Bond University

Option 1: Advanced Clinical Skills Rotation Program (2025)

Offer Dates:

- A. 4 May 12 June 2026
- B. **22 June 31 July 2026**
- C. **24 August 02 October 2026**

The Advanced Clinical Skills rotation will be:

- A 6-week campus-based program.
- Sessions will run Monday through Friday, with a 9:00 am start most days, finishing between 3:00–5:00 pm.
- Self-directed learning will be required each week and will contribute to a Continuing Professional Development portfolio.

The Advanced Clinical Skills rotation will include:

- Orientation to the Australian healthcare system.
- Clinical and communication skills (advanced communication skills, clinical reasoning).
- Clinical and community preparedness (documentation, handovers, and prescribing).
- Hospital Readiness Workshops (case-based learning sessions).
- Procedural skills (revision of IVC, IDC, venepuncture, suturing, and new skills).
- Leadership and scholarship (content sessions).
- Visit to hospitals and healthcare settings.
- Workshops such as Simulations, Advanced Life Support and Ultrasound

Key learning outcomes will include:

- Understanding the structure and functioning of the Australian healthcare system
- Applying advanced clinical reasoning and communication skills in diverse clinical contexts
- Demonstrating safe and effective documentation, handovers, and prescribing practices
- Participating in case-based learning and hospital readiness workshops to support clinical preparedness
- Performing core and advanced procedural skills such as IVC, IDC, venepuncture, and suturing
- Engaging in supervised hospital and healthcare visits to develop practical clinical insight
- Undertaking simulation-based training, including Advanced Life Support and Point-of-Care Ultrasound

 Developing leadership capabilities and engaging in professional scholarship and reflective learning

Option 2: Cultural Educational Experience (CEE) Program (2025)

Offer Dates: 12 October - 20 November 2026

The Cultural Educational Experience (CEE) Program will be:

- A 6-week clinical and academic immersion program based at Bond University.
- Delivered in English for international medical students.
- Offered to 12 students across two groups, each accompanied by 1–2 faculty escorts.

The CEE Program will include:

- Week 1 orientation to the Australian healthcare system and cultural activities, including a focus on First Nations health.
- Structured participation in Bond Year 3 medical student classes across Mental Health, Emergency Medicine, and Child Health blocks.
- Clinical and academic learning opportunities, including:
 - Bond Virtual Hospital simulations
 - Lectures, lab sessions, and clinical skills training
 - Workshops (including a full-day cultural immersion experience)
 - Weekly visits to various hospital and healthcare settings

Key learning outcomes will include:

- Understanding the structure and functioning of the Australian healthcare system
- Exploring how social, cultural, and environmental factors influence health, especially for First Nations communities
- Developing clinical reasoning and treatment planning skills
- Enhancing communication, teamwork, and cultural competence
- Engaging in reflective learning and professional development aligned with Australian healthcare standards

Students have access to Bond University facilities including the Sports Centre, library, computers, and free on-campus Wi-Fi. However, they are responsible for arranging their own accommodation, transport, meals, health insurance, and other personal expenses. All participants are expected to adhere to the academic and conduct policies of Bond University and the Faculty of Health Sciences & Medicine.