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Off the beaten track summit offers hands on education for early career health professionals

Early career health professionals from across the Pilbara recently swapped clinics for the coastline as part of the 2025 Pilbara Health Professionals Network Early Career Health Summit at the Mackerel Islands last month.

The summit provided participants with hands-on education in managing medical emergencies in remote environments while also building essential practical skills in teamwork, leadership, and stress management.

Health Professionals Network manager Katie Kindleysides said the event offered a unique blend of education and leisure, allowing attendees to develop their clinical capabilities while also being able to relax and recharge with snorkelling, swimming, and fishing.

"The summit is open to early career health professionals living and working in the Pilbara, who are under the age of 30 or have fewer than five years of clinical experience," Katie said.

"It's an 'off the beaten track' experience which brings together a passionate cohort of emerging health leaders, committed to developing their skills and strengthening healthcare in rural and remote WA."

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