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1. PURPOSE AND SCOPE

These Terms of Reference establish the Renewal of Endoscopist Skills and Training Program (REST) Working Party.

2. KEYWORDS

Endoscopy, Gastroenterology, Colonoscopy, Peer Support, Remediation.

3. BODY OF POLICY

The REST Working Party is responsible for providing recommendations on a framework and implementation plan for a pilot colonoscopy peer support program in Australia and Aotearoa New Zealand.

3.1. Duties and Responsibilities

The REST Working Party is tasked with developing a framework for presentation to the Surgical Gastrointestinal Endoscopy Committee. Their duties and responsibilities will include:

- 3.1.1. Review evidence on contemporary clinical peer support programs
- 3.1.2. Engage with key stakeholders including surgical specialty and sub-specialty groups, hospitals and area health networks and regulatory agencies (where appropriate)
- 3.1.3. Develop a procedural and policy framework, guidelines and evaluation tools
- 3.1.4. Administer and oversee a pool of peer reviewers
- 3.1.5. Establish and execute a communication plan and evaluation of the pilot

3.3. Composition and Size

Membership of the REST Working Party will consist of:

- 3.3.1. Chair, Surgical Gastrointestinal Endoscopy Committee (SGEC)
- 3.3.2. NZCCRTGE Representative to SGEC
- 3.3.3. AUCRTGE Representative to SGEC
- 3.3.4. RACS Council Representative to SGEC
- 3.3.5. CCSANZ Representative to SGEC

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