

MRCP(UK) Part 1 written examination February 2022

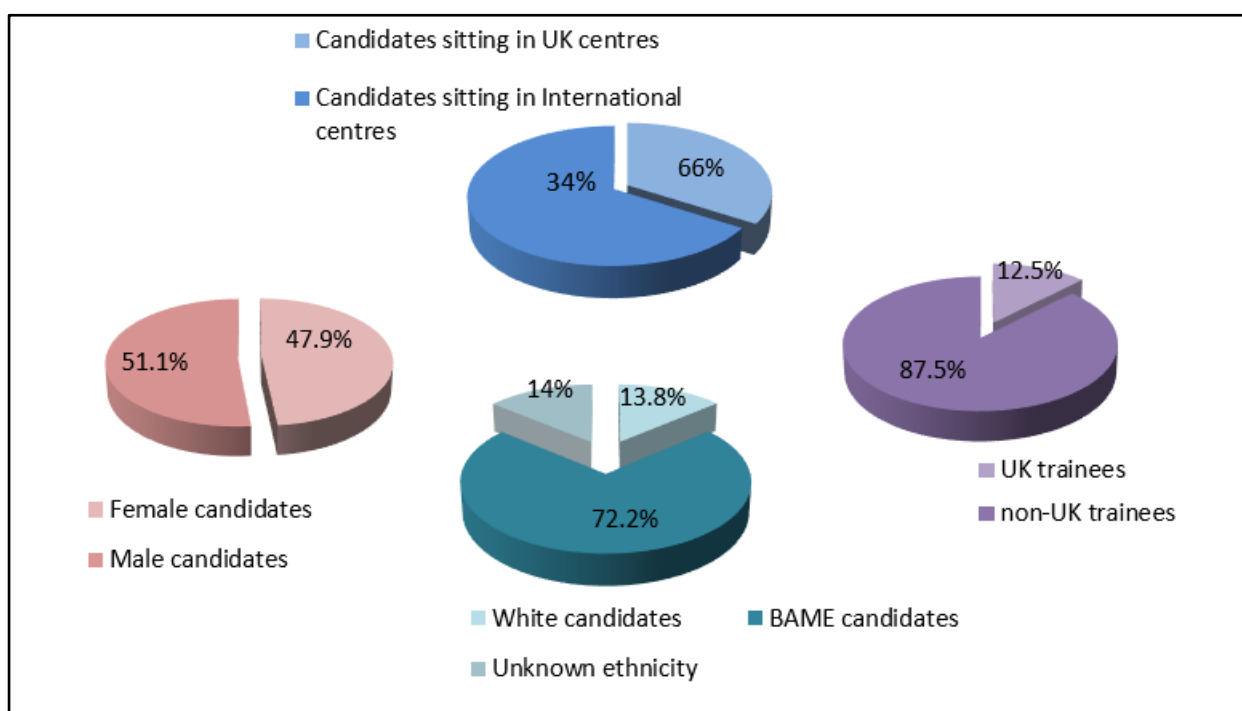
Performance report

Exam statistics

Number of candidates sitting	Number of UK trainees	Candidates not training in the UK	Pass equated score	Reliability (Cronbach alpha)	Standard error of measurement (%)
2906	362	2544	540	0.92	3.1

Candidates sitting in UK centres	Candidates sitting in international centres	Female candidates	Male candidates	White candidates	BAME candidates	Unknown ethnicity
986	1920	1391	1485	400	2098	408
34%	66%	47.9%	51.1%	13.8%	72.2%	14.0%

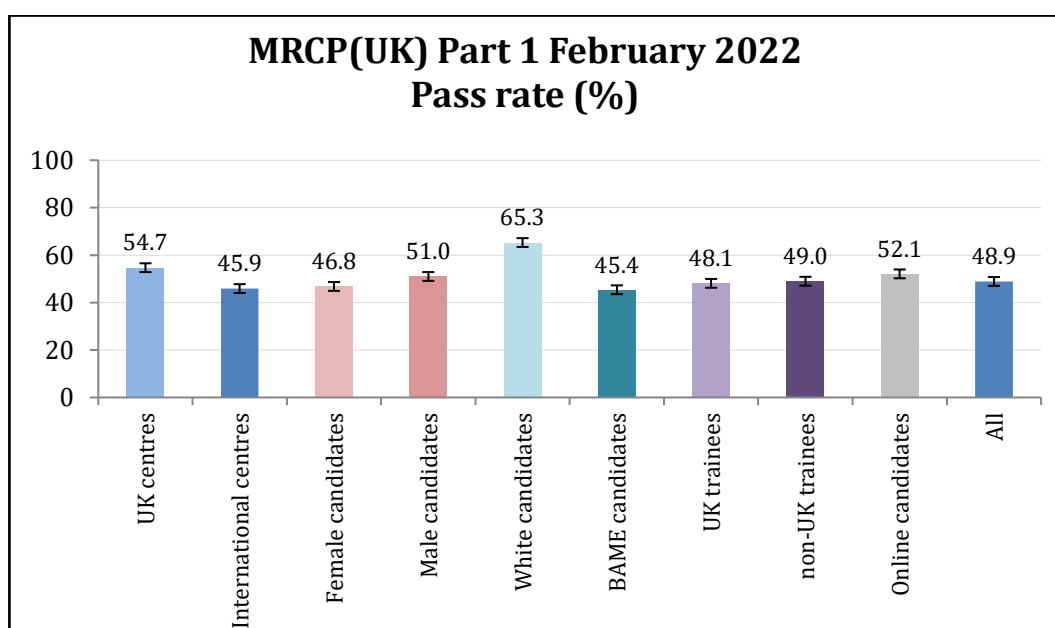
The number of female candidates is lower than male candidates, there are more BAME than White candidates. The number of non-UK trainees is much higher than the number of self-declared UK trainees. Out of the total 2906 candidates 1118 sat an online proctored exam, 985 in the UK and 133 in Malaysia, Malta and India.



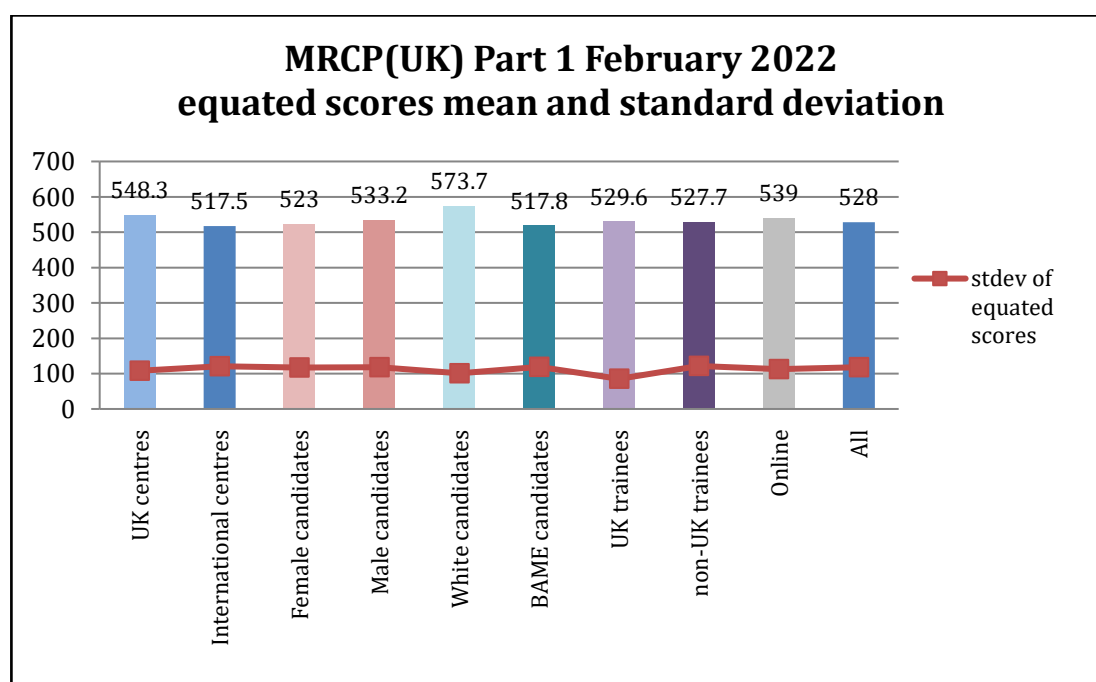
Candidate performance

Candidate numbers and pass rates for all groups are in line with the historical data.

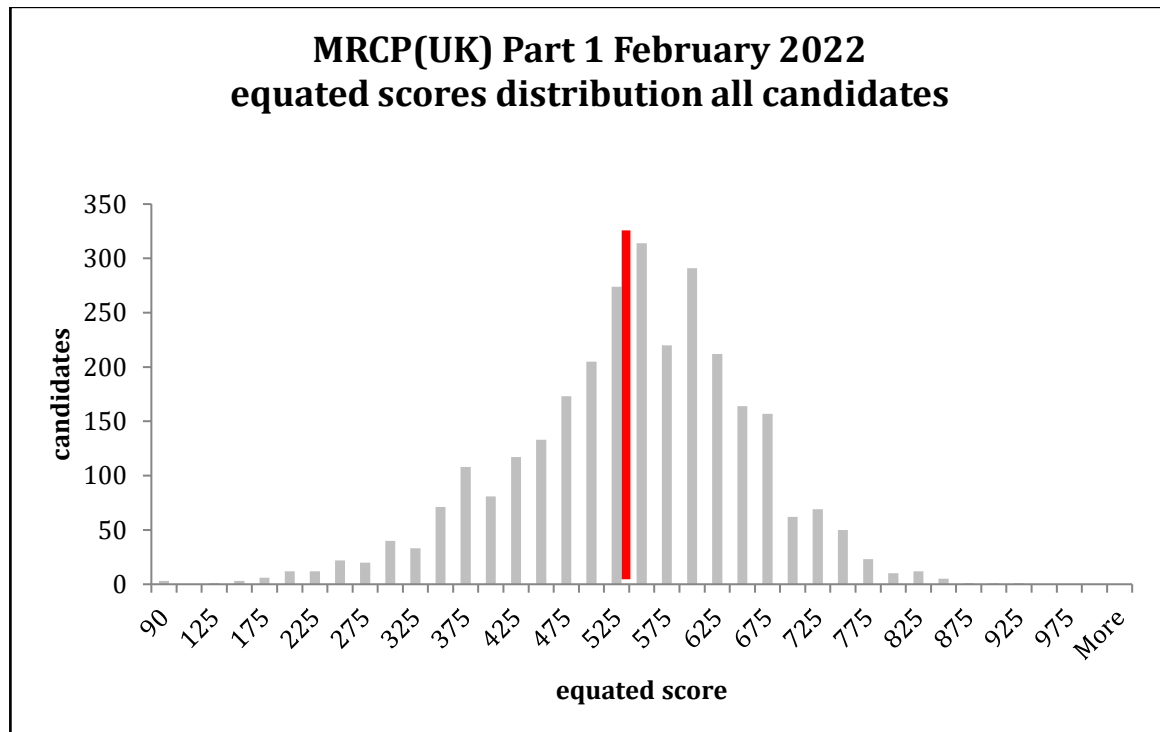
Male candidates have a higher pass rate than female candidates, White candidates are passing in a higher proportion than BAME candidates and UK trainees have a similar pass rate with non-UK trainees (Note: data on training is self-declared).



The mean of equated scores is highest for White candidates and lowest for international centres.



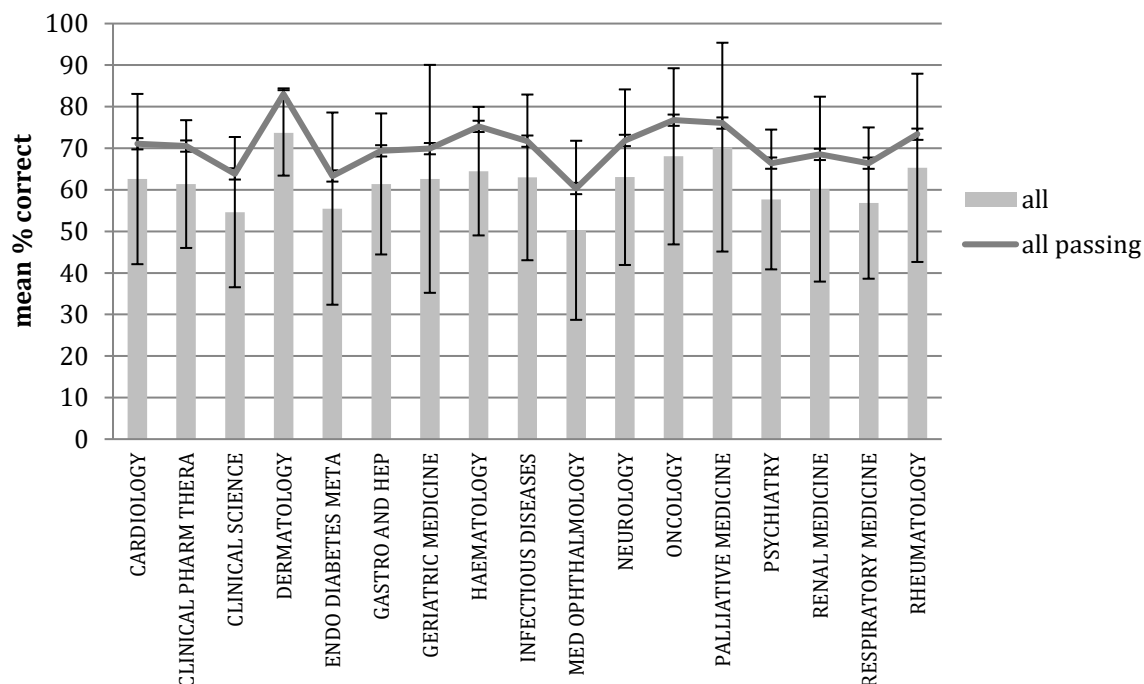
Candidate scores distribution shows many candidates scoring between 500 and 625 (mean=528, stdev=117.7, median=539, mode=550. The pass mark is established at **540**. In this examination the number of correct answers for a pass is **126** out of 199 scored questions. One question was pulled in paper 2 due to poor performance.



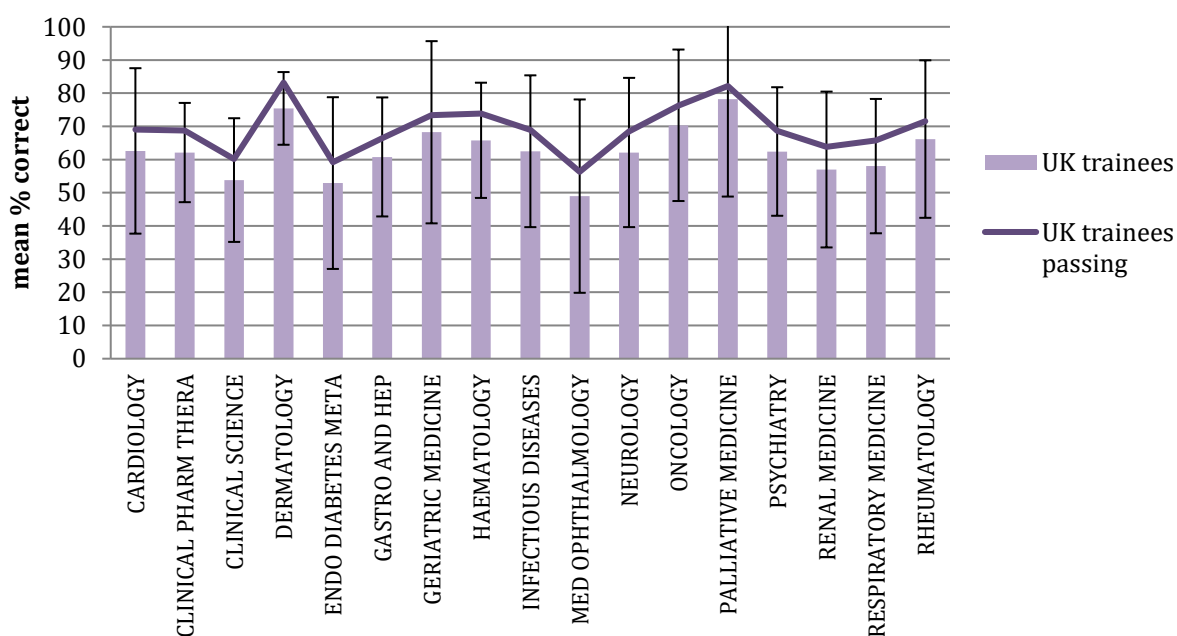
Topic performance

All candidates including UK trainees have the lowest mean percent correct in Ophthalmology and the highest performance in Dermatology and Palliative medicine.

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