

2015 FRAME Exit Survey Report for All Participating Schools

Q2. Gender

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Male	270	41.9	42.3	42.3
	Female	368	57.1	57.7	100.0
	Total	638	99.1	100.0	
Missing	System	6	.9		
Total		644	100.0		

Q4. Which University Medical School

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Australian National University	23	3.6	3.6	3.6
	Deakin University	21	3.3	3.3	6.8
	Flinders University (Flinders University Rural Clinical School)	32	5.0	5.0	11.8
	Monash University (Undergraduate)	85	13.2	13.2	25.0
	Monash University (Graduate)	33	5.1	5.1	30.1
	University of Adelaide	42	6.5	6.5	36.6
	University of Melbourne (Graduate)	19	3.0	3.0	39.6
	University of Newcastle	38	5.9	5.9	45.5
	University of New England	20	3.1	3.1	48.6
	University of New South Wales	71	11.0	11.0	59.6
	University of Notre Dame (Fremantle)	28	4.3	4.3	64.0
	University of Notre Dame (Sydney)	21	3.3	3.3	67.2
	University of Sydney	49	7.6	7.6	74.8
	University of Tasmania	19	3.0	3.0	77.8
	University of Western Australia (Undergraduate)	45	7.0	7.0	84.8
	University of Western Australia (Graduate)	14	2.2	2.2	87.0
	University of Wollongong	84	13.0	13.0	100.0
	Total	644	100.0	100.0	

Q5. Placement type in Medical School

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Commonwealth Supported (HECS) Place	424	65.8	66.0	66.0
	Medical Rural Bonded Scholarships (MRBS)	43	6.7	6.7	72.7
	Bonded Medical Place (BMP)	137	21.3	21.3	94.1
	Commonwealth Bonded Place	9	1.4	1.4	95.5
	State Bonded Place	2	.3	.3	95.8
	International Fee-paying Place	20	3.1	3.1	98.9
	Australian Fee-paying Place	7	1.1	1.1	100.0
	Total	642	99.7	100.0	
Missing	System	2	.3		
Total		644	100.0		

Q6. Commonwealth Department of Defence Scholarship

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No	639	99.2	99.2	99.2
	Yes	5	.8	.8	100.0
	Total	644	100.0	100.0	

Q6. RAMUS Scholarship

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No	565	87.7	87.7	87.7
	Yes	79	12.3	12.3	100.0
	Total	644	100.0	100.0	

Q6. John Flynn Placement Program

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No	572	88.8	88.8	88.8
	Yes	72	11.2	11.2	100.0
	Total	644	100.0	100.0	

Q6. Australian Rotary Rural Clinical School Scholarship

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid No	640	99.4	99.4	99.4
Yes	4	.6	.6	100.0
Total	644	100.0	100.0	

Q6. Indigenous student Scholarship

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid No	639	99.2	99.2	99.2
Yes	5	.8	.8	100.0
Total	644	100.0	100.0	

Q6. Other Scholarship

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid No	593	92.1	92.1	92.1
Yes	51	7.9	7.9	100.0
Total	644	100.0	100.0	

Q6. Please specify other scholarship

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	586	91.0	91.0	91.0
12000 elective overseas grant	1	.2	.2	91.1
Academic Merit	1	.2	.2	91.3
Australian National University	1	.2	.2	91.5
Bega Cheese Scholarship	1	.2	.2	91.6
BMA UNSW Academic Achievement etc	2	.3	.3	91.9
Coal and Allied Development Fund	1	.2	.2	92.1
Country Womens Association Rural Medical Student Scholarship	1	.2	.2	92.2
David Beer	2	.3	.3	92.5
Deakin Rural Medical Residence Scholarship	1	.2	.2	92.7
Fogarty Foundation	1	.2	.2	92.9
Fogarty Foundation City Scholarship	1	.2	.2	93.0

Q6. Please specify other scholarship

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Forgarty Scholarship	1	.2	.2	93.2
Gippsland Aged Care Bursary	1	.2	.2	93.3
Goulburn Mulwaree Trust	1	.2	.2	93.5
Graduate equity scholarship, small bursaries	1	.2	.2	93.6
John Monash	1	.2	.2	93.8
John Monash Scholarship for academic excellence	1	.2	.2	93.9
Malaysian Gov Scholarship	1	.2	.2	94.1
MBBS	1	.2	.2	94.3
Monash Academic Excellence	1	.2	.2	94.4
Monash Academic Scholarship	1	.2	.2	94.6
Monash Equity and Excellence Border Medical Association Scholarship	1	.2	.2	94.7
Monash Equity Med	1	.2	.2	94.9
Monash Excellence and Equity	1	.2	.2	95.0
Monash Scholarship for excellence	1	.2	.2	95.2
Monash Support Bursary	1	.2	.2	95.3
Monash Uni Bursary Scholarship	1	.2	.2	95.5
Monash University	1	.2	.2	95.7
MRBS	6	.9	.9	96.6
Nil	1	.2	.2	96.7
None	1	.2	.2	96.9
NSW RDN Cadetship	1	.2	.2	97.0
NT Equity Scholarship	1	.2	.2	97.2
Outstanding Achievement Scholarship	2	.3	.3	97.5
Pathology RCPA Scholarship	1	.2	.2	97.7
QLD Health Rural Scholarship	1	.2	.2	97.8
RDN RMO Cadetship	2	.3	.3	98.1
Rotary Health Scholarship	1	.2	.2	98.3
Rural cadet RDN	1	.2	.2	98.4
Rural Doctors Network Cadetship	1	.2	.2	98.6
School of Medicine Scholarship	1	.2	.2	98.8

Q6. Please specify other scholarship

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Swans Scholarship ans Swans Rural	1	.2	.2	98.9
Tasmanian Medical Council Scholarship	1	.2	.2	99.1
Troy Pocock	1	.2	.2	99.2
Uni Sydney Outstanding achievement	1	.2	.2	99.4
UNSW Scientia Scholarship	1	.2	.2	99.5
USyd Outstanding achievement	1	.2	.2	99.7
UTAS Burnie Rotary Club Scholarship in rural medicine	1	.2	.2	99.8
Veolix Mulwalree	1	.2	.2	100.0
Total	644	100.0	100.0	

Q7. Do you consider yourself to come from a rural background?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No	347	53.9	54.5	54.5
	Yes	290	45.0	45.5	100.0
	Total	637	98.9	100.0	
Missing	System	7	1.1		
Total		644	100.0		

Q8a. Type of location you have lived in the longest in Australia

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Capital city	286	44.4	45.1	45.1
	Major urban centre (>100,000)	67	10.4	10.6	55.7
	Regional city/large town (25,000 - 100,000)	94	14.6	14.8	70.5
	Small rural community (10,000-24,999)	79	12.3	12.5	83.0
	Small rural community (<10,000)	99	15.4	15.6	98.6
	Remote centre/area	9	1.4	1.4	100.0
	Total		634	98.4	100.0
Missing	System	10	1.6		
Total		644	100.0		

Q9a. Did you attend a secondary/high school in Australia outside of a capital city or major urban centre?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No	359	55.7	56.1	56.1
	Yes	281	43.6	43.9	100.0
	Total	640	99.4	100.0	
Missing	System	4	.6		
Total		644	100.0		

Q9b. If yes, please indicate the number of years you attended this secondary/high school:

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	0	16	2.5	4.7	4.7
	1	11	1.7	3.2	7.8
	2	14	2.2	4.1	11.9
	3	20	3.1	5.8	17.7
	4	12	1.9	3.5	21.2
	5	75	11.6	21.8	43.0
	6	161	25.0	46.8	89.8
	7	8	1.2	2.3	92.2
	8	6	.9	1.7	93.9
	9	19	3.0	5.5	99.4
	12	1	.2	.3	99.7
	13	1	.2	.3	100.0
	Total		344	53.4	100.0
Missing	System	300	46.6		
Total		644	100.0		

Q10. My preference to attend a RCS was:

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	My last choice	30	4.7	4.7	4.7
	Low on my list	37	5.7	5.8	10.5
	My mid-choice	50	7.8	7.8	18.3
	High on my list	87	13.5	13.6	31.9
	My first choice	435	67.5	68.1	100.0
	Total	639	99.2	100.0	
Missing	System	5	.8		
Total		644	100.0		

Q11 In which geographical location within Australia would you most like to practise on completing your training?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Capital or major city	223	34.6	35.1	35.1
	Inner regional city	236	36.6	37.2	72.3
	Smaller town	126	19.6	19.8	92.1
	small rural or remote community	37	5.7	5.8	98.0
	very remote area	13	2.0	2.0	100.0
	Total	635	98.6	100.0	
Missing	System	9	1.4		
Total		644	100.0		

Q12. Recalling your career preference upon entry to your RCS, what is your most preferred choice?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	General Practice (FRACGP) or Rural Medicine (FACRRM)	184	28.6	28.9	28.9
	Generalist Specialist	275	42.7	43.2	72.1
	Sub Specialist/other	178	27.6	27.9	100.0
	Total	637	98.9	100.0	
Missing	System	7	1.1		
Total		644	100.0		

Q13. What is your most preferred career preference now upon exit from your RCS?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	General Practice (FRACGP) or Rural Medicine (FACRRM)	182	28.3	28.5	28.5
	Generalist Specialist	287	44.6	44.9	73.4
	Sub Specialist/other	170	26.4	26.6	100.0
	Total	639	99.2	100.0	
Missing	System	5	.8		
Total		644	100.0		

Q14a1. My RCS medical experience has increased my interest in pursuing a medical career in General Practice

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly disagree	44	6.8	6.9	6.9
	Somewhat disagree	73	11.3	11.5	18.4
	Neutral	130	20.2	20.4	38.8
	Somewhat agree	235	36.5	36.9	75.7
	Strongly agree	155	24.1	24.3	100.0
	Total	637	98.9	100.0	
Missing	System	7	1.1		
Total		644	100.0		

Q14a2. My RCS medical experience has increased my interest in pursuing a medical career in regional or rural Australia

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly disagree	14	2.2	2.2	2.2
	Somewhat disagree	23	3.6	3.6	5.8
	Neutral	69	10.7	10.8	16.6
	Somewhat agree	262	40.7	40.9	57.5
	Strongly agree	272	42.2	42.5	100.0
	Total	640	99.4	100.0	
Missing	System	4	.6		
Total		644	100.0		

Q14a3. My RCS medical experience has increased my interest in pursuing a medical career in remote and very remote Australia (RA4-5)

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly disagree	42	6.5	6.6	6.6
	Somewhat disagree	106	16.5	16.6	23.2
	Neutral	215	33.4	33.6	56.8
	Somewhat agree	202	31.4	31.6	88.4
	Strongly agree	74	11.5	11.6	100.0
	Total	639	99.2	100.0	
Missing	System	5	.8		
Total		644	100.0		

Q14b1. I intend to do Internship in a non-metropolitan area (RA2-5)

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly disagree	154	23.9	24.3	24.3
	Somewhat disagree	81	12.6	12.8	37.1
	Neutral	109	16.9	17.2	54.3
	Somewhat agree	128	19.9	20.2	74.6
	Strongly agree	161	25.0	25.4	100.0
	Total	633	98.3	100.0	
Missing	System	11	1.7		
Total		644	100.0		

Q14b2. I intend to do Accredited PGY2 in my specialty of preference in a non-metropolitan area (RA2-5)

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly disagree	76	11.8	12.0	12.0
	Somewhat disagree	77	12.0	12.2	24.2
	Neutral	152	23.6	24.0	48.2
	Somewhat agree	183	28.4	28.9	77.1
	Strongly agree	145	22.5	22.9	100.0
	Total	633	98.3	100.0	
Missing	System	11	1.7		
Total		644	100.0		

Q14b3. I intend to do Accredited PGY3 in my specialty of preference in a non-metropolitan area (RA2-5)

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly disagree	43	6.7	6.8	6.8
	Somewhat disagree	64	9.9	10.1	16.9
	Neutral	197	30.6	31.1	48.0
	Somewhat agree	219	34.0	34.6	82.6
	Strongly agree	110	17.1	17.4	100.0
	Total	633	98.3	100.0	
Missing	System	11	1.7		
Total		644	100.0		

Q14b4. I intend to do Accredited PGY4 in my specialty of preference in a non-metropolitan area (RA2-5)

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly disagree	39	6.1	6.2	6.2
	Somewhat disagree	57	8.9	9.0	15.2
	Neutral	217	33.7	34.3	49.4
	Somewhat agree	212	32.9	33.5	82.9
	Strongly agree	108	16.8	17.1	100.0
	Total	633	98.3	100.0	
Missing	System	11	1.7		
Total		644	100.0		

Q14b5. I intend to do Accredited PGY5 in my specialty of preference in a non-metropolitan area (RA2-5)

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly disagree	38	5.9	6.0	6.0
	Somewhat disagree	60	9.3	9.5	15.6
	Neutral	224	34.8	35.6	51.2
	Somewhat agree	201	31.2	32.0	83.1
	Strongly agree	106	16.5	16.9	100.0
	Total	629	97.7	100.0	
Missing	System	15	2.3		
Total		644	100.0		

Q15a. Did you participate in a longitudinal integrated clinical placement?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No	269	41.8	42.1	42.1
	Yes	369	57.3	57.7	99.8
	3	1	.2	.2	100.0
	Total	639	99.2	100.0	
Missing	System	5	.8		
Total		644	100.0		

Q15b. Longest time (in weeks) you were based in the same primary clinical attachment that promoted continuity of community and supervision?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	0	11	1.7	1.8	1.8
	1	9	1.4	1.5	3.2
	2	16	2.5	2.6	5.8
	3	5	.8	.8	6.6
	4	121	18.8	19.5	26.1
	5	25	3.9	4.0	30.2
	6	37	5.7	6.0	36.1
	7	6	.9	1.0	37.1
	8	87	13.5	14.0	51.1
	9	17	2.6	2.7	53.9
	10	9	1.4	1.5	55.3
	12	13	2.0	2.1	57.4
	13	3	.5	.5	57.9
	14	1	.2	.2	58.1
	15	3	.5	.5	58.5
	16	3	.5	.5	59.0
	17	11	1.7	1.8	60.8
	18	46	7.1	7.4	68.2
	19	1	.2	.2	68.4
	20	10	1.6	1.6	70.0
	24	1	.2	.2	70.2
	25	2	.3	.3	70.5
	26	1	.2	.2	70.6

Q15b. Longest time (in weeks) you were based in the same primary clinical attachment that promoted continuity of community and supervision?

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
27	2	.3	.3	71.0
28	1	.2	.2	71.1
30	6	.9	1.0	72.1
32	1	.2	.2	72.3
35	1	.2	.2	72.4
36	15	2.3	2.4	74.8
37	1	.2	.2	75.0
38	3	.5	.5	75.5
40	87	13.5	14.0	89.5
42	21	3.3	3.4	92.9
44	9	1.4	1.5	94.4
45	10	1.6	1.6	96.0
46	3	.5	.5	96.5
48	3	.5	.5	96.9
50	4	.6	.6	97.6
52	15	2.3	2.4	100.0
Total	620	96.3	100.0	
Missing System	24	3.7		
Total	644	100.0		

Q16. I would recommend the RCS experience to other medical students

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid Strongly disagree	13	2.0	2.1	2.1
Somewhat disagree	12	1.9	1.9	3.9
Neutral	27	4.2	4.3	8.2
Somewhat agree	130	20.2	20.5	28.7
Strongly agree	452	70.2	71.3	100.0
Total	634	98.4	100.0	
Missing System	10	1.6		
Total	644	100.0		

Q17a. I felt well supported academically by my RCS

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly disagree	22	3.4	3.4	3.4
	Somewhat disagree	38	5.9	5.9	9.4
	Neutral	41	6.4	6.4	15.8
	Somewhat agree	216	33.5	33.8	49.6
	Strongly agree	322	50.0	50.4	100.0
	Total	639	99.2	100.0	
Missing	System	5	.8		
Total		644	100.0		

Q17b. I felt well supported financially by my RCS

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly disagree	39	6.1	6.1	6.1
	Somewhat disagree	63	9.8	9.9	16.0
	Neutral	129	20.0	20.2	36.2
	Somewhat agree	164	25.5	25.7	61.8
	Strongly agree	244	37.9	38.2	100.0
	Total	639	99.2	100.0	
Missing	System	5	.8		
Total		644	100.0		

Q17c. I felt academically isolated during my rural placement

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly disagree	132	20.5	20.7	20.7
	Somewhat disagree	203	31.5	31.8	52.5
	Neutral	104	16.1	16.3	68.8
	Somewhat agree	143	22.2	22.4	91.2
	Strongly agree	56	8.7	8.8	100.0
	Total	638	99.1	100.0	
Missing	System	6	.9		
Total		644	100.0		

Q17d. My RCS informed me of health and counselling services that I could access for support if needed

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly disagree	38	5.9	5.9	5.9
	Somewhat disagree	83	12.9	13.0	18.9
	Neutral	139	21.6	21.7	40.6
	Somewhat agree	246	38.2	38.4	79.1
	Strongly agree	134	20.8	20.9	100.0
	Total	640	99.4	100.0	
Missing	System	4	.6		
Total		644	100.0		

Q17e. Overall I felt well supported by my RCS

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly disagree	18	2.8	2.8	2.8
	Somewhat disagree	31	4.8	4.9	7.7
	Neutral	59	9.2	9.2	16.9
	Somewhat agree	222	34.5	34.7	51.6
	Strongly agree	309	48.0	48.4	100.0
	Total	639	99.2	100.0	
Missing	System	5	.8		
Total		644	100.0		

Q17f. Overall my RCS placement impacted positively on my wellbeing

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly disagree	28	4.3	4.4	4.4
	Somewhat disagree	36	5.6	5.7	10.0
	Neutral	73	11.3	11.5	21.5
	Somewhat agree	184	28.6	28.9	50.4
	Strongly agree	316	49.1	49.6	100.0
	Total	637	98.9	100.0	
Missing	System	7	1.1		
Total		644	100.0		

Q17g. I felt socially isolated during my RCS placement

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly disagree	182	28.3	28.4	28.4
	Somewhat disagree	168	26.1	26.3	54.7
	Neutral	89	13.8	13.9	68.6
	Somewhat agree	148	23.0	23.1	91.7
	Strongly agree	53	8.2	8.3	100.0
	Total	640	99.4	100.0	
Missing	System	4	.6		
Total		644	100.0		

Q17h. I have a rural-based clinician as a mentor

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly disagree	72	11.2	11.3	11.3
	Somewhat disagree	51	7.9	8.0	19.3
	Neutral	106	16.5	16.7	36.0
	Somewhat agree	159	24.7	25.0	61.0
	Strongly agree	248	38.5	39.0	100.0
	Total	636	98.8	100.0	
Missing	System	8	1.2		
Total		644	100.0		

Q17i. I have a metropolitan-based clinician as a mentor

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly disagree	267	41.5	42.4	42.4
	Somewhat disagree	102	15.8	16.2	58.6
	Neutral	141	21.9	22.4	81.0
	Somewhat agree	79	12.3	12.5	93.5
	Strongly agree	41	6.4	6.5	100.0
	Total	630	97.8	100.0	
Missing	System	14	2.2		
Total		644	100.0		

Q18a. My RCS clinical supervisors gave adequate help and advice

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly disagree	8	1.2	1.3	1.3
	Somewhat disagree	18	2.8	2.8	4.1
	Neutral	34	5.3	5.3	9.4
	Somewhat agree	273	42.4	42.8	52.2
	Strongly agree	305	47.4	47.8	100.0
	Total	638	99.1	100.0	
Missing	System	6	.9		
Total		644	100.0		

Q18b. My RCS clinical supervisors were approachable

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly disagree	8	1.2	1.3	1.3
	Somewhat disagree	14	2.2	2.2	3.4
	Neutral	24	3.7	3.8	7.2
	Somewhat agree	207	32.1	32.4	39.7
	Strongly agree	385	59.8	60.3	100.0
	Total	638	99.1	100.0	
Missing	System	6	.9		
Total		644	100.0		

Q18c. My RCS clinical supervisors were enthusiastic

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly disagree	6	.9	.9	.9
	Somewhat disagree	13	2.0	2.0	3.0
	Neutral	43	6.7	6.7	9.7
	Somewhat agree	226	35.1	35.3	45.0
	Strongly agree	352	54.7	55.0	100.0
	Total	640	99.4	100.0	
Missing	System	4	.6		
Total		644	100.0		

Q18d. My RCS clinical supervisors assisted me in identifying my learning needs

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly disagree	15	2.3	2.4	2.4
	Somewhat disagree	47	7.3	7.4	9.7
	Neutral	82	12.7	12.9	22.6
	Somewhat agree	280	43.5	43.9	66.5
	Strongly agree	214	33.2	33.5	100.0
	Total	638	99.1	100.0	
Missing	System	6	.9		
Total		644	100.0		

Q18e. My RCS clinical supervisors treated me with respect

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly disagree	9	1.4	1.4	1.4
	Somewhat disagree	16	2.5	2.5	3.9
	Neutral	34	5.3	5.3	9.2
	Somewhat agree	205	31.8	32.1	41.3
	Strongly agree	375	58.2	58.7	100.0
	Total	639	99.2	100.0	
Missing	System	5	.8		
Total		644	100.0		

Q18f. My RCS clinical supervisors facilitated a learning environment

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly disagree	10	1.6	1.6	1.6
	Somewhat disagree	19	3.0	3.0	4.5
	Neutral	42	6.5	6.6	11.1
	Somewhat agree	254	39.4	39.7	50.9
	Strongly agree	314	48.8	49.1	100.0
	Total	639	99.2	100.0	
Missing	System	5	.8		
Total		644	100.0		

Q18g. My RCS clinical supervisors gave me sufficient autonomy in a clinical setting

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly disagree	10	1.6	1.6	1.6
	Somewhat disagree	24	3.7	3.8	5.3
	Neutral	39	6.1	6.1	11.4
	Somewhat agree	246	38.2	38.4	49.8
	Strongly agree	321	49.8	50.2	100.0
	Total	640	99.4	100.0	
Missing	System	4	.6		
Total		644	100.0		

Q18h. My RCS clinical supervisors gave me constructive feedback

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly disagree	8	1.2	1.3	1.3
	Somewhat disagree	40	6.2	6.3	7.5
	Neutral	70	10.9	10.9	18.4
	Somewhat agree	295	45.8	46.1	64.5
	Strongly agree	227	35.2	35.5	100.0
	Total	640	99.4	100.0	
Missing	System	4	.6		
Total		644	100.0		

Q18i. My RCS clinical supervisors were excellent role models

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly disagree	11	1.7	1.7	1.7
	Somewhat disagree	21	3.3	3.3	5.0
	Neutral	67	10.4	10.5	15.5
	Somewhat agree	220	34.2	34.4	49.9
	Strongly agree	320	49.7	50.1	100.0
	Total	639	99.2	100.0	
Missing	System	5	.8		
Total		644	100.0		

Q18j. My RCS clinical supervisors provided me with access to people with a wide range of health problems

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly disagree	9	1.4	1.4	1.4
	Somewhat disagree	25	3.9	3.9	5.3
	Neutral	61	9.5	9.6	14.9
	Somewhat agree	272	42.2	42.7	57.6
	Strongly agree	270	41.9	42.4	100.0
	Total	637	98.9	100.0	
Missing	System	7	1.1		
Total		644	100.0		

Q18k. My RCS clinical supervisors provided me with appropriate clinical responsibilities

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly disagree	6	.9	.9	.9
	Somewhat disagree	25	3.9	3.9	4.8
	Neutral	64	9.9	10.0	14.8
	Somewhat agree	270	41.9	42.2	57.0
	Strongly agree	275	42.7	43.0	100.0
	Total	640	99.4	100.0	
Missing	System	4	.6		
Total		644	100.0		

Q18l. My RCS clinical supervisors provided opportunities to follow patients through the course of their illness

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly disagree	4	.6	.6	.6
	Somewhat disagree	26	4.0	4.1	4.7
	Neutral	81	12.6	12.7	17.4
	Somewhat agree	251	39.0	39.3	56.7
	Strongly agree	277	43.0	43.3	100.0
	Total	639	99.2	100.0	
Missing	System	5	.8		
Total		644	100.0		

Q18m. My RCS clinical supervisors facilitated the development of my decision-making about patient management

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly disagree	8	1.2	1.3	1.3
	Somewhat disagree	20	3.1	3.1	4.4
	Neutral	57	8.9	8.9	13.3
	Somewhat agree	287	44.6	44.9	58.2
	Strongly agree	267	41.5	41.8	100.0
	Total	639	99.2	100.0	
Missing	System	5	.8		
Total		644	100.0		

Q18n. My RCS clinical supervisors provided appropriate supervision of my clinical decisions

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly disagree	5	.8	.8	.8
	Somewhat disagree	17	2.6	2.7	3.5
	Neutral	49	7.6	7.7	11.1
	Somewhat agree	279	43.3	43.8	54.9
	Strongly agree	287	44.6	45.1	100.0
	Total	637	98.9	100.0	
Missing	System	7	1.1		
Total		644	100.0		

Q18o. Overall my clinical school provided an excellent clinical education

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly disagree	12	1.9	1.9	1.9
	Somewhat disagree	18	2.8	2.8	4.7
	Neutral	51	7.9	8.0	12.7
	Somewhat agree	228	35.4	35.7	48.4
	Strongly agree	330	51.2	51.6	100.0
	Total	639	99.2	100.0	
Missing	System	5	.8		
Total		644	100.0		

Q19a. I was provided with learning experiences that promoted cultural understanding/an understanding of cultural issues in rural medicine

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Never	6	.9	.9	.9
	Rarely	68	10.6	10.7	11.7
	Sometimes	182	28.3	28.7	40.3
	Often	248	38.5	39.1	79.4
	Frequently	131	20.3	20.6	100.0
	Total	635	98.6	100.0	
Missing	System	9	1.4		
Total		644	100.0		

Q19b. The medical curriculum at my RCS promotes an understanding of and commitment to improving the health status of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly disagree	33	5.1	5.2	5.2
	Somewhat disagree	77	12.0	12.2	17.4
	Neutral	133	20.7	21.1	38.5
	Somewhat agree	251	39.0	39.8	78.3
	Strongly agree	137	21.3	21.7	100.0
	Total	631	98.0	100.0	
Missing	System	13	2.0		
Total		644	100.0		

Q20a. Rural practice is too hard

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly disagree	161	25.0	25.3	25.3
	Somewhat disagree	371	57.6	58.3	83.6
	Neutral	85	13.2	13.4	97.0
	Somewhat agree	17	2.6	2.7	99.7
	Strongly agree	2	.3	.3	100.0
	Total	636	98.8	100.0	
Missing	System	8	1.2		
Total		644	100.0		

Q20b. I have necessary skills to practise in a rural setting

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly disagree	6	.9	.9	.9
	Somewhat disagree	32	5.0	5.0	6.0
	Neutral	126	19.6	19.9	25.9
	Somewhat agree	408	63.4	64.4	90.2
	Strongly agree	62	9.6	9.8	100.0
	Total	634	98.4	100.0	
Missing	System	10	1.6		
Total		644	100.0		

Q20c. I get a sinking (anxious) feeling when I think of working in a rural setting

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly disagree	231	35.9	36.4	36.4
	Somewhat disagree	277	43.0	43.6	80.0
	Neutral	87	13.5	13.7	93.7
	Somewhat agree	32	5.0	5.0	98.7
	Strongly agree	8	1.2	1.3	100.0
	Total	635	98.6	100.0	
Missing	System	9	1.4		
Total		644	100.0		

Q20d. I have a strong positive feeling when I think of working in a rural setting

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly disagree	9	1.4	1.4	1.4
	Somewhat disagree	32	5.0	5.0	6.4
	Neutral	148	23.0	23.3	29.7
	Somewhat agree	293	45.5	46.1	75.8
	Strongly agree	154	23.9	24.2	100.0
	Total	636	98.8	100.0	
Missing	System	8	1.2		
Total		644	100.0		

Q20e. People tell me I should work in a rural setting

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly disagree	7	1.1	1.1	1.1
	Somewhat disagree	54	8.4	8.5	9.6
	Neutral	183	28.4	28.8	38.4
	Somewhat agree	265	41.1	41.7	80.2
	Strongly agree	126	19.6	19.8	100.0
	Total	635	98.6	100.0	
Missing	System	9	1.4		
Total		644	100.0		

Q20f. I see people like me taking up rural clinical practice

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly disagree	13	2.0	2.0	2.0
	Somewhat disagree	67	10.4	10.6	12.6
	Neutral	134	20.8	21.1	33.7
	Somewhat agree	311	48.3	49.0	82.7
	Strongly agree	110	17.1	17.3	100.0
	Total	635	98.6	100.0	
Missing	System	9	1.4		
Total		644	100.0		

Q21a. I am confident taking a purposeful history

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Somewhat disagree	2	.3	.3	.3
	Neutral	24	3.7	3.8	4.1
	Somewhat agree	328	50.9	51.5	55.6
	Strongly agree	283	43.9	44.4	100.0
	Total	637	98.9	100.0	
Missing	System	7	1.1		
Total		644	100.0		

Q21b. I am confident completing a focused physical examination

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Somewhat disagree	2	.3	.3	.3
	Neutral	47	7.3	7.4	7.7
	Somewhat agree	398	61.8	62.6	70.3
	Strongly agree	189	29.3	29.7	100.0
	Total	636	98.8	100.0	
Missing	System	8	1.2		
Total		644	100.0		

Q21c. I am confident writing a meaningful file entry

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly disagree	2	.3	.3	.3
	Somewhat disagree	23	3.6	3.6	3.9
	Neutral	71	11.0	11.1	15.1
	Somewhat agree	351	54.5	55.1	70.2
	Strongly agree	190	29.5	29.8	100.0
	Total	637	98.9	100.0	
Missing	System	7	1.1		
Total		644	100.0		

Q21d. I am confident completing venous cannulation

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly disagree	4	.6	.6	.6
	Somewhat disagree	44	6.8	6.9	7.5
	Neutral	73	11.3	11.5	19.0
	Somewhat agree	303	47.0	47.6	66.7
	Strongly agree	212	32.9	33.3	100.0
	Total	636	98.8	100.0	
Missing	System	8	1.2		
Total		644	100.0		

Q21e. I can accurately summarise the patient's presentation

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly disagree	1	.2	.2	.2
	Somewhat disagree	14	2.2	2.2	2.4
	Neutral	70	10.9	11.0	13.4
	Somewhat agree	398	61.8	62.6	75.9
	Strongly agree	153	23.8	24.1	100.0
	Total	636	98.8	100.0	
Missing	System	8	1.2		
Total		644	100.0		

Q21f. I can behave like a doctor

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Somewhat disagree	8	1.2	1.3	1.3
	Neutral	61	9.5	9.6	10.8
	Somewhat agree	342	53.1	53.7	64.5
	Strongly agree	226	35.1	35.5	100.0
	Total	637	98.9	100.0	
Missing	System	7	1.1		
Total		644	100.0		

Q21g. I can apply ethical principles to the situations I face

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Somewhat disagree	3	.5	.5	.5
	Neutral	21	3.3	3.3	3.8
	Somewhat agree	349	54.2	54.8	58.6
	Strongly agree	264	41.0	41.4	100.0
	Total	637	98.9	100.0	
Missing	System	7	1.1		
Total		644	100.0		

Q21h. I am confident to interpret an ECG

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly disagree	8	1.2	1.3	1.3
	Somewhat disagree	42	6.5	6.6	7.9
	Neutral	108	16.8	17.0	24.8
	Somewhat agree	338	52.5	53.1	78.0
	Strongly agree	140	21.7	22.0	100.0
	Total	636	98.8	100.0	
Missing	System	8	1.2		
Total		644	100.0		

Q22a. I adhere to policies and procedures that ensure client safety and quality of care

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Somewhat disagree	1	.2	.2	.2
	Neutral	13	2.0	2.0	2.2
	Somewhat agree	335	52.0	52.5	54.7
	Strongly agree	289	44.9	45.3	100.0
	Total	638	99.1	100.0	
Missing	System	6	.9		
Total		644	100.0		

Q22b. I can effectively communicate my own professional perspective on client safety and quality of care

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Somewhat disagree	4	.6	.6	.6
	Neutral	32	5.0	5.0	5.6
	Somewhat agree	383	59.5	60.0	65.7
	Strongly agree	219	34.0	34.3	100.0
	Total	638	99.1	100.0	
Missing	System	6	.9		
Total		644	100.0		

Q22c. I can identify major factors that impact on the safety and quality of service/care for clients

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Somewhat disagree	3	.5	.5	.5
	Neutral	35	5.4	5.5	6.0
	Somewhat agree	395	61.3	62.2	68.2
	Strongly agree	202	31.4	31.8	100.0
	Total	635	98.6	100.0	
Missing	System	9	1.4		
Total		644	100.0		

Q22d. I can explore the point of view of other professionals in the provision of services/care

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Somewhat disagree	3	.5	.5	.5
	Neutral	46	7.1	7.2	7.7
	Somewhat agree	391	60.7	61.3	69.0
	Strongly agree	198	30.7	31.0	100.0
	Total	638	99.1	100.0	
Missing	System	6	.9		
Total		644	100.0		

Q22e. I critically reflect on service/care outcomes, policies and procedures

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly disagree	1	.2	.2	.2
	Somewhat disagree	19	3.0	3.0	3.1
	Neutral	109	16.9	17.1	20.3
	Somewhat agree	365	56.7	57.3	77.6
	Strongly agree	143	22.2	22.4	100.0
	Total	637	98.9	100.0	
Missing	System	7	1.1		
Total		644	100.0		

Q22f. I contribute to the evaluation of client safety and quality outcomes in university and fieldwork settings

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly disagree	9	1.4	1.4	1.4
	Somewhat disagree	44	6.8	6.9	8.3
	Neutral	132	20.5	20.7	29.0
	Somewhat agree	324	50.3	50.9	79.9
	Strongly agree	128	19.9	20.1	100.0
	Total	637	98.9	100.0	
Missing	System	7	1.1		
Total		644	100.0		

Q22g. I can describe my roles and responsibilities clearly to patients, and other professionals

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly disagree	1	.2	.2	.2
	Somewhat disagree	9	1.4	1.4	1.6
	Neutral	33	5.1	5.2	6.8
	Somewhat agree	369	57.3	57.9	64.7
	Strongly agree	225	34.9	35.3	100.0
	Total	637	98.9	100.0	
Missing	System	7	1.1		
Total		644	100.0		

Q22h. I am confident in my knowledge of the role of other professionals

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly disagree	2	.3	.3	.3
	Somewhat disagree	20	3.1	3.1	3.4
	Neutral	86	13.4	13.5	16.9
	Somewhat agree	370	57.5	58.0	74.9
	Strongly agree	160	24.8	25.1	100.0
	Total	638	99.1	100.0	
Missing	System	6	.9		
Total		644	100.0		

Q22i. I frequently participate in the interprofessional exchange of knowledge and collaborative decision making to plan and implement service/care plans

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly disagree	7	1.1	1.1	1.1
	Somewhat disagree	67	10.4	10.5	11.6
	Neutral	121	18.8	19.0	30.6
	Somewhat agree	319	49.5	50.1	80.7
	Strongly agree	123	19.1	19.3	100.0
	Total	637	98.9	100.0	
Missing	System	7	1.1		
Total		644	100.0		

Q22j. I frequently see the benefits of interprofessional exchange of knowledge on client safety and quality of care

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly disagree	1	.2	.2	.2
	Somewhat disagree	21	3.3	3.3	3.5
	Neutral	60	9.3	9.4	12.9
	Somewhat agree	370	57.5	58.2	71.1
	Strongly agree	184	28.6	28.9	100.0
	Total	636	98.8	100.0	
Missing	System	8	1.2		
Total		644	100.0		

Q22k. I am confident to initiate exchange of professional knowledge and shared decision making to improve service/care delivery

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly disagree	3	.5	.5	.5
	Somewhat disagree	31	4.8	4.9	5.3
	Neutral	92	14.3	14.4	19.8
	Somewhat agree	378	58.7	59.3	79.1
	Strongly agree	133	20.7	20.9	100.0
	Total	637	98.9	100.0	
Missing	System	7	1.1		
Total		644	100.0		

Q22l. I understand how to work in partnership with the client and other team members to plan and implement service/care plans

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly disagree	1	.2	.2	.2
	Somewhat disagree	8	1.2	1.3	1.4
	Neutral	52	8.1	8.2	9.6
	Somewhat agree	392	60.9	61.4	71.0
	Strongly agree	185	28.7	29.0	100.0
	Total	638	99.1	100.0	
Missing	System	6	.9		
Total		644	100.0		

Q22m. I communicate with other team members in a manner that promotes positive interactions

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly disagree	1	.2	.2	.2
	Somewhat disagree	8	1.2	1.3	1.4
	Neutral	42	6.5	6.6	8.0
	Somewhat agree	367	57.0	57.5	65.5
	Strongly agree	220	34.2	34.5	100.0
	Total	638	99.1	100.0	
Missing	System	6	.9		
Total		644	100.0		

Q22n. I frequently reflect on my contribution to teamwork experiences

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly disagree	2	.3	.3	.3
	Somewhat disagree	27	4.2	4.2	4.6
	Neutral	116	18.0	18.2	22.8
	Somewhat agree	320	49.7	50.2	73.0
	Strongly agree	172	26.7	27.0	100.0
	Total	637	98.9	100.0	
Missing	System	7	1.1		
Total		644	100.0		

Q22o. I can describe common situations where conflict may arise in interprofessional teams

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly disagree	4	.6	.6	.6
	Somewhat disagree	33	5.1	5.2	5.8
	Neutral	96	14.9	15.0	20.8
	Somewhat agree	350	54.3	54.9	75.7
	Strongly agree	155	24.1	24.3	100.0
	Total	638	99.1	100.0	
Missing	System	6	.9		
Total		644	100.0		

Q22p.I participate actively in the resolution of conflicts that arise in interprofessional teams

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly disagree	23	3.6	3.6	3.6
	Somewhat disagree	107	16.6	16.8	20.4
	Neutral	171	26.6	26.9	47.3
	Somewhat agree	241	37.4	37.9	85.2
	Strongly agree	94	14.6	14.8	100.0
	Total	636	98.8	100.0	
Missing	System	8	1.2		
Total		644	100.0		

Q23a. During my placement I received formal tuition regarding career options for rural medical practice

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly disagree	72	11.2	11.4	11.4
	Somewhat disagree	228	35.4	36.0	47.3
	Neutral	167	25.9	26.3	73.7
	Somewhat agree	125	19.4	19.7	93.4
	Strongly agree	42	6.5	6.6	100.0
	Total	634	98.4	100.0	
Missing	System	10	1.6		
Total		644	100.0		

Q23b. During my placement I received informal information regarding career options for rural medical practice

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly disagree	24	3.7	3.8	3.8
	Somewhat disagree	84	13.0	13.2	17.0
	Neutral	84	13.0	13.2	30.2
	Somewhat agree	324	50.3	50.9	81.1
	Strongly agree	120	18.6	18.9	100.0
	Total	636	98.8	100.0	
Missing	System	8	1.2		
Total		644	100.0		

Q23c. During my placement I had the opportunity to work with junior doctors undertaking training for rural practice

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly disagree	25	3.9	3.9	3.9
	Somewhat disagree	44	6.8	6.9	10.8
	Neutral	56	8.7	8.8	19.7
	Somewhat agree	288	44.7	45.3	64.9
	Strongly agree	223	34.6	35.1	100.0
	Total	636	98.8	100.0	
Missing	System	8	1.2		
Total		644	100.0		

Q24a. Were you a member of your University's student rural health club during the preclinical years of the course?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	0	262	40.7	41.6	41.6
	Strongly disagree	368	57.1	58.4	100.0
	Total	630	97.8	100.0	
Missing	System	14	2.2		
Total		644	100.0		

Q24b-a. My rural health club activities helped me to have positive and realistic expectations of a rural placement

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly disagree	15	2.3	3.6	3.6
	Somewhat disagree	64	9.9	15.4	19.0
	Neutral	155	24.1	37.3	56.3
	Somewhat agree	152	23.6	36.5	92.8
	Strongly agree	30	4.7	7.2	100.0
	Total	416	64.6	100.0	
Missing	System	228	35.4		
Total		644	100.0		

Q24b-b. My rural health club activities increased my intention of practicing in a rural area compared to my intention when entering medical school

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly disagree	22	3.4	5.4	5.4
	Somewhat disagree	84	13.0	20.5	25.9
	Neutral	151	23.4	36.8	62.7
	Somewhat agree	116	18.0	28.3	91.0
	Strongly agree	37	5.7	9.0	100.0
	Total	410	63.7	100.0	
Missing	System	234	36.3		
Total		644	100.0		