

Schedule 3 – Work Plan

In addition to the Accreditation Functions outlined in Schedule 2, the Accreditation Authority's Work Plan for the period 1 July 2023 to 30 June 2024 includes:

1. the project plans for projects specified in Schedule 4, and
2. the work plans below (accurate at February 2023).

Primary medical qualifications work plan

Medical school	Type of Assessment	Assessment visit and date	Accreditation expires
2023			
Australian National University, College of Health and Medicine, ANU Medical School	Reaccreditation	Yes	March 2024
University of New South Wales, Faculty of Medicine	Reaccreditation	Yes	March 2024
Monash University, Faculty of Medicine, Nursing and Health Sciences	Accreditation Extension	No	March 2024
University of Notre Dame Australia, Sydney School of Medicine	Accreditation Extension	No	March 2024
James Cook University College of Medicine	Material change	Yes	March 2026
University of Adelaide, Adelaide Medical School	Follow up	Yes	March 2025
University of Western Australia, School of Medicine <i>(extension submission with visit conducted at the end of 2022, due to be considered by AMC Directors in March 2023)</i>	Material change assessment	TBD	March 2023
2024			
Macquarie University – report on accreditation conditions with assessment of clinical teaching at Hyderabad	Report on conditions with visit (deferred from 2020, now scheduled for first half of 2024)	Yes	March 2025
Flinders University	Reaccreditation	Yes	March 2025
Griffith University	Reaccreditation	Yes	March 2025

Medical school	Type of Assessment	Assessment visit and date	Accreditation expires
Deakin University, School of Medicine	Accreditation Extension	No	March 2025
Otago University, Otago Medical School	Accreditation Extension	No	March 2025
University of Sydney, Sydney Medical School	Accreditation Extension	No	March 2025
2025			
University of Auckland	Reaccreditation	Yes	March 2026
Bond University	Reaccreditation	Yes	March 2026
University of Western Australia, School of Medicine	Accreditation Extension	TBD	TBD
2026			
James Cook University	Reaccreditation	Yes	March 2027
University, Curtin Medical School	Reaccreditation	Yes	March 2027
Newcastle/New England, Joint Medical Program	Reaccreditation	Yes	March 2027
University of Notre Dame, School of Medicine Fremantle	Reaccreditation	Yes	March 2027
University of Tasmania, Tasmanian School of Medicine	Reaccreditation	Yes	March 2027
University of Wollongong, Graduate School of Medicine	Reaccreditation	Yes	March 2027
University of Melbourne, Melbourne Medical School	Accreditation Extension	No	March 2027
Western Sydney University	Accreditation Extension	No	March 2027
Charles Sturt University and Western Sydney University	Accreditation Extension	No	March 2027

Specialist medical programs work plan

College	Type of Assessment	Site Visit	Accreditation expires
2023			
Royal Australian and New Zealand College of Obstetricians and Gynaecologists	Reaccreditation	Yes – July 2023	March 2024
Royal Australian and New Zealand College of Radiologists	Follow-up	Yes – Sept 2023	March 2024
Royal Australasian College of Surgeons	Accreditation Extension	No	March 2024
Australasian College of Dermatologists	Accreditation Extension	No	March 2024
2024			
Royal Australasian College of General Practitioners	Reaccreditation	Yes	March 2024
Royal Australasian College of Physicians	Reaccreditation	Yes	March 2025
Australasian College of Sport and Exercise Physicians	Accreditation Extension	No	March 2025
Royal Australasian College of Medical Administrators	Accreditation Extension	No	March 2025
2025			
Australasian College for Emergency Medicine	Accreditation Extension	No	March 2026
2026			
Royal Australian and New Zealand College of Ophthalmologists	Reaccreditation	Yes	March 2027
Royal College of Pathologists of Australasia	Reaccreditation	Yes	March 2027
Royal Australasian College of Dental Surgeons (Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery)	Reaccreditation	Yes	March 2027
2027			
Australian College of Rural and Remote Medicine	Accreditation Extension	No	March 2028

Accreditation of CPD homes

College	Type of Assessment	Site Visit	Accreditation expires
2023			
Royal Australian and New Zealand College of Obstetricians and Gynaecologists	Accreditation	Yes- integrated into reaccrreditation	No date set
Royal Australian and New Zealand College of Radiologists	Accreditation	Yes- integrated into follow up	No date set
2024			
Royal Australian College of General Practitioners	Accreditation	Yes- integrated into reaccrreditation	No date set
Royal Australasian College of Physicians	Accreditation	Yes- integrated into reaccrreditation	No date set
Australasian College of Sport and Exercise Physicians	Accreditation	Yes- integrated into extension	No date set
Royal Australasian College of Medical Administrators	Accreditation	Yes – integrated into extension	No date set
DoctorPortal Learning AMA	Accreditation	Yes	No date set
2025			
Australasian College for Emergency Medicine	Accreditation	Yes – integrated into extension	No date set
2026			
Royal Australian and New Zealand College of Ophthalmologists	Accreditation	Yes- integrated into reaccrreditation	No date set
Royal College of Pathologists of Australasia	Accreditation	Yes- integrated into reaccrreditation	

Royal Australasian College of Dental Surgeons (Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery)	Accreditation	Yes- integrated into reaccreditation	
2024-26 off cycle assessment TBD			
<i>College of Intensive Care Medicine</i>	Accreditation	Yes	No date set
<i>Australian and New Zealand College of Anaesthetists</i>	Accreditation	Yes	No date set
<i>Royal Australian and New Zealand College of Psychiatrists</i>	Accreditation	Yes	No date set
<i>Royal Australasian College of Surgeons</i>	Accreditation	TBD	No date set
<i>Australasian College of Dermatologists</i>	Accreditation	TBD	No date set

Program for endorsement

College	Type of Assessment	Site Visit	Accreditation expires
2023 - 2027			
Australian Medical Acupuncture College	Accreditation	Yes – 2023 – deferred due to COVID-19	No date set
Cosmetic Surgery –applications expected to open in 2023	Application for initial accreditation	TBD	TBD

Assessment of new medical specialties work plan

Proposed Medical Specialty	Type of Assessment	Site Visit
2023 - 2027		
Genetic Pathology	Detailed (stage 2) assessment of proposal	Depends on progress of stage 2
Rural Generalist Medicine	Detailed (stage 2) assessment of proposal	Depends on progress of stage 2
<i>Remaining workplan to be determined</i>		

Intern training accreditation authority accreditation work plan

Authority	Type of Assessment	Site Visit	Accreditation expires
2023			
Postgraduate Medical Council of Victoria	Reaccreditation	Yes	March 2024
Postgraduate Medical Council of Western Australia	Reaccreditation	Yes	March 2024
2024			
Canberra Region Medical Education Council – deferred from 2023 to use the revised National Framework for Prevocational Training	Reaccreditation	Yes	March 2024
Queensland Department of Health - Prevocational Medical Accreditation Queensland	Accreditation Extension	No	March 2025
Northern Territory Prevocational Medical Assurance Services	Reaccreditation	Yes	March 2025
2025			
NSW Health Education and Training Institute	Reaccreditation	Yes	March 2026
2026			
Postgraduate Medical Education Council of Tasmania	Accreditation Extension	No	March 2027
2027			
South Australian Medical Education & Training Health Advisory Council – subject to AMC Directors decision in March 2023	Accreditation Extension	No	March 2028

Schedule 4 – Funding arrangements

Item 1 – Funding Principles

These Funding Principles are to be applied by accreditation authorities, National Boards and Ahpra when they are considering and agreeing on the funding to be provided to the accreditation authority by the National Board/Ahpra for performance of the accreditation functions.

The principles aim to promote consistency, transparency and accountability for use of registrant fees to fund the accreditation function.

Ahpra, in consultation with the National Board, will provide funding through registrant fees to enable the accreditation authority to manage its business and risks by covering some of the indirect costs of activities related to program accreditation including monitoring.

The following principles will apply, in addition to the guiding principles and objectives of the National Law, and the Quality Framework for the Accreditation Functions, when an accreditation authority is requesting funding from a National Board/Ahpra (funding request) and when a National Board/Ahpra decide to provide funding to an accreditation authority (funding decision):

1. Requests for funding should be reasonable and proportionate to the activities being funded.
2. The funding provided by the National Board/Ahpra should cover a proportion of the governance costs related to the accreditation functions.
3. The funding provided by the National Board/Ahpra for the development and review of accreditation standards should be requested and considered separately to the funding of other accreditation functions.
4. Requests for increases in funding from the previous year should not usually exceed the indexation range applicable to National Board fee increases (up to 8% for the 2023/24 financial year, in line with current CPI and the indexation for registration fees).
5. Where an accreditation authority considers an increase in funding above the indexation range is required, it should put the funding request and a business case supporting the increase above the indexation range to AHPRA and the National Board for their consideration.
6. Such a request and business case should be forwarded to Ahpra and the National Board by mid-February or earlier each year to enable them to have sufficient time to properly consider the funding request.
7. Ahpra and the National Board may agree to the requested increase in funding or propose to agree to a lesser amount. Such a proposal and reasons for that proposal should be forwarded to the accreditation authority to enable it to have sufficient time to properly consider the proposed funding amount and reasons.
8. Ahpra and the National Board should agree to provide sufficient funding to enable the accreditation authority to effectively deliver the accreditation functions through a combination of funding provided by the National Board/Ahpra and funding from other sources that is provided as a direct result of the Accreditation Authority being assigned and exercising statutory functions under the National Law.

Item 2 – Funds

Total funding for 2023/2024 financial year is: \$4,084,267 (excluding GST).

The total funding amount which excludes GST is made up of the following components:

1. Medical School Accreditation Committee (MedSac) - \$965,797
2. Specialist Education Accreditation Committee (Seac) - \$1,532,121

- includes recognition of medical specialties. Does not include review of applications or monitoring of CPD homes
- 3. Prevocational Accreditation Committee (Prevac) - \$868,457
- 4. Other accreditation - \$303,179
 - includes accreditation of programs for endorsement of acupuncture and cosmetic surgery
- 5. Project costs: Primary Medical Program Accreditation Standards Review - \$149,789
- 6. Project costs: Review of standards for specialist medical training - \$264,924

The funding for components 1 - 6 is payable in four instalments on the following dates and in accordance with clause 5.2 of the Head Agreement.

Date	GST exclusive
1 July 2023	\$1,021,067
1 October 2023	\$1,021,067
1 January 2024	\$1,021,067
1 April 2024	\$1,021,066