

Community Stakeholder Member: Seeking expressions of interest from Aboriginal, Torres Strait Islander or Māori to join the AMC's newest standing committee

The Australian Medical Council (AMC) is an independent national standards body for medical education and training whose purpose is to ensure that standards of education, training and assessment of the medical profession promote and protect the health of the Australian community.

In June 2019, the AMC established its newest Standing Committee: the Aboriginal, Torres Strait Islander and Māori Committee. In developing a qualified and diverse committee membership, the AMC seeks to appoint two Community Stakeholder members who are Aboriginal, Torres Strait Islander or Māori.

The Committee's goal is to provide strategic advice and recommendations to strengthen AMC's approach to improving the health and social outcomes for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples in Australia and Māori in New Zealand. The Committee's work may result in discussion documents for the Directors or Council, the development of AMC policy statements, or be the basis for AMC's advice to government. Committee members will also have the opportunity to serve on other AMC committees, expert groups, and panels, and engage with a wide range of members of the medical profession, health consumers, and other community members represented on the Council.

The two Community Stakeholder members on the Committee will provide a distinct viewpoint based on their expertise in community, in health and/or in education. A medical background is not required. The two Community Stakeholder members will be appointed as individuals, whether nominated by an organisation or self-nominated.

The Committee will meet at least twice per year. The Committee Terms of Reference and other relevant information are available on AMC's website at <https://www.amc.org.au/about/amc-member-and-committee-opportunities/>

Enquiries and applications should be sent to council@amc.org.au Applications close 21 February 2020. A Selection Panel will review applications and invite shortlisted candidates for interviews.

Diversity and inclusion are considered essential to the AMC's continued success.

The AMC values the diversity of thought and experience and believes that an inclusive and collaborative culture underpins the accreditation and assessment of medical education.

We celebrate and promote diversity as a significant strength in our organisation.

APPLICATIONS CLOSE FRIDAY 21 FEBRUARY 2020