

Trainee Event 27 April 2021 Participant Questions

If you have already completed the intermediate SJP, would you still need to complete the MRCEM OSCE?

No, passes in Intermediate SJP remain valid for progression to ST4 & for entry to the FRCEM Final exams. Candidates need to have passed the Intermediate SAQ or new SBA too

The SLO8,11,12 in the final SBA. Will the college publish model questions for the above mentioned items ? Yes- they will be available

I have full MRCEM but no SJP, can I still sit the new FRCEM final SBA in September? From August 2021, yes you will be eligible to Final exams as you have MRCEM

Does the college advocate trainees who have passed the SJP to also sit the MRCEM OSCE?

No, we don't. Principle for all assessments in the curriculum is that if a trainee has completed an assessment then it's banked and there is no need to 'go back' and repeat. I wouldn't recommend doing exams you don't need to.

I have completed FRCEM primary, FRCEM intermediate SAQ and MRCEM OSCE and received MRCEM, do I still need to give SJP to progress to HST? When are you due to progress to ST4? I am in ST1 currently Your MRCEM will be recognised for entry to ST4

Do you need to complete/pass the MRCEM SBA exam prior to completing MRCEM OSCE or can you do OSCE first?

You need to pass the MRCEM SBA to be eligible to sit MRCEM OSCE

Will I need to do any additional exams if I achieved MRCEM prior to 2018 (done in 2015) if I want to apply for HST?

No, your MRCEM is recognised for entry to HST

If you have MRCEM you will not need to have passed the SJP from Aug 2021. The GMC have agreed that from August 2021, MRCEM obtained between 2018-2021 will be recognised again

What is NES? NES - current portfolio



For non-deanery trainees (intending to CESR), how will the Kaizen system work? (I.e. will there be a specific programme type)

CESR applicants will have access to all relevant curricula. Until February 2022, CESR applicants can choose whether to submit against the 2015 or 2021 curriculum. After Feb 2022, all CESR submission need to be against the 2021 curriculum

I passed FRCEM intermediate (both SAQ and SJT) in 2018 as ST1. I note this has currency for 7 years to be able to do final. What happens if training is extended due to OOPE/LTFT/maternity leave etc, so you may not be in position to sit those exams within the 7 years, with FRCEM final historically sat in ST6? Thanks There is no currency for passes in FRCEM Intermediate SAQ & SJP (ie do not time expire after 7 years). Passes in clinical components of FRCEM Final are valid for 7 years so all candidates have 7 years to pass the FRCEM OSCE and FRCEM SBA and obtain FRCEM

I passed MRCEM in May 2014. will that be ok to sit the FRCEM exams on return from maternity leave? Is MRCEM valid no matter when it was taken? MRCEM achieved from August 2012 onwards are valid for sitting FRCEM.

Will the procedural dops be transferred over? Or will we have to redo the ICM competencies again next year?

No need to redo anything. If you need something specific for evidence it will be coming across from NES- but this should not be a big requirement

Will the critical appraisal questions be included in FRCEM final SBA?

The blueprint does include this SLO. The exam blueprints are online now on the exam regulations page

Will this presentation recording be available to watch later for colleagues who were unable to join? Yes

Will ST3s still be required to spend about 50% of their training in Paeds? Yes

I know you mentioned we will be able to read only and download current portfolio forms etc but will we be able to link them to the new SLO's - or is the linking business also being changed?

You cant use old forms to link to SLOs. We have built new forms into the new eP platform



Hospital PC's often = Explorer! They are all outdated. Will it work but just be temperamental or will it not work at all?

You cannot use Kaizen on Internet Explorer, Microsoft will no longer have updates available, and this puts at risk the security of systems and data. We will be reaching out to all Trusts to request that they have an alternative browser available including the NHS IT upgrade from Internet Explorer to Edge, Chrome.

If we've already done the FRCEM primary/Intermediate SAQ and SJP in ST1 we won't need to do the OSCE to progress to ST4, is that right? That's correct

If you have done primary and SJT is it just the MCEM SBA I need to progress to ST4? Yes, it needs to be passed first

Do we need to pass FRCEM final SBA before we can sit FRCEM final OSCE No, FRCEM SBA and OSCE can be sat in either order. There remains a minimum training/ experience requirement to sit

What happens to procedures such as CVC insertion that ST2's such as myself will have been signed off on this year and may not have the chance to repeat next year?

Everything signed off in the 2015 curriculum remains signed off

So you cant use the forms done now before the august changeover to link to sections in the new curriculum? The new curriculum comes in part way through my CT3 training year.

This only really applies to procedural skills. There is no need to 'get ahead' on the new curriculum. The learning in year is the point in the workplace

If someone has had one year ED work experience as a registrar as a non-trainee, would they be able to sit for FRCEM final exams during ST4? Experience as a non-trainee counts towards eligibility requirements for exams

If FRCEM QIP passed, does a trainee need to do a new QIP every year? No



Is there a way to transfer/download assessments on Kaizen to submit onto another platform? I am a dual ICM trainee and will need to cross-link competencies with the life-long learning platform

> answered in video

I already have a kaizen system for paediatrics (for my clinical fellow paeds placements) - will my new EM kaizen merge with my older one? (I think Kaizen is a great system) or will I need to maintain two kaizen accounts? > answered in video

With the new curriculum are the common competences a thing of the past? eg. the entrustment scale will replace the L1-4 competency rankings? > answered in video

I noticed one procedure ie Resuscitative hysterectomy, do we need to do a course for it or spend time in Obyn >answered in video

For those of us that are part time etc are these time frames e.g. time to completing training/ completing exams extended to take into account that part time element. Thanks

>answered in video

Is a more prescriptive curriculum going to be released for the immediate SBA? Will be very difficult to revise for if it covers everything in every SLO, especially as this is the same 'syllabus' as the final SBA. How do we know what depth of knowledge is needed for the intermediate level? Sorry if thats not explained well >answered in video

Why are LTFT CESR candidates not given the same length of time to stay on the old curriculum as LTFT trainees? >answered in video

Apologies if this was already covered, will LTFT trainees (~80%) be able to finish in the same time frame as full time trainees if this is competency based? >answered in video

When is the exam blueprint going to be available please? >answered in video

If you are now in HST do you need to show evidence of the 2 new ACCS procedural skills? >answered in video

Does the new curriculum setup make it more challenging for CESR doctors to make it to the specialist register? >answered in video

Can assessments completed on Kaizen be transferred to other learning platforms e.g. dual trainees? >answered in video



As a CESR 'Trainer' will there be a specific section in the new info you provide aimed at CESR candidates? >answered in video

Can anyone shed some light on the final osce exam changes as will there be change in the structure, duration or number of stations? >answered in video

As part of critical appraisal and QIP competencies, could we have some of our regional training days dedicated for Journal reviews or QIPs? >answered in video

In terms of procedural skills development, can RCEM help trainees with more hands on RCEM study days/ simulation days? >answered in video

If you are currently completing the curriculum competancies for a training year (say ST3) up to the august changeover and then afterwards you will be expected to do the competancies on the new curriculum for an ST3. Will there be similarities between these or will you end up with having do all the ST3 new curriculum competancies after the august changeover (in the later half of your ST3 year). >answered in video

If there isn't a set list of competencies- surely we could show developed in a few areas over the year but actually be still missing out on certain subjects just because we didn't get them assessed. How can we be ensured that we really get a well rounded exposure and assessment. ie Will someone be able to come back at us at appraisal and say well you haven't shown much in the area of surgical patient... >answered in video

EDT - why not for ACCS (ST1/2) trainees?

>answered in video

Because ACCS is intercollegiate, RCEM cannot make it a specific requirement, just a recommendation

EDT information can be found here:

https://www.rcem.ac.uk/docs/Training/Educational%20Development%20Time%20-%20TSC%20Recommendations%20Feb%202021.pdf

Information packs for the new exams are available on the website

https://www.rcem.ac.uk/RCEM/Exams Training/Exams/Regulations Info Packs/RCE M/Exams_Training/Exams/Regulations_Info_Packs.aspx?hkey=bf869f0e-de0b-4464b82b-77bdece214aa

Info pack for FRCEM Final -

https://www.rcem.ac.uk/docs/Exams/FRCEM%20Final%20Information%20and%20reg ulations%202021.pdf