Acute Trauma and Orthopaedics Unit C6 East | Gold Coast University Hospital

With 28 beds at GCUH, the Acute Trauma and Orthopaedics Unit is dedicated to providing expert, high quality care for Acute musculoskeletal conditions, high impact multi-trauma patients and general ad thoracic surgery procedures.

Learning Opportunities

Post Intensive Care patients

Care of the multi-trauma patient

Professional Opportunities

- Clinical leadership and management development
- Preceptorship

- ICC Management
 - Wound Management
- Fracture care
- Post-operative care
- Tracheostomy management
- Telemetry management
- Care of pre-operative cardiac patients
- Care of thoracic surgery patients
- Acute Pain Management
- Multidisciplinary collaboration



- Ward based leadership
- Portfolio Management
- Magnet Ambassador
- Professional development planning

Educational Resources

- Clinical Facilitator
- Nurse Educator
- Transition Support Program
- Preceptorship
- Peers
- Learning On Line
- Simulation Service
- Orientation manual and supported practice



- Quality portfolios (NSQHS Standards)
- Continuing professional development and lifelong learning plan



