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ADVANCED CRITICAL CARE PRACTITIONERS (ACCP) PROGRAMME SPECIFICATION

This document provides information from within through to qualification for Advanced Critical Care Practitioners (ACCP) training through the Faculty of Intensive Care Medicine (FICM) as a route to a postgraduate certificate in training as an ACCP programme. Some of the sections have been shaded in grey which can be highlighted.

For more detailed information please visit the ACCP website of the FICM website: www.ficm.ac.uk/accp

The ACCP FAQs can also be found as an appendix to check at page 8 onwards.

1. TRAINING ACCP SECTION REQUIREMENTS

Reference	Requirement	Yes	No
1.1	Trainees must be a UK or EEC registered professional, eligible to complete the Health Professions qualification. No current registration must, this would not include Paramedics or NPs.		
1.2	Trainees must have appropriate recent Critical Care experience.		
1.3	Trainees must be able to demonstrate evidence of continuing professional development in Critical Care.		
1.4	Trainees must have a bachelor level degree or be able to demonstrate an equivalent level of qualification.		
1.5	Trainees must have successfully completed a robust selection process which includes Critical Care experience assessment.		
1.6	Trainees must be in a suitable, registered ACCP post, having completed the mandatory 'Fit to Train' selection process in terms of skills and relevant experience.		
1.7	Trainees must attend this programme through the appropriate Postgraduate Diploma/ Masters degree with a Higher Education Institution that is approved by the Health Professions Council.		
1.8	It is recommended the interview and selection process include the following: a) Critical interview b) MCQ/OSCE based question.		

ACCP Programme Specification

A full specification for how to develop a training programme for Advanced Critical Care Practitioners. Read if you are considering training as an ACCP or training an ACCP.

REGIONAL WORKFORCE ENGAGEMENT REPORT: YORKSHIRE & HUMBER

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Regional Workforce Report: Yorkshire & Humber

Full report from the workforce engagement FICM undertook with the Yorkshire & Humber region. Of interest for both members in region and those in the rest of the UK who would like to see how their colleagues are managing their own service and training requirements.

Workforce in Intensive Care Medicine

RECRUITMENT TO RETIREMENT Census Update for Fellows and Members

"Is there anyone out there? We are listening."

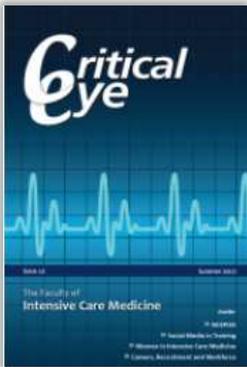
The recent census of our workforce is a valuable tool to understand our workforce in terms of recruitment, retention, and training. It is a snapshot of the workforce at a particular point in time and provides a baseline for future comparisons. The census also allows us to identify areas where we need to focus our efforts to improve recruitment and retention. We are listening to our workforce and we are committed to supporting them in their professional development and training needs. We will continue to work with our members to ensure we are providing the best possible support for them.

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Recruitment to Retention: A Census Update for Fellows and Members

A summary of the last two years of the FICM workforce census, detailing how it has helped the FICM take forward a workforce strategy and the next steps on that strategy.

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Critical Eye (Summer 2017 Edition)

Bi-annual newsletter with key Faculty updates on all our major work streams and projects with special articles on topics as varied as leadership, Women in ICM and FOAMed.



Guidance on Competency Sign-Off for ICM Training

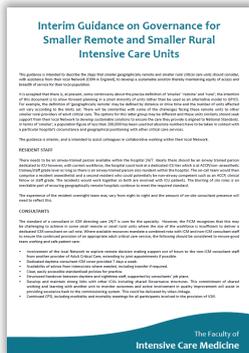
A guidance document for trainers and doctors in training regarding how to help reduce assessment burden during competency sign off and standardise assessment standards between regions.



Transparency Data: The Cost of Training

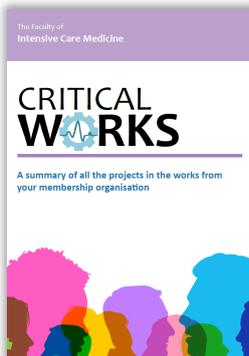
Information released with the FPM and the RCoA (with whom we share an Examinations Department) detailing how examination income is used to run and develop the FFICM Examination.

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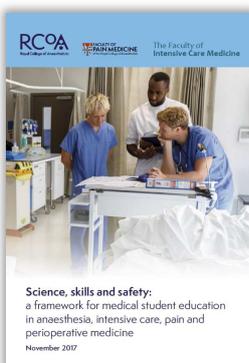
Interim Guidance on Governance for Remote & Rural Units

Guidance prepared by the Smaller and Specialist Units Advisory Group of the FICM for remote and rural units on how to manage governance in light of GPICS Version 1. Now in its second edition.



Critical Works: A summary of all the projects in the works from your membership organisation

A membership summary of the activities of the FICM over the last two years from the Board and our plans for the coming months. Read if you would like a simple, easy-to-reference summary of FICM activities and if you would like to tell us what FICM should be doing in 2018.



Science, Skills & Safety: An undergraduate framework

A framework on the teaching of undergraduate intensive care medicine, undertaken with the RCoA (anaesthetic and perioperative medicine) and the FPM (pain medicine). For all those involved in or who would like to champion the teaching of intensive care medicine to medical students.