Appendix 2

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Appendix 2 – Focus Group Discussion Points

- The most important issues in rural health
- Opinions regarding whether the RHM was worthwhile
- Sense of preparedness to work in rural health before and after placement
- Expectations for rural placement
- Perceptions of key differences between rural and regional practice
- Experiences and learning gained during placement
- Perceptions on whether being a rural doctor is harder or easier than being a regional doctor
- Sense of preparedness to work in rural health before and after placement
- The most important issues in rural health