

## Mount Wilga Private Hospital

### Hospital Description

Mt Wilga Private Hospital is set on a 1.6 hectare site in a peaceful area of Sydney's upper North Shore. We are an 80 bed specialist rehabilitation facility boasting large modern treatment areas, two hydrotherapy pools, and a fully equipped gymnasium. We employ a professional and expert team who are dedicated to providing patients with the best possible care. Our rehabilitation process involves active participation of patients, their families and staff to achieve mutually agreed and meaningful goals, through the use of evidence based practice and innovative therapy. Mt Wilga Private Hospital offers specialist rehabilitation services, incorporating a diverse range of programs for patients, day patients and out patients.

Mt Wilga Private Hospital rehabilitation facility comprising:

- A modern ward block providing 62 single rooms and 9 shared rooms all with ensuite facilities
- Ward based therapy areas
- Multiple therapy centres
- Two hydrotherapy pools
- Gymnasium
- Therapy kitchen and assessment area
- Medical consulting rooms
- Treatment rooms
- State of the art equipment and facilities



### Program commencement dates

January 2009

### What kind of rotations do we offer?

Two rotations are available between Brad Norington and John Grant ward.

- General graduate program

## Brief descriptions of each area you rotate through.

Mt Wilga Private Hospital has two wards Brad Norington Ward and John Grant Ward, the following is a list of services provided by these wards.

- Amputee rehabilitation program
- Back rehabilitation
- Cardiac rehabilitation
- Dietetics
- Divisional rehabilitation
- Driver assessment and evaluation
- Exercise physiology
- Exercise programs
- Falls prevention programs
- Feldenkrais
- Hydrotherapy
- Lymph oedema program
- Neurological rehabilitation program
- Occupational Therapy
- Reconditioning
- Orthopaedic Rehabilitation
- Pain Management
- Physiotherapy
- Post joint replacement program
- Psychology
- Rehabilitation physicians
- Speech Pathology
- Spine Care Class Program
- Stroke Rehabilitation
- Wound Management

## Education

A comprehensive in house in-service education program is available for all staff. There are annual compulsory in-services on customer service, manual handling, fire and safety, infection control and CPR. Further to these mandatory in-services each department holds regular in-services on relevant topics. Clinical nurse specialists are employed at Mt Wilga Private Hospital. Nursing education is encouraged and facilitated with CNS ward level education programs and ward specific competencies. All new nursing staff are provided with supernumerary days.

## Rotations to other facilities

Mt Wilga Private Hospital offers a comprehensive program for new graduates. New graduates may undertake a clinical rotation to other Ramsay facilities for example Strathfield Private Hospital or Westmead Private Hospital.

## Employee Benefits

- Mt Wilga Private is an equal opportunity employer
- Parental leave is available to all permanently employed staff after a qualifying period.
- Some salary sacrificing opportunities are available
- Staff are entitled to use the gym and hydrotherapy pool facilities
- Education programs
- Staff are able to join an employee benefits program
- Employee assistance program for services such as counseling
- All staff members are encouraged to actively participate in the continuous quality improvement of the hospital services. Contribution of ideas for quality improvement can be done through department meetings and departmental quality improvement projects or through the various hospital committees.
- Private Health Insurance, Corporate Rates: Cheaper rates of private health insurance are available to new and existing staff at Mt Wilga Hospital through certain private health funds.
- Library facilities, all staff are able to use the facilities and resources for patient-oriented queries, research needs, teaching needs, preparing talks, keeping up to date information in your field, management/staff development needs or general information. Staffs are also welcome to use the library's facilities for study purposes.
- A social activity, the hospital conducts a variety of fun, social activities and is a great way to meet other staff. Activities include such things as staff bbq's.

## Transport and parking

Mt Wilga Private Hospital is located between Hornsby and Asquith rail stations. It is approximately a 20 minute walk from either station. A bus is available from Hornsby station as is taxi services.

On site parking is available, with additional easy parking in the adjacent street.

## Contact details

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