

Viva Practice for Colorectal Trainees Sitting the FRCS Exit Exam

Feedback - May 2021

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This half-day course was intended for trainees with a declared subspecialty interest in colorectal surgery preparing for the FRCS (Gen Surg) Exit Exam. The session comprised of active case discussions and viva practice for a small number of delegates. The highlight of the course was the one-to-one vivas and focused, individual, structured feedback. The course was primarily intended for those who are preparing to appear for the exam within the next 6 to 8 weeks.

Course Information

Venue:	Online Via Zoom
Dates:	21st May 2021
Attendance:	8 Delegates
Aimed at:	Medical Students
Course Fee :	£60.00



Programme

1000 – 1010 Introduction and Format

1010 – 1030 How to Interpret MRI of the Rectum

1030 – 1245 Viva Practice, Case Discussion, and Individual Tailored Feedback

1030 – 1045 Case 1 + 5 mins feedback

1045 – 1100 Case 2 + 5 mins feedback

1100 – 1115 Case 3 + 5 mins feedback

1115 – 1130 Case 4 + 5 mins feedback

1130 – 1145 Case 5 + 5 mins feedback

1145 – 1200 Case 6 + 5 mins feedback

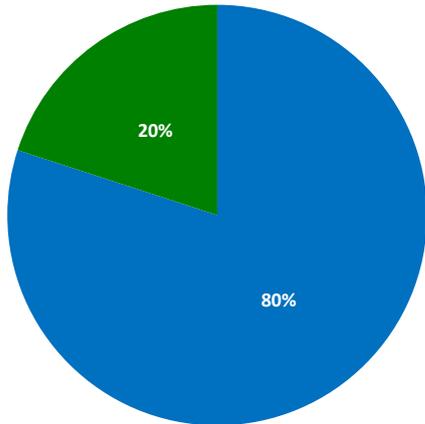
1215 – 1230 Case 7 + 5 mins feedback

1230 – 1245 Case 8 + 5 mins feedback

1245 – 1300 Debrief and Feedback

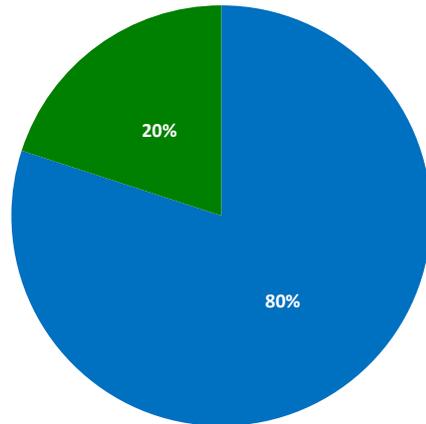
Overall Feedback

How was the content of the course?



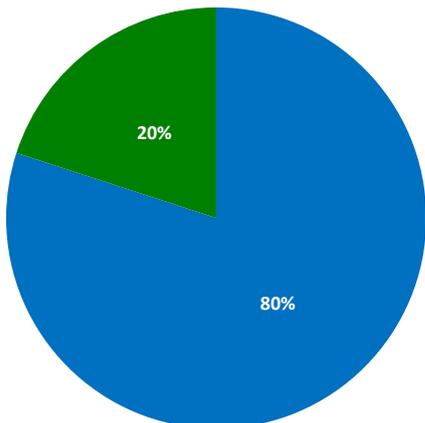
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How would you rate the general academic standard of the faculty?



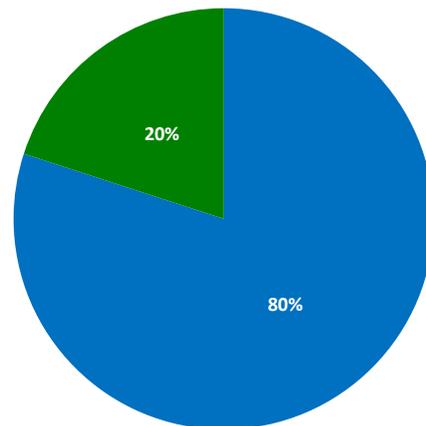
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How would you rate the relevance of the course to your exam?



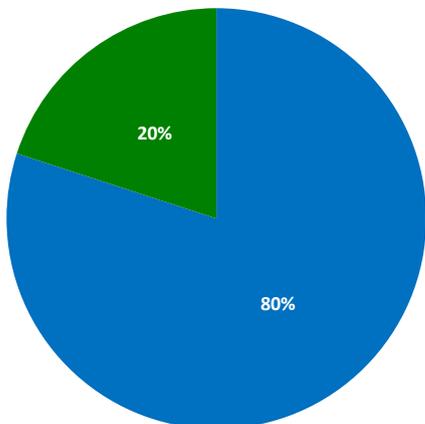
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Introduction and Format



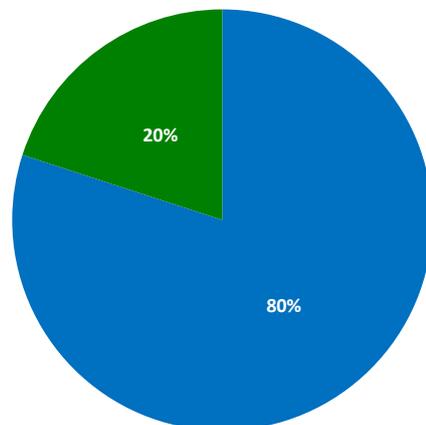
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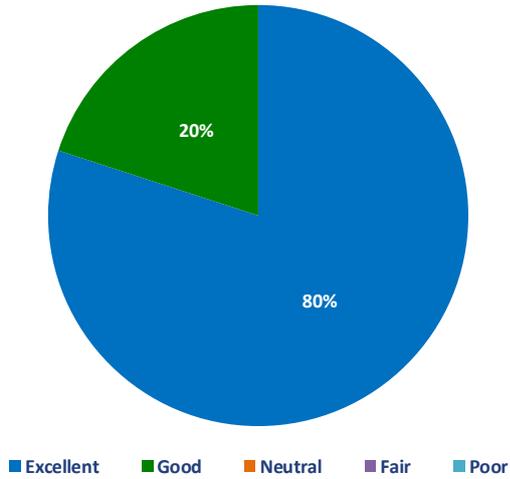
Viva Practice, Case Discussion, and Individual Tailored Feedback



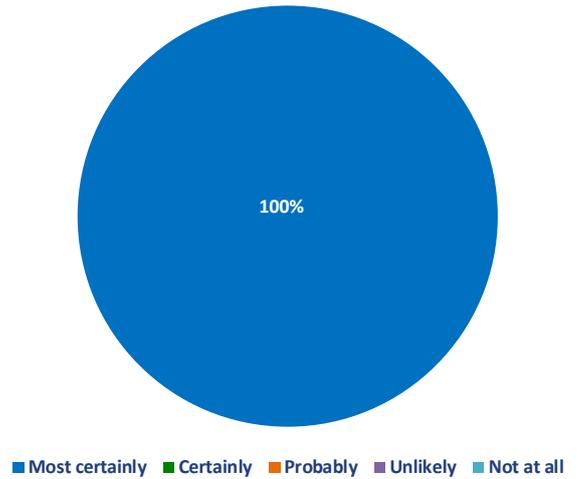
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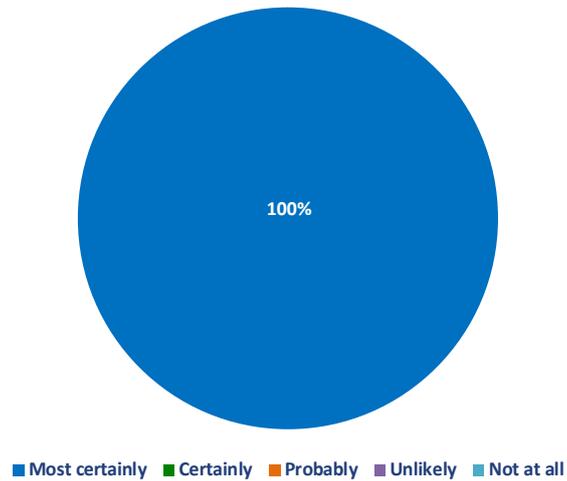
How would you rate the appropriateness of Zoom for the delivery of this course?



Would you recommend this course to a friend?



Do you think that this course provided good value for money?



Individual Comments

Very good and clear organisation. We suggest more focused courses like this. It will refresh and make our thoughts more organized.

FA

Dubai Hospital, Dubai

Really good to get some viva practice a week before the exam. The sessions were very relevant and I thought the format worked well. The MRI lecture was brilliant as well. For £45 it is great value as well. Would definitely recommend it to others.

SP

Salisbury NHS Foundation Trust, United Kingdom

Good timing prior to the exam.

MA

Queen Elizabeth Hospital, Birmingham, United Kingdom

An excellent and informative session.

MM

Dumfries and Galloway NHS, United Kingdom



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