

The Royal Australian and New Zealand College of Radiologists®

Annexure "D"

The Faculty of Clinical Radiology

Drs John Banh and Matthew Carmalt Directors of Training Hospital Rd, Concord NSW 2139 AUSTRALIA

12 December 2023

Dear Drs Banh and Carmalt

Re: Accreditation of Concord Repatriation General Hospital for Clinical Radiology Specialty Training

A training site accreditation visit for the Clinical Radiology department at Concord Repatriation General Hospital was undertaken by the College's assessors on 14 September 2023.

On 2 November 2023 the Site advised that there were no factual errors contained in the Site Assessment Report attached.

The Clinical Radiology Education and Training Committee (CRETC) at its meeting on 10 November 2023 reviewed and considered the assessors' findings.

Following careful review, the accreditation status of Concord Repatriation General Hospital has been **downgraded** to a **Level D Accredited Training Site valid to 12 December 2024**. The definition of a Level D rating is: *Multiple significant issues seriously impacting quality of training. Immediate action required, future accreditation in doubt.*

We formally advise that your training site is currently not in compliance with many areas of the *Accreditation Standards for Education, Training and Supervision of Radiology Trainees*. We note that the site has not met the specific requirements under the following Standards:

- Standard 1.1: Trainee Management
- Standard 1.3: Safe Practice
- Standard 1.4: Promoting Trainee Interests
- Standard 1.6: Physical Environment
- Standard 2.2: Supervision, Training and Teaching
- Standard 3.1: Clinical Radiology (Radiodiagnosis) Training Program Curriculum
- Standard 3.3: Consultant Involvement
- Standard 3.4: Assessment and Feedback.

Please find attached the final report which is based on the findings of the site assessment and subsequent considerations by the Committee. The training accreditation at Concord Repatriation General Hospital is now conditional upon all issues being addressed over the next 12 months. Regular progress reports are to be submitted confirming that the conditions are being addressed and managed. Failure to make adequate progress may result in the loss of accreditation.

For further and continued accreditation, the Concord Repatriation General Hospital is required to submit a Progress Report to accreditation@ranzcr.edu.au on the following dates:

- 8 March 2024
- 7 June 2024
- 6 September 2024
- 6 December 2024

Should you have any queries regarding accreditation, please contact the Accreditation Project Officer at accreditation@ranzcr.edu.au.

Yours sincerely,

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