



AMA Council of Doctors in Training:

Trainee College, Association and Society (CAS) Forum

Friday 19th November

CPMC Update: Impacts of COVID-19 on Specialist Medical Colleges Education, Training & Assessment

CHAT & QUESTIONS SUBMITTED DURING THE SESSION

| Name | Comment |
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| Sarah Davis | Hi, I am representing the Internal Medicine Society. In our recent annual scientific meeting General Medicine advanced trainees and their training committee expressed concern that they have been disproportionately recruited (in comparison to other specialties) to cover covid wards. This has taken them out of their core training terms and thus affected their training. Has this been acknowledged and will there be efforts made to ensure our training will be recognised and this does not recur if there is a future outbreak? |
| Robert Nayer | Was there discussion about the type of exams and if they accurately assessed competencies? Or how colleges assured the validity of their exams in the age of COVID? |
| Hannah | Are the colleges looking at the MTS data and if so how are they using it to improve training? |
| Laura Raiti | What are the colleges doing to create a culturally safe training environment for First Nations trainees? |
| Hannah | How do you think we've gone in managing workforce supply and demand during COVID and how will we manage this in 2022? Especially with our reliance on internationally trained doctors supplying EDs and rural areas. |