

# Licensing the 2020 graduating cohorts

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The shared position of the medical regulatory authorities of Canada is the following:

*Final year medical students who have completed their undergraduate training but not yet taken the Medical Council of Canada Qualifying Examination Part One will still be able to obtain an educational license to enter residency training in Canada on 1 July 2020, provided that:*

- a. they have an offer of a residency position in Canada;*
- b. the medical regulatory authority has received confirmation of graduation from the Dean's Office of a Canadian medical school; and*
- c. they understand that they must take the MCC QE Part One at the earliest opportunity.*

*Graduating residents will be eligible for a provisional / temporary / restricted license in a Canadian province, provided that:*

- a. they have confirmation that they completed their postgraduate training program in Canada;*
- b. they have received notice of eligibility to take the certification exam (from the College of Family Physicians of Canada or the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada); and*
- c. they understand that they must take the certification exam at the earliest opportunity.*

*For specific information on any other requirements or conditions, all trainees are invited to consult the website of the relevant medical regulatory authority or contact the MRA: [www.fmrac.ca/members](http://www.fmrac.ca/members)*



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