

GP Obstetrics Shared Care Program Clinical Governance Committee - Terms of Reference

The Service Provider will manage the Clinical Governance Committee which will meet at least quarterly, and the Service Provider will ensure that this Group participates in the Program by:

- a) Providing advice to the Service Provider regarding the policy direction of the Program;
- b) Providing advice to the Service Provider regarding the development of standards for the Program;
- c) Supporting and participating in any review of the Protocols;
- d) Providing advice to the Service Provider regarding the accreditation training and compliance process as set out in the Protocols;
- e) Monitoring GPs adherence to the requirements within the Protocols;
- f) Providing advice to the Service Provider regarding the development of the Continuing Professional Development program;
- g) Assisting with the clinical placements of GPs in participating Public Maternity Units;
- h) Providing advice to the Service Provider regarding quality assurance processes;
- i) Supporting the process for the ongoing peer review and education of all accredited GPs to allow for quality assurance objectives to be achieved;
- j) Supporting the provision of relevant data and information about the Program;
- k) Participating in working groups as required (as determined by the Service Provider on the advice from the Group);
- l) Providing advice to the Service Provider regarding evidence based best practice for the services and information provided under the Program;
- m) Providing feedback to the Department of Health regarding the Program's service model and evaluation of the program; and
- n) Encouraging GPs to participate in the Program by being accredited and undertaking the required training in order to enable them to provide antenatal and postnatal care to Pregnant Women.