

Entry into Higher Training (ST4) Anaesthesia - Round 3 (February 2024 start)

Background

In 2021 the Anaesthetics Curriculum changed to a 3 year core and a 4 year higher programme. This led to some doctors in training having to take up a CT3 top up post to meet the new requirements, changing some of the paperwork required as evidence of eligibility for a Higher Training post(ST4). Please see the points below to ensure you have understood the requirements for longlisting by the Anaesthetic National Recruitment Office (ANRO) and the timelines:

- Doctors in a UK anaesthetics or ACCS Core Training posts with a National Training Number (NTN) should present evidence of the Full Primary FRCA exam at the point of **offer**. Your exam status will be checked by the long listing team in the ANRO **prior to invitation to interview**.
- Any other applicant should have evidence of the Full Primary FRCA exam at the **time of application** and **evidence of Stage 1 equivalence** at the time of **offer**.