

## NSW 'Rural' Classification Maps

The NSW Allied Health Scholarships offered by the Health Education and Training Institute (HETI) define the term 'rural' as areas covered by rural Local Health Districts, defined as:

- Far West
- Western NSW
- Northern NSW
- Mid North Coast
- Murrumbidgee
- Southern NSW
- Hunter New England (*excluding: Cessnock, Maitland, Port Stephens, Newcastle, and Lake Macquarie LGA*)
- Illawarra Shoalhaven (*excluding: Kiama, and Shellharbour LGA*)
- Nepean Blue Mountains (*only: Lithgow LGA*)

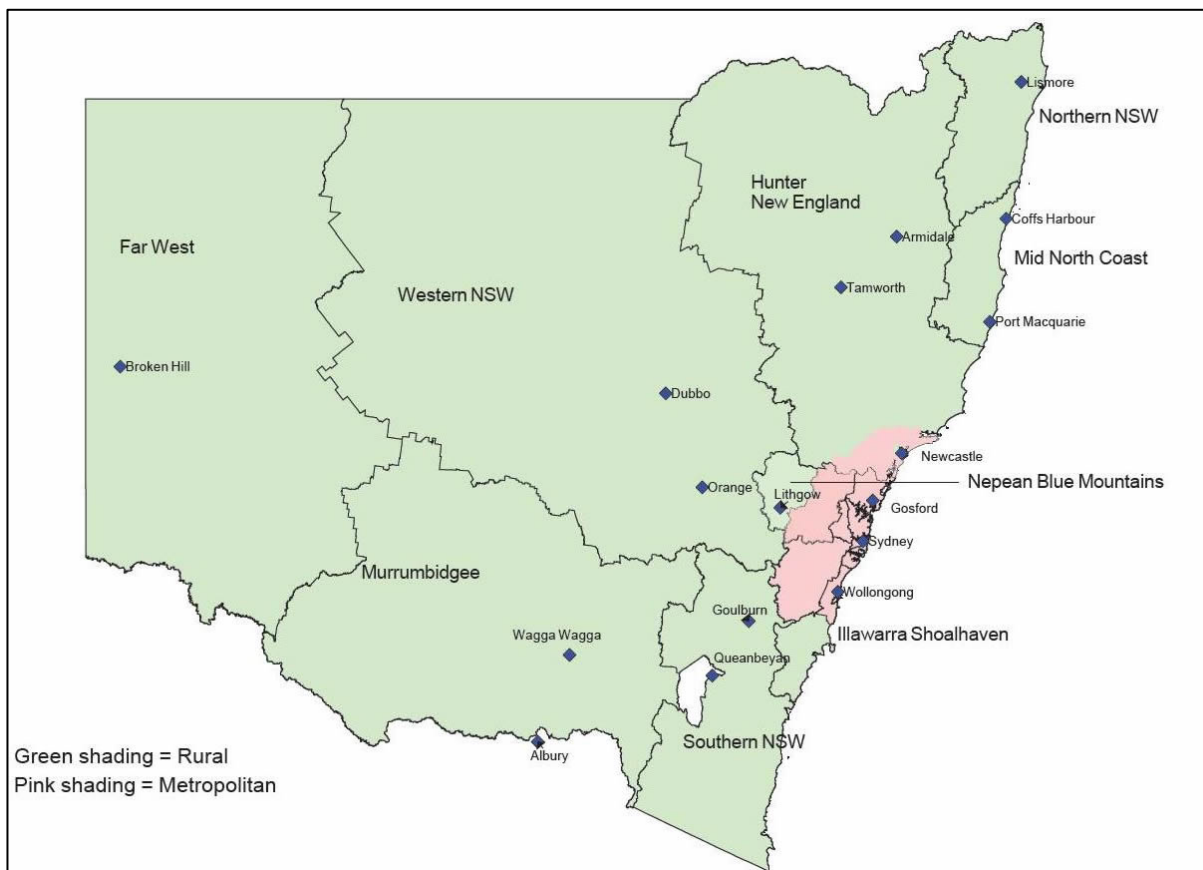
### **Metropolitan Local Health District**

The term 'metropolitan' refers to areas covered by metropolitan Local Health District:

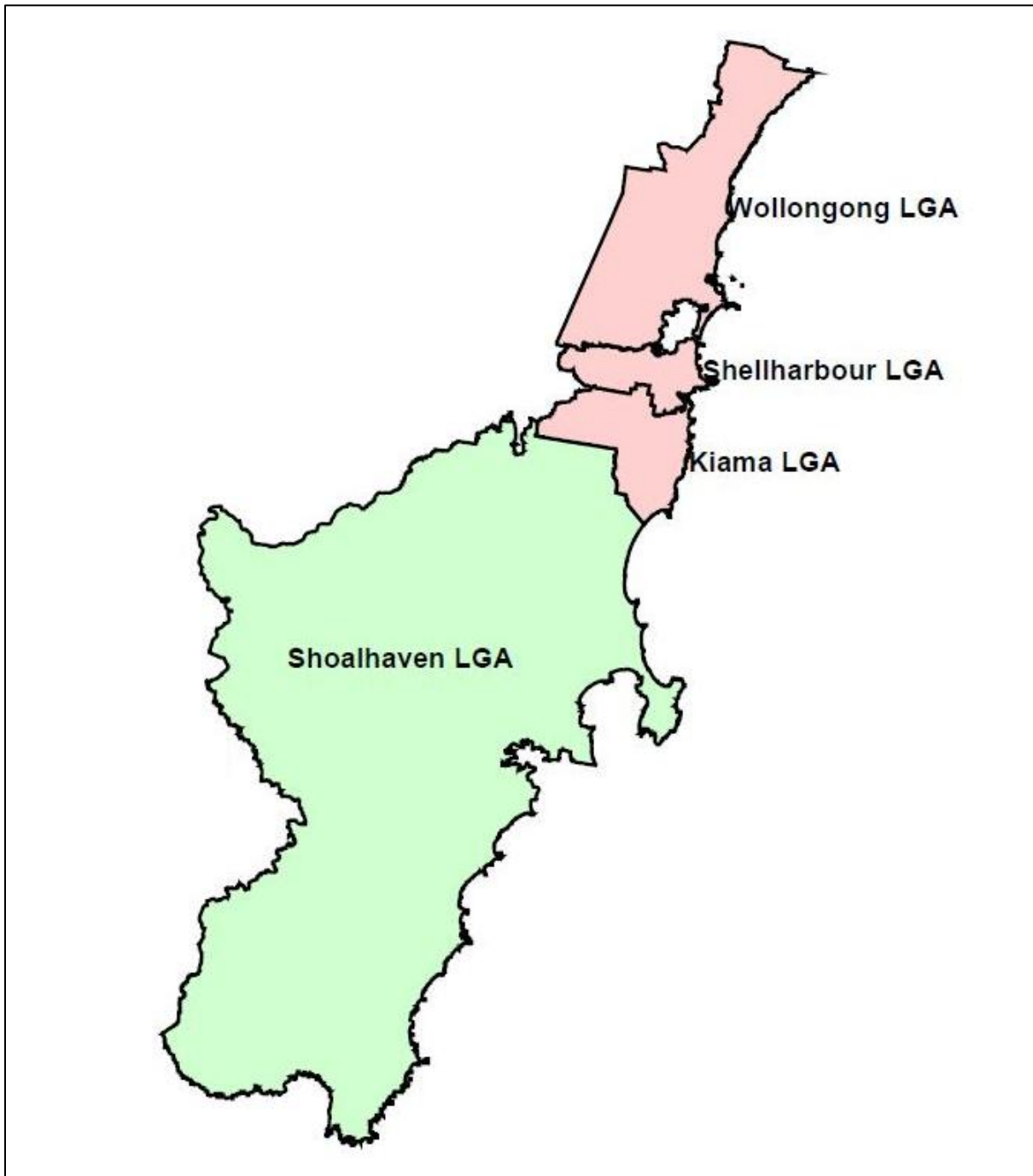
- Sydney
- Western Sydney
- South Western Sydney
- South Eastern Sydney
- Northern Sydney
- Central Coast
- Nepean Blue Mountains (*excluding: Lithgow LGA*)
- Hunter New England metropolitan components (*Cessnock, Maitland, Port Stephens, Newcastle, and Lake Macquarie LGA*)
- Illawarra Shoalhaven metropolitan components (*Kiama, and Shellharbour LGA*)

<http://www.heti.nsw.gov.au/content/scholarship-rural-classification-maps/>

## NSW Rural Local Health Districts



## Illawarra Shoalhaven Local Health District





## Nepean Blue Mountains Local Health District

## Hunter New England Local Health District

