

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 2022 to 30 June 2023 includes:

1. the project plans for projects specified in Schedule 4, and
2. the work plans below (accurate at February 2022).

Primary medical qualifications work plan

Medical school	Type of Assessment	Assessment visit and date	Accreditation expires
2022			
University of Sydney (Dubbo) <i>Murray Darling Medical School Network</i>	Follow up from 2021 material change assessment	Yes – early 2022 TBC	March 2025
University of Queensland, Faculty of Medicine	Reaccreditation (including program change)	Yes - May 2022	March 2023
University of New South Wales	Reaccreditation	Yes	March 2023
University of Melbourne, Melbourne Medical School <i>*deferred twice in 2021 due to COVID-19 related travel restrictions</i>	Visit to follow-up 2020 assessment	Yes	March 2027
University of Adelaide, Adelaide Medical School	Reaccreditation (deferred from 2021)	Yes - August 2022	March 2023
University of Western Australia, School of Medicine	Follow up assessment	Yes – TBC 2022	March 2023
University of Newcastle/University of New England, Joint Medical Program	Accreditation Extension – comprehensive report	No	March 2023
University of Notre Dame Australia, Fremantle, School of Medicine	Accreditation Extension – comprehensive report	No	March 2023
University of Wollongong, Graduate School of Medicine	Accreditation Extension – comprehensive report	No	March 2023
Curtin University, Curtin Medical School	Accreditation Extension – comprehensive report	No	March 2023

Medical school	Type of Assessment	Assessment visit and date	Accreditation expires
University of Tasmania, School of Medicine	Accreditation Extension – comprehensive report	No	March 2023
Macquarie University, Faculty of Medicine and Health Sciences	Accreditation Extension – comprehensive report	No	March 2023
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 – comprehensive report	No	March 2024
University of Notre Dame Australia, Sydney School of Medicine	Accreditation Extension – comprehensive report	No	March 2024
Macquarie University – report on accreditation conditions with assessment of clinical teaching at Hyderabad if necessary <i>*likely deferred until 2023, depending on when students being on campus in India</i>	Report on conditions with visit (deferred from 2020 to 2023)	Yes	March 2023
2024			
Flinders University	Reaccreditation	Yes	March 2025
Griffith University	Reaccreditation	Yes	March 2025
Deakin University, School of Medicine	Accreditation Extension – comprehensive report	No	March 2025
Otago University, Otago Medical School	Accreditation Extension – comprehensive report	No	March 2025
University of Sydney, Sydney Medical School	Accreditation Extension – comprehensive report	No	March 2025
2025			
University of Auckland	Reaccreditation		
Bond University	Accreditation Extension – comprehensive report		March 2026

Medical school	Type of Assessment	Assessment visit and date	Accreditation expires
University of Western Australia, School of Medicine	Accreditation Extension – comprehensive report	TBD	TBD
2026			
James Cook University	Reaccreditation	Yes	Yes
University of Melbourne, Melbourne Medical School	Accreditation Extension – comprehensive report	No	March 2021
Western Sydney University	Accreditation Extension – comprehensive report	No	March 2021
Charles Sturt University and Western Sydney University	Accreditation Extension – comprehensive report	No	March 2021

Specialist medical programs work plan

College	Type of Assessment	Site Visit	Accreditation expires
2022			
Australian and New Zealand College of Anaesthetists	Reaccreditation	Yes	March 2023
Royal Australian and New Zealand College of Psychiatrists	Reaccreditation	Yes	March 2023
College of Intensive Care Medicine and Australia and New Zealand	Reaccreditation (deferred from 2021)	Yes	March 2023
Royal Australian and New Zealand College of Ophthalmologists	Accreditation Extension – comprehensive report	TBD	March 2023
Royal College of Pathologists of Australasia	Accreditation Extension – comprehensive report	No	March 2023
Royal Australasian College of Dental Surgeons (Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery)	Accreditation Extension – comprehensive report	No	March 2023
2023			
Royal Australian College of General Practitioners	Reaccreditation	Yes	March 2024

College	Type of Assessment	Site Visit	Accreditation expires
Royal Australian and New Zealand College of Obstetricians and Gynaecologists	Reaccreditation	Yes	March 2024
Royal Australian and New Zealand College of Radiologists	Follow-up	Yes	March 2024
Royal Australasian College of Surgeons – <i>subject to 2021 follow up</i>	Accreditation Extension – comprehensive report	No	March 2024
Australasian College of Dermatologists – <i>subject to 2021 follow up</i>	Accreditation Extension – comprehensive report	No	March 2024
2024			
Royal Australasian College of Physicians	Reaccreditation	Yes	March 2025
Australasian College of Sport and Exercise Physicians	Accreditation Extension – comprehensive report	No	March 2025
Royal Australasian College of Medical Administrators	Accreditation Extension – comprehensive report	No	March 2025
2025			
Australasian College for Emergency Medicine	Accreditation Extension – comprehensive report	No	March 2026
2026			
TBD on the basis of preceding Reaccreditation and Accreditation Extension assessments			

Program for endorsement for acupuncture work plan

College	Type of Assessment	Site Visit	Accreditation expires
2022 - 2026			
Australian Medical Acupuncture College	Accreditation	Yes – 2022	No date set

Assessment of new medical specialties work plan

Proposed Medical Specialty	Type of Assessment	Site Visit
2022		
Genetic Pathology	Detailed (stage 2) assessment of proposal	2022
Rural Generalist Medicine	Detailed (stage 2) assessment of proposal	2022
2022-2025		
<i>Remaining workplan to be determined</i>		

Intern training accreditation authority accreditation work plan

Authority	Type of Assessment	Site Visit	Accreditation expires
2022			
South Australian Medical Education & Training Health Advisory Council	Reaccreditation (deferred from 2021)	Yes	March 2023
NSW Health Education and Training Institute	Accreditation Extension - comprehensive report	No	March 2023
2023			
Canberra Region Medical Education Council	Reaccreditation	Yes	March 2024
Postgraduate Medical Council of Victoria	Reaccreditation	Yes	March 2024
Postgraduate Medical Council of Western Australia	Reaccreditation	Yes	March 2024
2024			
Queensland Department of Health - Prevocational Medical Accreditation Queensland	Accreditation Extension - comprehensive report	No	March 2025
Northern Territory Prevocational Medical Assurance Services	Reaccreditation	Yes	March 2025
2025			
<i>NSW Health Education and Training Institute</i>	<i>Reaccreditation</i>	<i>Yes</i>	<i>March 2026</i>
2026			
Postgraduate Medical Education Council of Tasmania	Accreditation Extension - comprehensive report	No	March 2027

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 3% per annum).
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 2022/2023 financial year is: \$3,367,946 (ex GST).

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

1. Medical school accreditation functions - \$682,260
2. Specialist medical program accreditation functions, including recognition of specialties - \$1,173,983
3. Prevocational accreditation activities including the cost of accrediting intern training accreditation authorities and Pre-Employment Structured Clinical Interview organisations - \$1,270,467

4. Other accreditation activities - \$39,811
5. Project costs: Review of the National Framework for Medical Internship - \$-10,698
6. Projects costs: Primary Medical Program Accreditation Standards Review - \$127,373
7. Project costs: Review of standards for specialist medical training (Phase 1 scoping) - \$84,750

The funding 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 2022	\$841,987
1 October 2022	\$841,987
1 January 2023	\$841,986
1 April 2023	\$841,986