



8th September 2017

Dear Doctor,

Are you interested in gaining knowledge, insight, and understanding of your teaching?

Murray City Country Coast GP Training have been awarded an Education Research Grant by the Australian College of Rural and Remote Medicine to investigate the 'protected teaching' that takes place in general practice training.

We are interested in how GP-supervisors think about what they do in 'protected teaching' and want to unpack the knowledge that you have developed over time, and through experience, about how to teach particular content to GP-registrars.

In order to investigate this knowledge we want to observe one teaching session and then make a video-recording of a second teaching session. As well as asking you some general questions about how you approach your teaching we will use the video-recording to get you to reflect on the recorded session. Answering these general questions and reflecting on the recorded session will take no more than two hours of your time. The interview and the discussion of the teaching session could be combined, depending on your preference.

In addition to the personal benefits that you may gain from having the opportunity to reflect in a structured way on your teaching, the research outcomes may impact on MCCC's program of professional development for supervisors, and the related policy and practice.

The research has been approved by Deakin University's Human Research Ethics Committee (2016-213) and will be undertaken by Tim Clement, Dr Eldon Lyon, Dr Duncan Howard; all MCCC employees, and Professor John Loughran (Monash University). If you are willing to be a participant, or want to know more about the project, please telephone (0419 857 153) or write to Tim Clement (tim.clement@mccc.com.au).

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads 'Tim Clement'.

Dr Tim Clement