European Specialty Examination in Nephrology 2022 Selected Examination Metrics

The 2022-1 ESENeph examination was sat in February 2022 by 355 candidates of whom 110 were self-declared UK trainees and 65 were European candidates (sitting in European centres other than UK centres). Candidates who did not declare their training details and the OTH group are reported as 'Other' (245). In the 2022-2 examination, sat in November 2022, there were 246 sitting candidates, including 72 self-declared UK trainees and 36 European candidates. The 'Other' group had 174 candidates. From 2022 'OTH' self-declared UK trainees are excluded from UK trainees' cohort.

Pass Mark

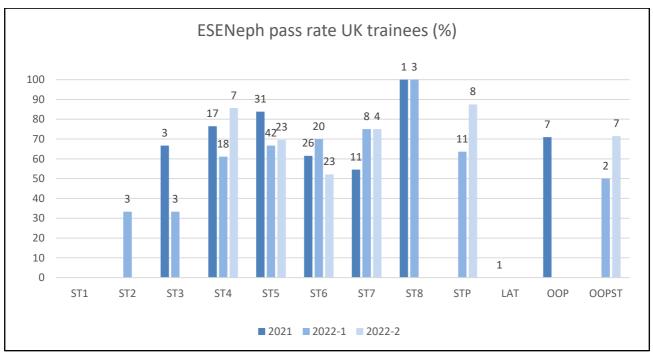
The ESENeph 2022-1 examination was equated using 2019 UK trainees' performance and the passing score was established at **440**. In November 2022, after the standards review based on 2019 UK trainees' performance after excluding OTH group the new passing score was decreased to **422**. All future examinations will use 422 as the passing score until the standards are reviewed by the ESENeph Examination Board.

For the 2022-1 examination the pass score of **440** had a correspondent percent of **63% or 126/200** and for the 2022-2 examination the pass score of **422** had a correspondent percent of **65.5% or 131/200**.

UK trainees' performance

In 2022-1 the highest sitting number was in ST5 (42) with a pass rate of 66.7%. Pass rate for all trainees was 65.5% and for all candidates the pass rate was 47.9%.

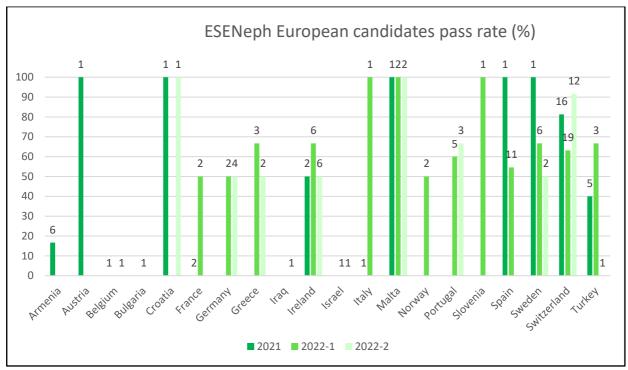
In 2022-2 the highest sitting number was in ST5 & ST6 (23) with a pass rate of 69.6% and 52.2%. Pass rate for all trainees was 68.1% and for all candidates the pass rate was 53.3%.



Note: The numbers at the top of the bars are the number of sitting trainees.

European candidates' performance

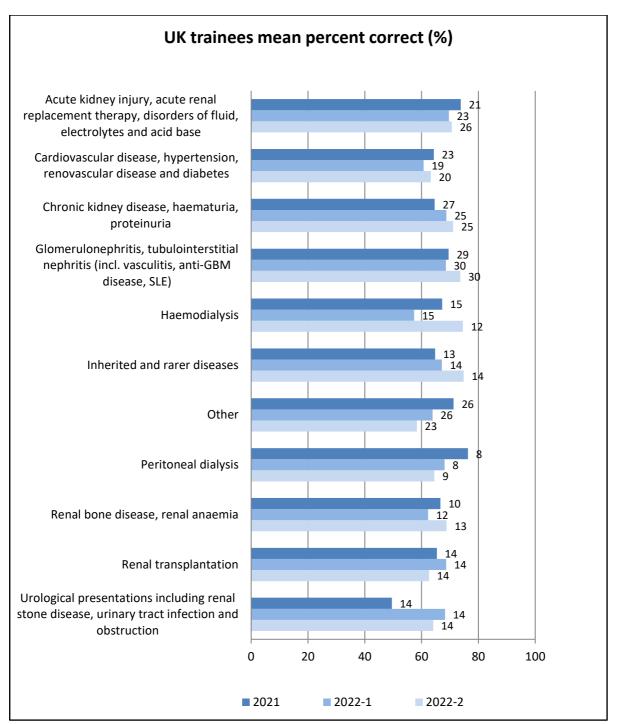
In 2022 the highest number of sitting candidates is in Switzerland followed by Spain.



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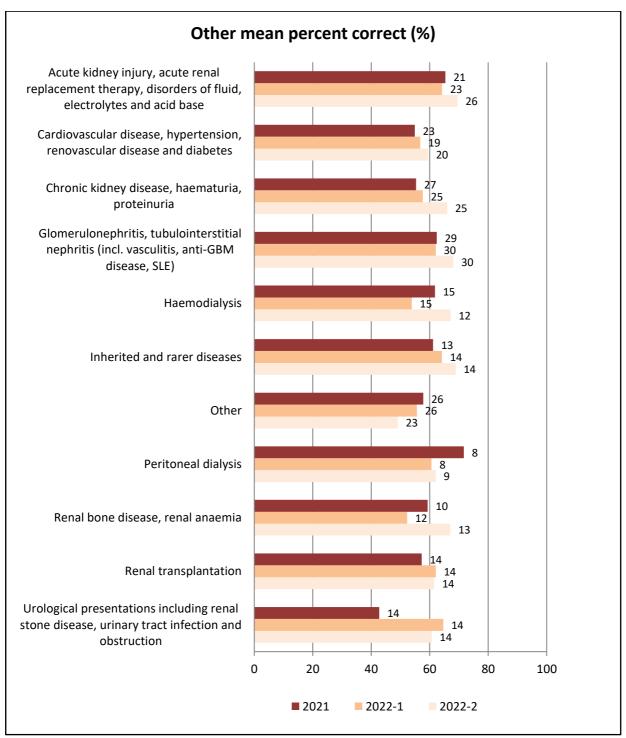
Topic performance

In 2022-2 the highest percent correct for UK trainees is in Inherited and rare diseases (74.8%) and the lowest in Other (58.3%).

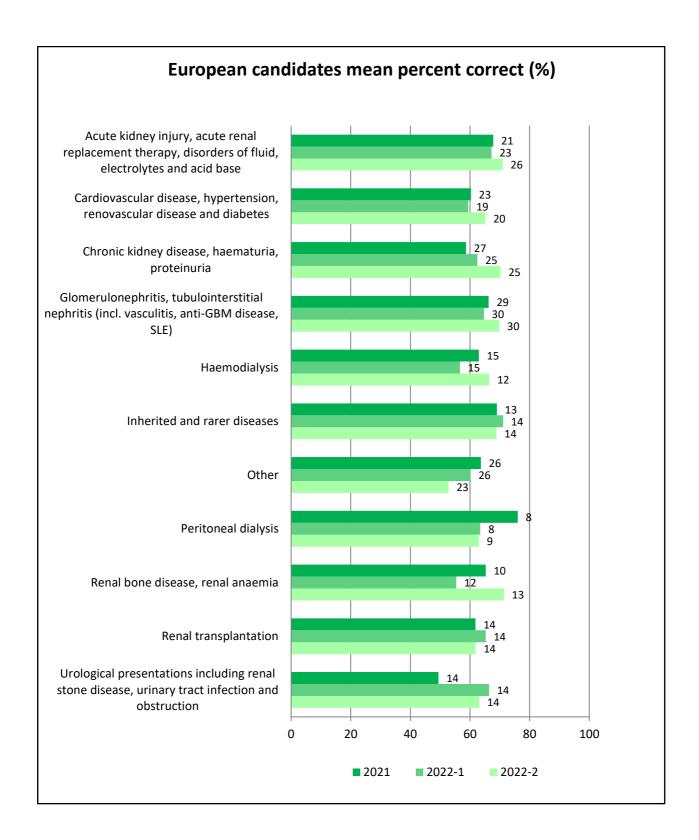


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In 2022-2 the highest percent correct for Other candidates is in Acute kidney injury (69.5%) and the lowest in Other (49.1%).



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