

# **MRCP(UK) PACES Summer 2022**

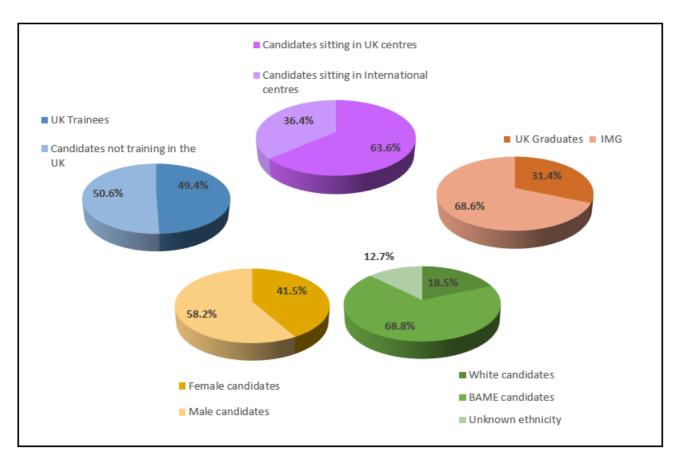
# **Performance report**

#### **Exam statistics**

Number of candidates sitting	Number of UK Trainees Candidates not training in the UK		Number of UK Graduates	Number of International Medical Graduates (IMG)	
2096	1036	1060	659	1437	
100%	49.4%	50.6%	31.4%	68.6%	

Candidates sitting in UK centres	Candidates sitting in International centres	Female candidates	Male candidates	White candidates	BAME candidates	Unknown ethnicity
1333	763	870	1220	388	1442	266
63.6%	36.4%	41.5%	58.2%	18.5%	68.8%	12.7%

The number of female candidates is lower than male candidates, there are more BAME than White candidates. The number of non-UK trainees is slightly higher than number of self-declared UK trainees.

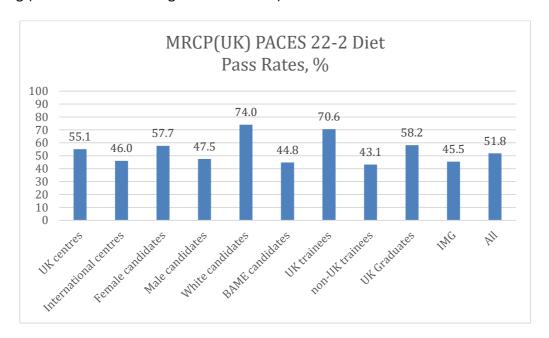




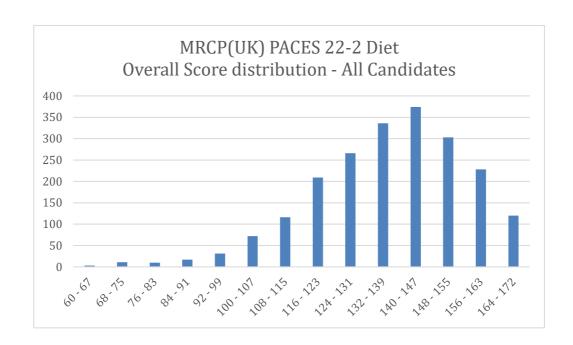
### **Candidate performance**

Candidate numbers have increased for 22-2. Pass rates for all groups are still higher when compared to diets pre Covid.

Female candidates have a higher pass rate than male candidates, White candidates are passing in a higher proportion than BAME candidates and UK trainees have a higher pass rate than those not in UK training (Note: data on training is self-declared).

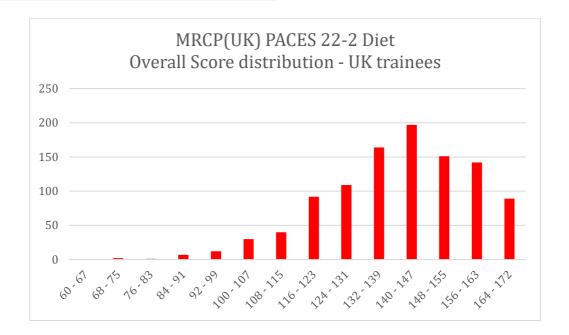


Candidate scores distribution shows most candidates scoring between 124 and 155 (mean=137, stdev=18.8, median=139, mode=141). UK trainees had a mean score of 140 and stdev = 17.8 (median = 142, mode= 139). The pass mark is established at **130** and candidates also have to pass all skills.



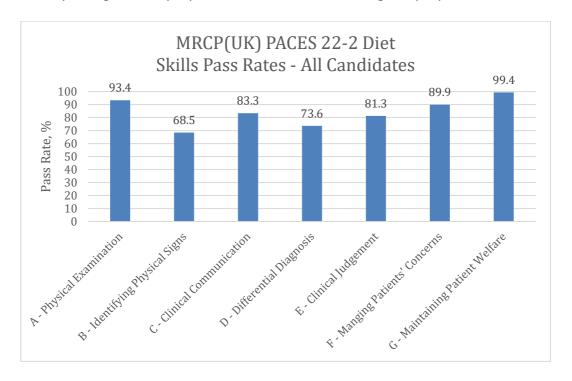
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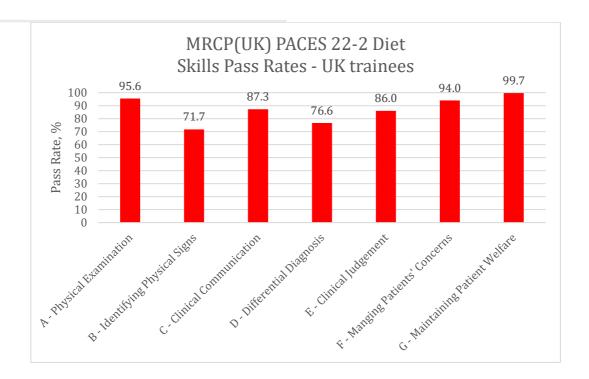
## **Skills and Encounters performance**

For all candidates skill B has the lowest pass rate, 68.5%, while skill G has the highest pass rate, 99.4%. UK trainees are passing skill B in proportion of 71.7%, while the highest proportion is for skill G, 99.7%.



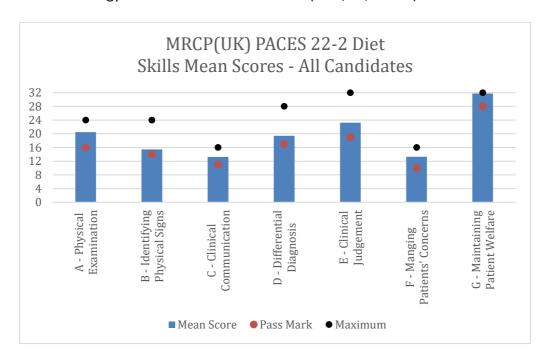
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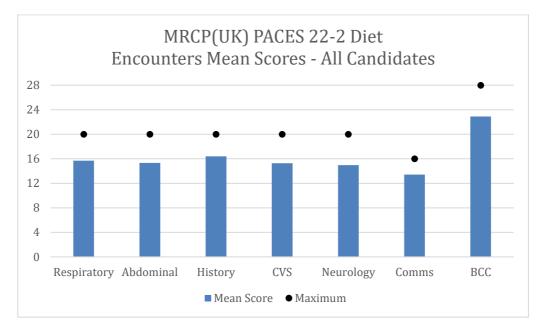


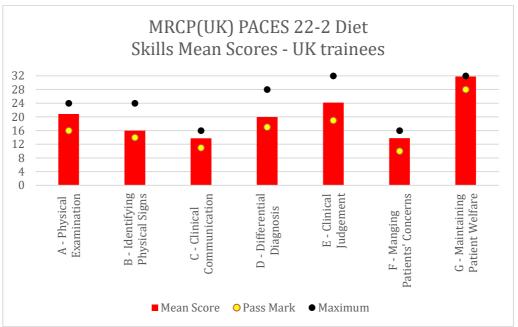
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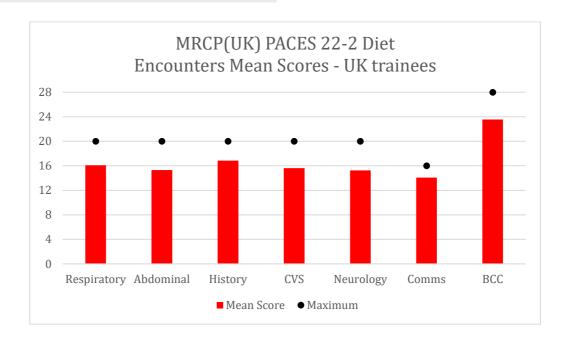












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