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Senator: Senator Fierravanti-Wells

Question:

Are there framework documents for measuring quality in training of general practitioners? If so, please provide.

Answer:

Supervisors, training practices and regional training providers involved in the Australian General Practice Training (AGPT) program must be accredited against the relevant College training standards. All training within the AGPT program must be provided in accordance with the College curricula. Links to the College training standards and curricula are below.

Royal Australian College of General Practitioners:

- General Practice Vocational Training Standards - <http://www.racgp.org.au/vocationaltraining/standards>
- Curriculum - <http://www.racgp.org.au/curriculum>

Australian College of Rural and Remote Medicine:

- Regional training provider standards - <https://www.acrrm.org.au/files/uploads/pdf/regional%20training%20providers/8.3%20Standards%20for%20regional%20training%20provider%20recognition.pdf>
- Supervisors and teaching posts - <https://www.acrrm.org.au/teaching-posts>
- Curriculum - <https://www.acrrm.org.au/primary-curriculum>