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| American Boards | Relevant years of training accredited | Up to 3 years accredited retrospectively | Relevant years of training accredited | Up to 5 years retrospectively depending on post qualification experience | Appropriately supervised training will be approved retrospectively | Relevant years of training accredited | Relevant years of training accredited | Relevant years of training accredited | Relevant years of training accredited |
| BMed Sci (If relevant) | 6 months may be accredited depending on relevance at the discretion of the Chief Examiner | 6 months may be accredited depending on relevance at the discretion of the Chief Examiner | 6 months may be accredited depending on relevance at the discretion of the Chief Examiner | 6 months may be accredited depending on relevance at the discretion of the Chief Examiner | 6 months may be accredited depending on relevance at the discretion of the Chief Examiner | 6 months may be accredited depending on relevance at the discretion of the Chief Examiner | 6 months may be accredited depending on relevance at the discretion of the Chief Examiner | 6 months may be accredited depending on relevance at the discretion of the Chief Examiner | 6 months may be accredited depending on relevance at the discretion of the Chief Examiner |
| BSc (Hons) (If relevant) | 6 months may be accredited depending on relevance at the discretion of the Chief Examiner | 6 months may be accredited depending on relevance at the discretion of the Chief Examiner | 6 months may be accredited depending on relevance at the discretion of the Chief Examiner | 6 months may be accredited depending on relevance at the discretion of the Chief Examiner | 6 months may be accredited depending on relevance at the discretion of the Chief Examiner | 6 months may be accredited depending on relevance at the discretion of the Chief Examiner | 6 months may be accredited depending on relevance at the discretion of the Chief Examiner | 6 months may be accredited depending on relevance at the discretion of the Chief Examiner | 6 months may be accredited depending on relevance at the discretion of the Chief Examiner |
| Canadian Boards (Med Genetics) | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | Appropriately supervised training will be approved retrospectively | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| DCP (London) | ? | Nil | Nil | Up to 2 years | Nil | Nil | Nil | Refer to Chief Examiner | Nil |
| Dip. Trop Med. | N/A | N/A | Nil | Nil | Nil | N/A | N/A | Refer to Chief Examiner | N/A |
| FACD | No set time. Usually 1 year depending on experience | Nil | Nil | Up to 1 year of training if has lab experience | Nil | Nil | Nil | Nil | Up to 1 year depending on experience |

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| FACO | No set time. Usually 1 year depending on experience | Nil | Up to 6 months | Up to 1 year of training if has lab experience | Nil | Nil | Nil | Nil | Nil |
| FASM | N/A | N/A | Nil | Up to 6 months in Microbiology Practical if appropriate | N/A | N/A | N/A | Refer to Chief Examiner | N/A |
| FCForPath (SA) | | ? | Relevant years (required to have 1.5yrs of AP) | Nil | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| FCPath, FFPath (SA) | Relevant years of training accredited | 3-4 years | Up to 2.5yrs | Relevant years of training accredited if started before 1996 | Appropriately supervised training will be approved retrospectively | Relevant years of training accredited | Relevant years of training accredited | Relevant years of training accredited | Relevant years of training accredited |
| FHKCPath | 5 years | | Up to 2.5yrs | Need more info | Appropriately supervised training will be approved retrospectively | Need more info | | Individual assessment. Refer to Chief Examiner | Relevant years of training accredited |
| FRACDS | | Nil | Nil | Nil | Nil | | | N/A | Up to 1 year depending on experience |

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| FRACP | No set time. Usually 1 year depending on experience | 1 year of advanced training retrospectively. Prospectively up to 2 years if significant component of work in laboratory | Up to 6 months | Up to 1 year of training if has lab experience | 1 year for Part I Up to 2 years in total for additional years in clinical genetics | If considerable laboratory time some retrospective time may be accredited | Up to 1 year | 1 year for Fellowship in Infectious Diseases. Further 6 mths if laboratory component in RCPA accredited lab | Up to 1 year depending on experience |
| FRACS (Parts I & II) | No set time. Usually 1 year depending on experience | Up to 1 year if significant component of relevant laboratory work | Up to 6 months | Up to 1 year of training if has lab experience | Up to 1 year of training if has lab experience | Nil | Nil | Nil | Up to 1 year depending on experience |
| FRCP | | | Up to 6 months | Nil | 1 year for Clinical Genetics | | | 1 year for Fellowship in Infectious Diseases | Up to 1 year depending on experience |
| FRCPSC Canada | | | Up to 6 months | 5 years | 1 year if a relevant medical discipline | | | 1 year for Infectious Diseases | Up to 1 year depending on experience |
| FRCS, MRCS | | | Up to 6 months | Nil | Nil | | | Nil | Up to 1 year depending on experience |
| MAACB, FAACB | N/A | Up to 6 months | Nil | Up to 6 months in Chemical Pathology | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |

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| MAppSci (If relevant) | | | | Nil | 6 months if directly relevant | Up to 6 months retrospectively if thesis/degree research | | Nil | Up to 1 year depending on experience |
| MD (India or Sri Lanka) | Relevant years of training accredited | * | Up to 2 yrs (required to have 1.5yrs of AP) | Not reviewed | Up to 1 year if relevant | Up to 2 years as relevant | Nil | Up to 2 years as relevant | Up to 1 year depending on experience |
| MD Research (If relevant and from recognised university) | | Up to 1 year dependent on area of research | Up to 6 months if relevant | Up to 1 year dependent on area of research | 1 year retro; up to 2 years prospectively | 1-2 years retrospectively | | 1-2 years conditional | Up to 1 year dependent on area of research |
| Master of Dental Science/DClinDent in Oral Pathology | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | Up to 3 years depending on experience |
| Master of Dental Science/DClinDent in Oral Medicine & Oral Pathology | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | Up to 2 years depending on experience |
| MPath Malaysia | * | * | Up to 2 years (required to have 1.5 AP) | Refer to Chief Examiner | * | Refer to Chief Examiner | Relevant years of training accredited | Relevant years of training accredited | Up to 1 year depending on experience |
| MPath, MMed Path (SA) | Relevant years of training accredited | 3-4 years | * | Relevant years of training accredited if started before 1996 | Appropriately supervised training will be approved retrospectively | Relevant years of training accredited | Relevant years of training accredited | Relevant years of training accredited | Relevant years of training accredited |

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| MRCP | N/A | Up to 6 months | * | Up to 12 months | 1 year for clinical genetics | If considerable laboratory time some retrospective time may be accredited | Up to 1 year | 1 year for Infectious Diseases | Up to 1 year depending on experience |
| FRCPATH Part I | Relevant years of training accredited | Up to 1 year retrospectively | Relevant years of training accredited | Up to 1 year in appropriate discipline retrospectively | Appropriately supervised training will be approved retrospectively | Relevant years of training accredited | Relevant years of training accredited | Relevant years of training accredited | Relevant years of training accredited |
| FRCPATH Part II | Relevant years | 2 years training required following success at Part I viva | Relevant years of training accredited | Up to 1 year in appropriate discipline retrospectively | Appropriately supervised training will be approved retrospectively | Relevant years of training accredited | Relevant years of training accredited | Relevant years of training accredited | Relevant years of training accredited |
| MSci (Micro/Viral) | N/A | N/A | Nil | Up to 6 months in Micro Practical if appropriate | N/A | N/A | N/A | Relevant years accredited | N/A |
| PhD, DPhil (If relevant and from recognised university) | 1 or more years depending on relevance | Up to 2 years prospectively. Retrospectively less readily granted | Up to 6 months if relevant | 6 months in appropriate discipline | 1 year if retrospective; up to 2 years if prospective | 1-2 years retrospectively | 1 year retrospectively | 1-2 years (conditional) | 1 or more years depending on relevance |
| Philippines Soc Path | Relevant years of training accredited | Nil | Not reviewed | Nil | Nil | Nil | Nil | Nil | Relevant years of training accredited |
| Certificate Taiwan Society of Pathologists | Relevant years of training accredited | Nil | Not reviewed | Nil | Nil | Nil | Nil | Not reviewed | Relevant years of training accredited |