

American Board of Emergency Medicine

AEMUS FAQs for Fellowship Directors

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS (FAQS)

- 1. Will physicians who match into our fellowship in the 2022 NRMP match be eligible to take the AEMUS Exam?** Yes. Physicians who graduate from fellowships by June 2024 will be eligible to apply for the exam if they meet the [eligibility criteria](#).
 - If the fellowship is EUFAC accredited, the physician can apply for the exam under the Training Pathway.
 - If the program is not EUFAC accredited by the time the fellow graduates, the fellow must then complete the 24 months of practice required under the Training-Plus-Practice pathway before the pathway closes in 2026. Practice must meet the requirements defined in the [eligibility criteria](#).

- 2. Will physicians who enter our fellowship program under the 2023 NRMP Match be eligible to take the AEMUS Exam?** It depends.
 - If your program is EUFAC accredited, fellows will be able to apply for the exam under the Training Pathway.
 - If the program **is not EUFAC accredited**, fellows entering under the 2023 Match will not have enough time to complete the 24 months of practice required to apply under the Training-Plus-Practice pathway. The fellow must repeat a EUFAC-accredited fellowship and apply under the Training Pathway in order to be eligible to take the AEMUS Exam.

- 3. How can I tell whether our AEMUS fellows will be eligible to take the AEMUS Exam?**
 - The ability to take the AEMUS Exam using the Training Pathway requires that the fellowship program be EUFAC accredited before the fellow graduates. Any physician completing a fellowship that is EUFAC accredited by the time the fellow graduates can apply under this pathway.
 - For those who match into **a non-EUFAC accredited in the 2022 NRMP Match** and begin training in 2023, and the fellowship does not become accredited by June 2024, these fellows must complete the 24 months of practice required under this Training-Plus-Practice pathway. Practice must meet the requirements defined in the [eligibility criteria](#).
 - These fellows may wish to plan ahead with regard to how they will meet the practice requirement as the 24 months will start at or shortly after graduation in June 2024.

- 4. Our fellowship program became EUFAC accredited this year. Can graduates from previous years apply under the Training Pathway?** No. To

apply under the Training pathway, fellows must have graduated after the program has become accredited. Fellows who graduated before the program became accredited must apply through the Training-Plus-Practice Pathway.

- 5. If our program becomes EUFAC accredited before a fellow graduates, can they enter the training pathway?** Yes, even if a program is not EUFAC accredited when a fellow enters the program, if the program becomes accredited during the fellow's training, they can apply through the Training Pathway.

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