Specialist general pathologist
	Anatomical pathology (including cytopathology)	Specialist anatomical pathologist
	Chemical pathology	Specialist chemical pathologist
	Haematology	Specialist haematologist
	Immunology	Specialist immunologist
	Microbiology	Specialist microbiologist
	Forensic pathology	Specialist forensic pathologist

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Clinical genetics   Specialist clinical geneticist		_	Specialist physician
Clinical pharmacology   Specialist clinical pharmacologist		Cardiology	Specialist cardiologist
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