

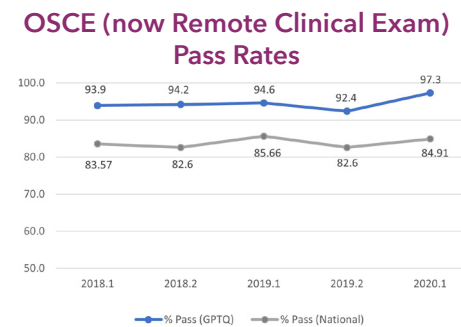
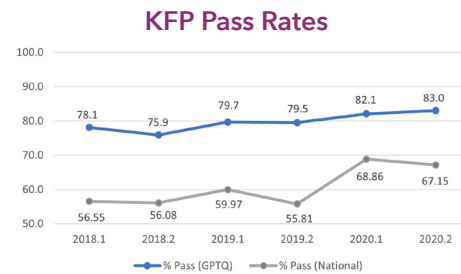
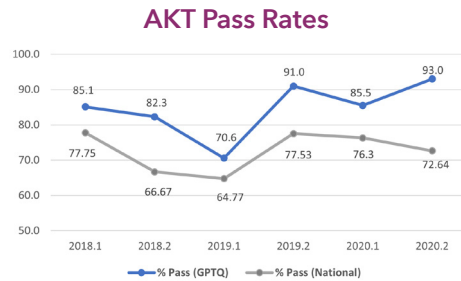


GPTQ registrar exam performance

2018-20



In 2020 GPTQ registrars achieved **very high pass rates** across all three RACGP exams (AKT, KFP, OSCE).

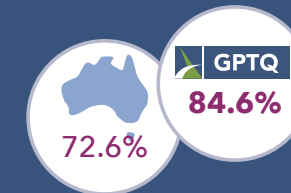


GPTQ registrar exam pass rates ranged between **5.8% and 21.5%** higher than national average pass rate.

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AKT Applied Knowledge Test

Designed to test the application of knowledge in the clinical context of Australian General Practice



GPTQ's pass rates were 12% above national average in the last 6 exam cycles.

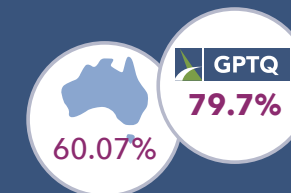
GPTQ's AKT pass rates for 2020 averaged 89.3% (14.8% above national average).



KFP Key Feature Problem exam

Designed to test the clinical reasoning and clinical decision-making of the candidate

GPTQ's best exam results were achieved in KFP, which is considered the most challenging of the three exams.



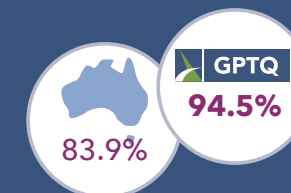
Over the last 6 exam cycles GPTQ's KFP results averaged 19.7% above national levels.

In 2020 GPTQ's KFP pass rate was 82.6% (14.6% above national average).



OSCE Objective Structured Clinical Examination (now Remote Clinical Exam)

Designed to assess how a candidate integrates their applied knowledge and clinical reasoning, when presented with a range of clinical scenarios.



Over the last 5 exam cycles GPTQ's clinical exam results have averaged 10.6% above national levels.

In 2020.1 (first cycle) GPTQ's clinical exam pass rate was 97.3% (12.4% above national average)



Our approach to exam preparation

We host a number of college-specific pre-exam (or exam preparation) workshops for our registrars. We begin our exam preparation early by integrating clinical reasoning into the hub and district teaching program. This includes specific clinical reasoning sessions known as 'Stump-The-Chump', where registrars, supervisors and medical educators review and analyse cases. Online education modules are made available for all registrars and extension materials are offered to our rural registrars, which include emergency/inpatient/transfer components.

GPTQ's RACGP Facebook Exam Preparation Group

This online study group for registrars is run by our Medical Education team. Each week the team focuses on a new topic and practice questions are written based on GP BEACH data.

Key outcomes:

- peer collaboration
- paced exam prep
- content covering both General and Rural pathways
- pastoral care check-ins

OSCE preparation evenings

At these workshop-style evenings registrars work through a series of cases with supervisors and medical educators.

StAMPs preparation sessions

This is a six week targeted program to prepare ACRRM registrars for both General and AST related StAMPs assessments (delivered remotely).

Progress testing

Regular progress testing exams allow our registrars to gauge how they are travelling with their learning, while assisting medical educators and supervisors to make early support interventions if issues arise. This is an important part of GPTQ's customised early detection strategy. An added dimension to each GPTQ exam is the inclusion of 'reflection' moments, where registrars are asked to reflect on their confidence in answering a question. Over time this practice develops a strong reflective capacity, allowing the registrar to more easily self-identify and address gaps in their learning.

