

# SUGGESTED ACTIVITIES IN MEDICAL MANAGEMENT IN THE WORKPLACE

#### **Corporate governance**

Participate in committees - chair one

- Demonstrate understanding of private sector regulations
- Demonstrate understanding government and ministerial relations

Review literature, present evidence

Conduct consultation

- Prepare briefing notes, reports
- Represent the health service
- Manage corporate and reputational risk
- Deal with 'the media'
- Collaborate as an executive member
- Manage critical workplace incidents
- Participate in medical manager's role in Emergency Management
- Ensure appropriate and effective cultural awareness in self and in workplace



## **Clinical governance**

Participate in committees

- Oversee projects
- Investigate, using evidence
- Conduct a consultation
- Conduct a 'look back'
- Prepare clinical governance reports
- Lead quality improvement activities
- Review benchmarking reports
- Take responsibility for specific accreditation system standards
- Manage clinical risk ensure quality clinical records
- Conduct open disclosures
- Monitor Departmental QI meetings and activities

# Planning

Develop and implement strategic plans

- Develop and manage service plans,
- Oversee facility plans and their implementation,
- Respond to evidence benchmarking data analysis and trend projection
- Improve patient care with systems thinking model development, service re-designing, management of patient flow
- Identify and deal with risks
- Develop business cases
- Evaluate / Measure outcomes
- Manage cultural competence development
- Manage disaster planning processes



## Lead activities in 'e-health'

Oversee implementation of system-wide e-health Manage and e-health project Review and monitor electronic medical records Protect patients and manage risk in Investigations – imaging, pathology Protect patients and manage risk in treatments – pharmacy, imaging, pathology Oversee governance of clinical outcome databases

# **Responding to legal issues**

Demonstrate understanding of Privacy, confidentiality of patient records Manage a Coronial report or Inquiry Respond to Freedom of Information request Respond to Incidents Manage complaints about clinical care Make a mandatory notification Participate in research ethics committees

#### **Managing finances**

Understand funding allocation Use evidence for decision making Estimate costs Build a budget Manage a budget



## Leading medical recruitment and decruitment

Seniors on staff, senior contractors, registrars, resident medical officers, students, heads of clinical departments

- Train panellists
- Justify new posts,
- Prepare job descriptions
- Create advertisements
- Oversee credentialing and scope of practice processes
- Interviews
- Report
- Orientation new staff
- Teach statutory obligations
- Manage an impaired clinician
- Manage a complaint about a clinician

#### Leading and Managing work units

- Be a teacher
- Be a supervisor
- Manage change
- Delegate
- Prepare performance agreements,
- Prepare and oversee training agreements for medical officer skill development
- Manage challenging clinicians
- Mange a medical officer disciplinary process
- Have difficult conversations
- Manage conflict
- Participate in resolution processes for claims of bullying and harassment
- Deal with unions



# Personal and Professional Leadership Development

- Personal learning plan
- Mental models
- Self-directed learning
- Reflection
- Leadership feedback
- Mentoring
- Un-learning
- Deal with media
- Decision making
- Managing fatigue
- Delegating