



Accreditation Summary Report

Program name	Fellowship of the Royal Australasian College of Dental Surgeons Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery [FRACDS(OMS)]
Program provider	Royal Australasian College of Dental Surgeons
Accredited campus(es)	Various sites
Program length	60 months
Registration category	Dental specialist oral and maxillofacial surgery
Qualification type	Specialist practitioner training
Australian Qualifications Framework Level	Not applicable
Accreditation standards version	June 2010, version 1.0
Date of site evaluation	October/November 2012
Date of ADC decision	16 November 2012
Accreditation outcome	Re-accreditation
Accreditation end date	31 December 2016

Background

The Fellowship of the Royal Australasian College of Dental Surgeons in Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery (FRACDS (OMS)) commenced at the Royal Australasian College of Dental Surgeons (RACDS) in 2006.

The program is jointly accredited by the Australian Dental Council (ADC) and Australian Medical Council (AMC). Accreditation until December 2012 was conditional upon satisfactory annual reports and a comprehensive report on the program in July 2012 to determine if the period of accreditation might be extended for up to 4 years.

This summary relates to the consideration of the comprehensive report received in July 2012.

Summary of the outcomes of the ADC's accreditation

Accreditation was carried out against the accreditation standards of both the ADC and the AMC and following a process that combined the standard ADC and AMC accreditation processes.

The ADC found that the delivery of the program was satisfactory with no areas of significant concern. Progress on recommendations in the comprehensive report will be monitored through Annual Reports.

ADC's accreditation decision

On 16 November 2012 the ADC Board re-accredited the Fellowship of the Royal Australasian College of Dental Surgeons Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery until 31 December 2016.