

Shape the Future of the Primary FRCA Exam!

We are seeking Stage 1 doctors in training to participate in the pilot of CASE, our new Clinical and Anaesthetic Sciences Exam.

What is CASE?

CASE will replace the current OSCE SOE, with an anticipated launch in the academic year 2027 – 28, subject to successful piloting and approval from the General Medical Council.

Why participate?

- Be part of the development process of this significant examination.
- **Optional Free Masterclass in Examination Technique** delivered by the Chair of the Primary FRCA and senior examiners. Get expert advice, ask questions, and take part in a short, facilitated SOE practice session.
- Benefit from an interactive discussion with FRCA examiners following the pilot.
- A complimentary lunch will be provided, and standard travel expenses (rail/bus fares) will be reimbursed.

| Details of the Pilot | |
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| Date | Wednesday, 4 th February 2026 |
| Sessions | Candidates will attend either a morning or afternoon session for the pilot. Those wishing to join the Masterclass are invited to stay for the full day. |
| Location | The Royal College of Anaesthetists, Churchill House, London |
| Eligibility | Resident anaesthetists currently working at Stage 1 level who have recently sat the Primary FRCA or plan to do so within the next 12 months. |
| Accessibility | Candidates requiring reasonable adjustments are warmly welcomed |

What participants can expect:

- Take part in the new exam and provide feedback on its format, content, and timing.
- Share insights in an on-day debrief and a post-pilot survey.
- Receive detailed information in advance to prepare.

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Registration Deadline: 9th January 2026

Help us create a better exam experience while benefiting from this unique opportunity. We look forward to your involvement!