



**DALHOUSIE
UNIVERSITY**

Postgraduate
Medical Education

Frequently Asked Questions and Responses

Admissions for Residency and Fellowship - Canadian

1. Do I need to have the MCCQE1 or MCCEE before applying to Dalhousie?

They are not mandatory for subspecialty and fellowship training. These exams apply for core training only. You may apply to Dalhousie while you await your result; however, you will need to pass your exam prior to commencing residency training.

2. I will begin training at Dalhousie in a few months, when should I submit my CPSNS license application?

If you are Canadian you may submit, you may submit your application three months before the commencement of your training; the acceptable deadline is six weeks prior to your start date.

3. I completed an online ACLS course, and received a certificate, is this acceptable proof of ACLS certification?

On-line ACLS courses are not deemed acceptable.

4. Does Dalhousie provide reimbursement for ACLS course payment?

No, Dalhousie does not provide reimbursement for ACLS courses.

5. I am an incoming trainee. I am registering for CMPA protection but was not sure if I should select with or without moonlighting?

Please select Code 12 – without moonlighting.

6. Will ACLS training will be provided as part of my orientation or is something I must obtain on my own beforehand?

You are required to personally arrange ACLS training and upload proof to the Admissions portal prior to Orientation.

7. Will ACLS be mandatory for my training?

ACLS is required for all core training and maybe exempted by the program for subspecialty and fellowships.