

Paediatric National Recruitment 2021

Structure for 2021 Paediatric recruitment – Plan A

- Still 4 Nation with standard medical application form
- MSRA to cover Governance, Clinical reasoning, elements of Communications
- Application form to cover Past achievements, Clinical experience, Career motivation, Transferable Skills, Reflection
- 25-minute interview with 2 assessors to cover Communications, Career motivation, Reflective practice
- Overall scores weighting:
 1. MSRA – 20%
 2. Application form – 30%
 3. Interview – 50%

Structure for 2021 Paediatric recruitment – Plan B

- MSRA to cover Governance, Clinical reasoning, elements of Communications
- Application form to cover Past achievements, Clinical experience, Career motivation, Transferable Skills, Reflection
- Overall scores weighting:
 1. MSRA – 40%
 2. Application form – 60%

Interview

- Career motivation
- Role models
- Demonstrating understanding of paediatrics and attributes of a good paediatrician
- Reflection
- Communication skills

Application form

- Additional qualifications
- MRCPCH exams
- Transferable Clinical Skills
- Transferable Clinical experience and Reflection
- QIP/Audit
- Leadership/management
- Academic Achievements
- Teaching
- Supporting Statement – What makes you suited to a career in paediatrics?
- Will be overlap with some interview areas, in case of need for Plan B – use it to help prep

MSRA

- Clinical reasoning
- Governance
- Communication
- Two-part assessment: Professional Dilemmas + Clinical Problem Solving
- Administered via Pearson Vue test centres – remote access will be made available if necessary
- Will be providing details of how best to prepare