

# Australian General Practice Training (AGPT) Program 2020:

## ACRRM and RACGP overviews

To become a specialist general practitioner in Australia, you are required to obtain fellowship with the Australian College of Rural and Remote Medicine (ACRRM) and/or the Royal Australian College of General Practitioners (RACGP) and obtain vocational registration as a specialist general practitioner.

	ACRRM	RACGP
<b>Duration</b>	4 Years—Fellowship of the Australian College of Rural and Remote Medicine (FACRRM)	3 years—Fellowship of the Royal Australian College of General Practitioners FRACGP 4 years—FRACGP + Fellowship of Advanced Rural General Practice (FARGP)
<b>Pathway</b>	Registrars pursuing fellowship with ACRRM do their AGPT training on the rural pathway. For more information on ACRRM Fellowship training, please visit <a href="http://www.acrrm.org.au/training-towards-fellowship/overview-of-fellowship-training">http://www.acrrm.org.au/training-towards-fellowship/overview-of-fellowship-training</a>	Registrars pursuing fellowship with the RACGP can do their AGPT training on either the general or rural pathway. For more information on RACGP Fellowship training, please visit <a href="http://racgp.org.au/agpt">racgp.org.au/agpt</a>
<b>Program Structure</b>	12 months Core Clinical Time (CCT), usually completed in hospital. 24 months Primary Rural and Remote Training (PRRT1-4) in ACRRM accredited facilities must include a minimum of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 6 months community primary care</li> <li>• 6 months hospital and emergency care</li> <li>• 12 months rural/remote experience</li> </ul> 12 months in Advanced Specialised Training (AST)	12 months Hospital Training Time (HTT) 18 months General Practice (GPT1-3) in RACGP accredited facility/training practices: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 3 x 6 month terms in general practice</li> <li>• 6 months Extended Skills*</li> </ul> <i>*Can be undertaken at any stage of your training, with the exception of Aboriginal health or general practice placements which have to be after you have completed GPT1-3.</i>
<b>Fellowship Assessments</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Procedural Logbook (online)</li> <li>• Multiple Choice Questions (MCQ), in second, third or fourth year (\$1,460)</li> <li>• Multi-source feedback (MSF) (Refer to CEFEP)—feedback from patients and colleagues.</li> <li>• Case Based Discussion (CBD) assessment, a discussion of six clinical cases; in third or fourth year (\$1,795)</li> <li>• Structured assessment using multiple patient scenarios (StAMPS) (\$2,995)</li> </ul> For more information on assessments please visit <a href="http://www.acrrm.org.au/training-towards-fellowship/reporting-and-assessments">www.acrrm.org.au/training-towards-fellowship/reporting-and-assessments</a>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Applied Knowledge Test (AKT), after GPT2 (currently \$2,260)</li> <li>• Key Feature Problems (KFP), after GPT2 (currently \$2,260)</li> <li>• Objective Structured Clinical Examination (OSCE), after passing the AKT and KFP (currently \$4,475)</li> </ul> For more information on assessments please visit <a href="http://www.racgp.org.au/education/fellowship/exams/">www.racgp.org.au/education/fellowship/exams/</a>

