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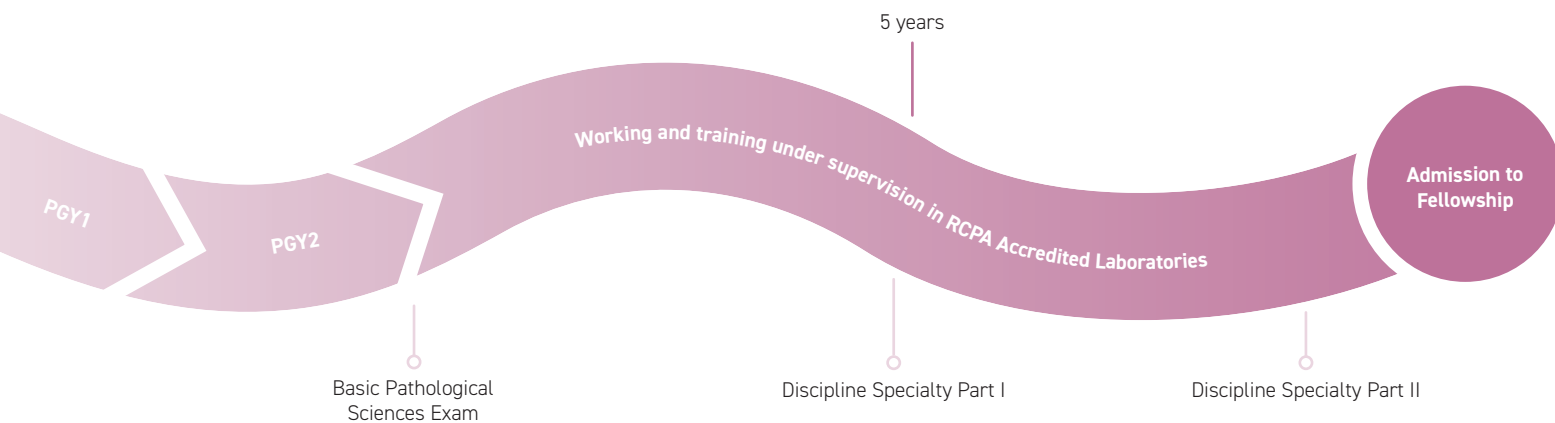
ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

MEDICAL REGISTRATION	COMPLETED POSTGRADUATE (PG) YEARS	CLINICAL EXPERIENCE	OTHER
General Medical Registration	Min completion of PGY2+ prior to application	Must be employed in a training position in accredited laboratory	Training can be undertaken in: General, Anatomical, Chemical, Genetic or Forensic Pathology; Haematology; Immunopathology, or Microbiology

TRAINING PATHWAY

TRAINING	OTHER REQUIREMENTS	COURSES	ASSESSMENT	EXAMS	ADDITIONAL INFO
5 years in an accredited laboratory (for Pathology only training) Joint programs may be 4 years	Nil	Discipline-specific handbooks for each RCPA program can be downloaded from the RCPA website	Ongoing - linked to exams	Basic Pathological Science Exam - before or during first year Discipline Specialty Part 1 - 3rd year Discipline Specialty Part 2 - final year	Joint training programs linked to the Royal College of Physicians (RACP) in Chemical Pathology, Haematology, Immunopathology and Microbiology (dual Fellowship opportunities) Reciprocal training arrangements with RACP for Clinical Genetics/Medical Genomics Part-time/interrupted training options and RPL may apply

MINIMUM 5 YEARS (PATHOLOGY ONLY TRAINING) AFTER PGY2+



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APPLICATION/ SELECTION	TRAINEE REGISTRATION	ANNUAL TRAINING	EXAMS/ASSESSMENTS	OTHER
N/A	\$110	\$1,870	Basic Pathological Sciences: for current medical students \$165; all other applicants \$780 Discipline Specialty Part 1 \$3,200 Discipline Specialty Part 2 \$3,200	Other fees may apply Admission to Fellowship \$990



ABORIGINAL AND TORRES STRAIT ISLANDER APPLICANTS

Australian Indigenous Doctors' Association (AIDA): www.aida.org.au

PATHWAY	ADMISSION & PLACEMENT	FEES
Pathology Fellowship Training	Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islanders who meet the minimum standards proceed immediately to interview.	Standard fees apply Scholarships and fee waivers are available



SUPPORT FROM AIDA	ADDITIONAL COLLEGE INFORMATION
<p>AIDA offers Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander trainees and applicants:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CV and selection criteria review • Job interview preparation • Cultural support • Study planning • Performance coaching <p>AIDA also holds an annual conference and has a Specialist Trainee Network with online and face to face workshops.</p> <p>Contact: Bianca Field, Specialist Trainee Support Officer bianca.field@aida.org.au or stsp@aida.org.au</p>	<p>Applications for reduction or waiver of fees can be filed for 'Release or Remission of Subscriptions/Fees because of Financial Hardship or other circumstances' which is available from the College.</p> <p>For medical students there is a \$2000 scholarship available for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander medical student to complete a pathology project.</p>

FIND YOUR LOCAL REGIONAL TRAINING HUB

