

EMPLOYMENT REQUIREMENTS

Criminal Record Checks / Vaccinations

All medical staff who have direct patient contact are required to undergo:

- Criminal Record and Working with Children checks in accordance with NSW Health Policy
- Vaccination requirements in accordance with NSW Health Policy

Medical Registration

All medical staff must produce, annually, evidence of renewal of NSW registration.

CareFlight, through the Commonwealth Department of Health and Family Services, applies for a Drug Certificate for each doctor to enable them to carry drugs on international retrievals. As part of this process the Department verifies the validity and currency of each doctor's registration before a certificate can be issued.

Medical personnel are required to undertake:

- Pre-employment fitness assessment including run, fast walk, swim, abseil and strength tests
- Continuing accreditation requirements
- Monthly static winch currency training:
 - six monthly live helicopter rescue procedures
 - two yearly Helicopter Underwater Emergency Training (HUET)