

Commitment to Specialty

Descriptor Domains	Positive Indicators	Negative Indicators
Commitment to Specialty	Clear evidence of previous exposure to anaesthesia including undergraduate placements in anaesthesia / ICU, taster sessions, career open days	No /poor evidence of previous exposure to anaesthesia and commitment to a career in anaesthesia
Insight into Anaesthesia	Good insight and knowledge regarding a career in anaesthesia and role of a core anaesthetic trainee	Limited knowledge and insight into the role of a core trainee in anaesthesia
Knowledge of the anaesthesia / ACCS training scheme	Clear evidence of knowledge of anaesthesia / ACCS training scheme applied	No knowledge or vague reference to training scheme structure
Career development	Demonstrated clear vision of opportunities available for career development within training program	No or limited ideas regarding future career development

Score:

1	No reference to the merits of anaesthesia / ACCS training scheme or career in anaesthesia. All negative indicators
2	Limited evidence of knowledge of anaesthesia / ACCS training scheme and insight into anaesthesia
3	Some evidence of knowledge of anaesthesia / ACCS training scheme & opportunities on offer.
4	Good knowledge of anaesthesia / ACCS training scheme & opportunities on offer. Evidence of previous commitment to anaesthesia.
5	Excellent knowledge of anaesthesia / ACCS training scheme, with a clearly defined career development plan to maximise training opportunities. Range of evidence to support intention to follow career in anaesthesia.