

ANAESTHETICS TRAINING PATHWAY

ENTRY

Registering as an ANZCA trainee is a two-step process:

To Apply:

- General medical registration
- Two years post graduate general hospital experience
 - Minimum PGY1 prior to application (step 1)
 - Minimum PGY2 prior to registrations (step 2)

To Register you must:

- No more than 52 weeks in any combination of anaesthesia, intensive care or pain medicine
- Provide confirmation of appointment to an ANZCA-accredited training position

Application (after PGY1)

To assess eligibility to register as an ANZCA Trainee

Registration (after PGY2)

Once a training position in an ANZCA-accredited training site has been obtained

Anaesthetics Registrar

(ANZCA Trainee)

Full details of the application and registration processes in ANZCA Handbook for Training and Accreditation:

<http://www.anzca.edu.au/documents/training-accreditation-handbook.pdf>

FEES (AUD)

Application Fee (non-refundable):	\$750
Registration Fee:	\$2,435
Annual Training Fee:	\$3,295
Primary Examination Fee:	\$5,525
Final Examination Fee:	\$6,145

The full list of ANZCA fees is available at

<http://www.anzca.edu.au/training/fees>

TRAINING PROGRAM

Clinical Training:

- 6 months Introductory Training (IT)
- 18 months Basic Training (BT)
- 24 months Advanced Training (AT)
- 12 months Provisional Fellowship Training (PFT)

Other Requirements:

- Scholar role activities
- Specialised Study Units

Courses:

- Advanced Life Support (ALS) during IT
- Emergency Management of Severe Trauma (EMST) course during AT
- Emergency Management of Anaesthetic crisis (EMAC) course during PFT

Assessments:

Volume of Practice (VOP)
Workplace Based Assessments (WBA)
Clinical Placement Reviews (CPR)
Core Unit reviews (CUR)

Exams:

Primary Exam after BT
Final Exam after AT
Provisional Fellowship Review after PFT

Minimum 5 years:

The training program is undertaken over five years (260 weeks) during supervised clinical placements within ANZCA-accredited training sites.

Introductory Training

6 months

Basic Training

18 months

Primary Exam

Advanced Training

24 months

Final Exam

Provisional Fellow

Provisional Fellowship Training

12 months

Provisional Fellowship Review

Consultant/Staff Specialist

FANZCA

CPD

Meet ANZCA annual and triennial CPD requirements

Provisional Fellowship Training (PFT)

- Min 52 weeks (12 months)
- VOP, WBA, CPR
- Participation in the ANZCA Continuing Professional Development (CPD) program
- Successful completion of a Provisional Fellowship Review

Training at AWH:



- Albury Wodonga Health is accredited for anesthetic trainees with a range of registrar positions available.
- AWH directly employs 3 Anaesthetics registrars
- AWH host trainees from The Royal Melbourne Hospital and ACT Health.

CPD

Trainees who successfully complete the ANZCA Training Program and are assessed to have met the requirements for admission to fellowship qualify for independent practice as a Specialist Anaesthetist in Australia and New Zealand, and are awarded **Fellowship of Australian and New Zealand College of Anaesthetists (FANZCA)**

Flexible training options are available including:

- Part-time training (min 50%)
- Overseas training
- Interrupted training (max 104 weeks)
- Extended training*