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Dear Final Year Medical Student

Applications for internship with SA Health will open on Monday 9 May 2016.

I am writing to inform you of the criteria for internship application in South Australia, to ensure your work readiness for the South Australian healthcare system.

To apply for an internship in South Australia you must:

- have graduated from Medical school in an Australian or New Zealand university or have studied in an overseas campus of an Australian University in the last three years
- have met the English Language Skills Registration standard set by the Medical Board of Australia
- have completed the Enterprise Patient Administration System (EPAS) training
- be able to begin working on the January start date, which includes compulsory orientation, and fulfil the minimum 12 month contract
- have not commenced or completed an internship in Australia or New Zealand before

SA Health's Enterprise Patient Administration System (EPAS) will provide the foundation for delivering South Australia's state-wide electronic health record (EHR). The new system will place South Australian public hospitals and health care sites at the forefront of advancements in eHealth.

Candidates for internship in South Australia are required to demonstrate that they have completed EPAS training through providing information in their intern application. Many South Australian medical graduates will have completed EPAS training while at medical school.

If you have not undertaken EPAS training please either:

- Contact your university course coordinator and arrange to undertake the training, OR
- Email healthSAMET@sa.gov.au to register and complete the EPAS online training.

Completing the training will enable you to meet the EPAS criterion. All application criteria must be met before close of application on Friday 3 June 2016.

Further information about these requirements has been enclosed.

Yours sincerely

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Enc: Internship with SA Health fact sheet