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- Print clearly in **BLOCK LETTERS** using a black or blue pen
- Place **X** in **ALL** applicable boxes
- These questions are optional

Today's date:

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SECTION A: Your details

1. Where did you obtain your initial medical degree?

Mark one box only

- Australia
- New Zealand
- Other overseas - *specify country below:*

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2. What year did you graduate from medical school?

Y	Y	Y	Y
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3. If you have a specialist qualification in medicine, where did you obtain your initial specialist qualification?

Mark one box only

- I do not have specialist qualification
- Australia
- New Zealand
- Other overseas - *specify country below:*

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SECTION B: Your employment

i For the following questions, employed includes: The practice of medicine, or work that is principally concerned with that discipline, e.g. research, administration or teaching of medicine, in which you worked in Australia for a total of one hour or more **LAST WEEK** in a job or business (including own business) for pay, commission, payment in kind or profit.

4. LAST WEEK, were you working in medicine in Australia?

Mark one box only

- YES, including on leave for less than three months
Go to question 9
- YES, but currently on leave for three months or more
Go to question 9
- NO
Go to the next question

5. LAST WEEK, why were you not working in medicine in Australia?

Mark one box only

- Working in medicine overseas
Go to the next question
- Working in an occupation other than medicine
Go to question 7
- Not working in paid employment at all
Go to question 8
- Retired from regular work
Go to question 38

6. LAST WEEK, what field of medicine were you working in?

Provide answer below, then go to question 8

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7. LAST WEEK, what was your occupation?

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8. LAST WEEK, did you take active steps to look for work in medicine in Australia?



Looking for work includes (either part-time or full-time):

- applying for work
- enquiring about a job
- answering an advertisement
- registering with an employment agency
- advertising for work, or
- contacting people about a job.

NO Go to question 38

YES Go to question 38

For questions 9–25, if you were on leave LAST WEEK, answer for a typical week. Exclude hours on call not worked.

9. LAST WEEK, how many hours did you work in total in medicine?

Clinical roles

including the provision of imaging and laboratory services and managers and supervisors also providing clinical services hours

Non-clinical roles

including teacher or educator, researcher, administrator or other hours

TOTAL hours

10. On average how many hours PER WEEK did you practice via tele-health in medicine?



Tele-health is the use of telecommunication techniques for the purpose of providing telemedicine, medical education and health education over a distance.

hours

11. LAST WEEK, of the hours that you worked in your clinical roles, how many hours did you work in each sector in medicine?

Private hospitals

hours

Public hospitals – inpatients

hours

Private rooms

hours

Public hospitals – outpatients

hours

Private – other

hours

Public – other

hours

12. LAST WEEK, in your clinical role, did you supervise medical students, junior doctors and/or vocational registrars?



Medical students: A person who is studying medicine at a university.

Junior doctors: A medical practitioner in prevocational medical training (intern, PGY2 and above).

Vocational registrars: A medical practitioner in a specialist training program.

Mark one box only

NO Go to question 14

YES Go to the next question

13. LAST WEEK, in your clinical role, for how many hours did you supervise medical students, junior doctors and/or vocational registrars?



Please record the amount of supervision hours that each student, doctor or registrar received from you (i.e. if you were supervising two students simultaneously for four hours, please record this as eight hours).

Medical students

Private sector hours

Public sector hours

Junior doctors

Private sector hours

Public sector hours

Vocational registrars

Private sector hours

Public sector hours

For the following questions, answer for the job in which you worked the most hours LAST WEEK.

14. LAST WEEK, what was your principal role in your main job in medicine?

Mark one box only

Clinician (including the provision of imaging and laboratory services and managers and supervisors also providing clinical services)

Administrator (including managers not providing clinical services)

Teacher or educator

Researcher

Other – specify below:

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15. LAST WEEK, what was the principal area of your main job in medicine?

Mark one box only

- General practitioner (GP) (excluding AGPT program trainees)
Go to the next question
- Specialist (other than GP) (including VMOs and SMOs)
Go to question 24
- Specialist-in-training (including AGPT program trainees)
Go to question 18
- Hospital non-specialist (including pre-vocational doctors)
Go to question 17
- Other clinician
Go to question 18
- Non-clinician
Go to question 18

16. LAST WEEK, were you working in General Practice with specialist registration in General Practice?

Mark one box only

- NO **Go to question 18**
- YES **Go to question 19**

17. LAST WEEK, what was your position in the hospital?

Mark one box only

- Intern
- Resident Medical Officer (RMO)
- Hospital Medical Officer (HMO)
- Career Medical Officer (CMO)
- Principal House Officer (PHO)
- Registrar - accredited
- Registrar - unaccredited
- Other - **specify below:**

18. LAST WEEK, were you a RACGP and/or ACRRM trainee?

- NO
- YES

19. LAST WEEK, were you working as a General Practitioner with advanced skills?

- NO **Go to question 22**
- YES **Go to the next question**

20. LAST WEEK, what was the principal advanced skill of your main job as a General Practitioner?

- Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health
- Academic
- Acupuncture
- Adult internal medicine
- Anaesthetics
- Emergency medicine
- Drug and alcohol
- Lactation consultant
- Mental health
- Obstetrics and gynaecology
- Paediatrics and child health
- Palliative care
- Population health
- Refugee health
- Remote medicine
- Sexual health
- Skin Cancer
- Surgery
- Other - **specify below:**

21. LAST WEEK, did you use these advanced skills in a regional, rural or remote location?

- NO **Go to the next question**
- YES **Go to the next question**

22. Do you intend to undertake specialty training?

- NO **Go to question 24**
- YES **Go to the next question**

23. In which specialty field do you intend to undertake training?



Refer to the Specialty fields table on page 8. Find the relevant specialty field and enter the corresponding number for the specialty field in the box below.

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For questions 29–30

- Specialty field 1 relates to the specialty in which you worked the most hours LAST WEEK.
- Specialty field 2 (if applicable) relates to the specialty in which you worked the second most hours LAST WEEK.

29. In which specialty field(s) did you work the most hours LAST WEEK?

i Refer to the specialty fields table on page 8. Find the relevant specialty field and enter the corresponding number for the specialty field in the box below.

Specialty field 1

Specialty field 2 (if applicable)

30. LAST WEEK, how many clinical hours did you work in each sector in your specialty field(s)?

Sector	Specialty field 1	Specialty field 2 (if applicable)
Private hospitals	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> hours	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> hours
Private rooms	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> hours	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> hours
Private (other)	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> hours	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> hours
Public hospitals (inpatients)	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> hours	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> hours
Public hospitals (outpatients)	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> hours	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> hours
Public - other	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> hours	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> hours

SECTION D: Specialist training

31. Are you in a specialty training program that will lead to fellowship of a college?

NO **▶ Go to question 36**

YES **▶ Go to the next question**

32. When you complete your training, in which specialty field(s) will you be qualified to practice?

i Refer to the specialty fields table on page 8. Find the relevant specialty field and enter the corresponding number for the specialty field in the box below.

Specialty field 1

Specialty field 2 (if applicable)

33. In which year(s) did you commence your specialty training program(s)?

Specialty field 1

Specialty field 2 (if applicable)

34. In which year(s) do you intend to complete your specialty training program?

Specialty field 1

Specialty field 2 (if applicable)

35. What year of your training program(s) are you in?

i For example:

- If you are in your first year of an advanced training program but have done three years of basic training, please respond 4th year, or
- If you have been completing your training part time for three years, but you are in the second year of the training program, please respond 2nd year.

Specialty field 1

- 1st year
- 2nd year
- 3rd year
- 4th year
- 5th year
- 6th year
- 7th year
- 8th year

Specialty field 2

- 1st year
- 2nd year
- 3rd year
- 4th year
- 5th year
- 6th year
- 7th year
- 8th year

SECTION E: Workforce intentions

36. In total, how many years have you worked in medicine in Australia?

i Include years regardless of full-time or part-time status. Exclude time spent not working and unpaid leave.

whole years

37. How many more years do you intend to remain in the medicine workforce in Australia?

whole years

SECTION F: Your details

38. Do you identify as an Australian Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander person?

Mark one box only

- NO
- YES - Aboriginal
- YES - Torres Strait Islander
- YES - Both Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander

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39. Are you a temporary resident?

NO **Thank you, no further questions**

YES

Specify your visa type below

- 309 - Partner (offshore)
- 402 - Training and Research
- 417 - Working Holiday
- 422 - Medical Practitioner
- 444 - Special Category
- 457 - Business (Long Stay)/Temporary Work (Skilled)
- 485 - Skilled (Graduate)
- 572 - Vocational Education and Training Sector
- 573 - Higher Education Sector
- 574 - Postgraduate Research Sector
- 820 - Partner (onshore)
- TSS - Temporary Skill Shortage
- Other

SECTION G: Additional COVID related questions



The following questions will be collected as a once-off this year to provide insights into how COVID-19 has impacted the medical workforce.

40. As a result of COVID-19...

a. My hours

- Increased
- Stayed the same
- Decreased

b. I lost my job or most of my income

- Yes
- No
- Not applicable

c. My graduation was brought forward

- Yes
- No
- Not applicable

d. My training was delayed

- Yes
- No
- Not applicable

e. My exams were delayed

- Yes
- No
- Not applicable

f. My qualification as a specialist was delayed

- Yes
- No
- Not applicable

g. I worked in a different role as a:

Mark one box only

- No
Go to question 44
- Not applicable
Go to question 44
- Clinician
Go to the next question
- Administrator (including managers not providing clinical services)
Go to question 43
- Teacher or educator
Go to question 43
- Researcher
Go to question 43
- Other - **specify below, then go to question 43:**

41. Where did you work in your COVID-19 clinical role?

Select all that apply

- GP respiratory clinic
- Hospital fever/respiratory clinic – out patients
- Respiratory medicine – in patient
- Intensive or high-dependency care unit
- General medicine
- Infectious diseases
- COVID-19 outbreak emergency response team
- Public health
- Laboratory
- Diagnostic imaging
- Other - **specify below:**

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**42. At what level were you employed in your COVID-19 clinical role?**

Mark one box only

- Intern
- Resident Medical Officer (RMO)
- Hospital Medical Officer (HMO)
- Career Medical Officer (CMO)
- Principal House Officer (PHO)
- Registrar – accredited
- Registrar – unaccredited
- Staff specialist/consultant

43. In the future, I plan to:

Mark one box only

- Return to my previous role
- Stay in my COVID-19 role
- Other

44. Do you have any additional information you would like to provide?

Thank you, no further questions. Please return this workforce survey to Ahpra in the same envelope as your renewal application.

**Specialty field**

Physician		Radiology		57	Paediatric respiratory and sleep medicine
1	Cardiology	29	Diagnostic radiology	58	Paediatric rheumatology
2	Clinical genetics	30	Diagnostic ultrasound	59	Specialist paediatrician
3	Clinical pharmacology	31	Nuclear medicine	Pathology	
4	Endocrinology	Obstetrics and gynaecology		60	General pathology
5	Gastroenterology and hepatology	32	Gynaecological oncology	61	Anatomical pathology (including cytopathology)
6	General medicine	33	Maternal-fetal medicine	62	Chemical pathology
7	Geriatric medicine	34	Obstetrics and gynaecological ultrasound	63	Haematology
8	Haematology	35	Reproductive endocrinology and infertility	64	Immunology
9	Immunology and allergy	36	Urogynaecology	65	Microbiology
10	Infectious diseases	37	Specialist obstetrician and gynaecologist	66	Forensic pathology
11	Medical oncology	Paediatrics and child health		67	Specialist pathologist
12	Nephrology	38	Clinical genetics	Intensive care medicine	
13	Neurology	39	Community and child health	85	Paediatric intensive care medicine
14	Nuclear medicine	40	General paediatrics	86	Specialist intensive care physician
15	Respiratory and sleep medicine	41	Neonatal and perinatal medicine	68	General practice
16	Rheumatology	42	Paediatric cardiology	69	Anaesthesia
17	Specialist physician	43	Paediatric clinical pharmacology	70	Psychiatry
Surgery		44	Paediatric emergency medicine	71	Emergency medicine
18	Cardio-thoracic surgery	45	Paediatric endocrinology	72	Ophthalmology
19	General surgery	46	Paediatric gastroenterology and hepatology	73	Dermatology
20	Neurosurgery	47	Paediatric haematology	75	Rehabilitation medicine
21	Orthopaedic surgery	48	Paediatric immunology and allergy	76	Radiation oncology
22	Otolaryngology – head and neck surgery	49	Paediatric infectious diseases	77	Public health medicine
23	Oral and maxillofacial surgery	50	Paediatric intensive care medicine	78	Occupational and environmental medicine
24	Paediatric surgery	51	Paediatric medical oncology	79	Medical administration
25	Plastic surgery	52	Paediatric nephrology	80	Palliative medicine
26	Urology	53	Paediatric neurology	81	Sport and exercise medicine
27	Vascular surgery	54	Paediatric nuclear medicine	82	Sexual health medicine
28	Specialist surgeon	55	Paediatric palliative medicine	83	Addiction medicine
		56	Paediatric rehabilitation medicine	84	Pain medicine