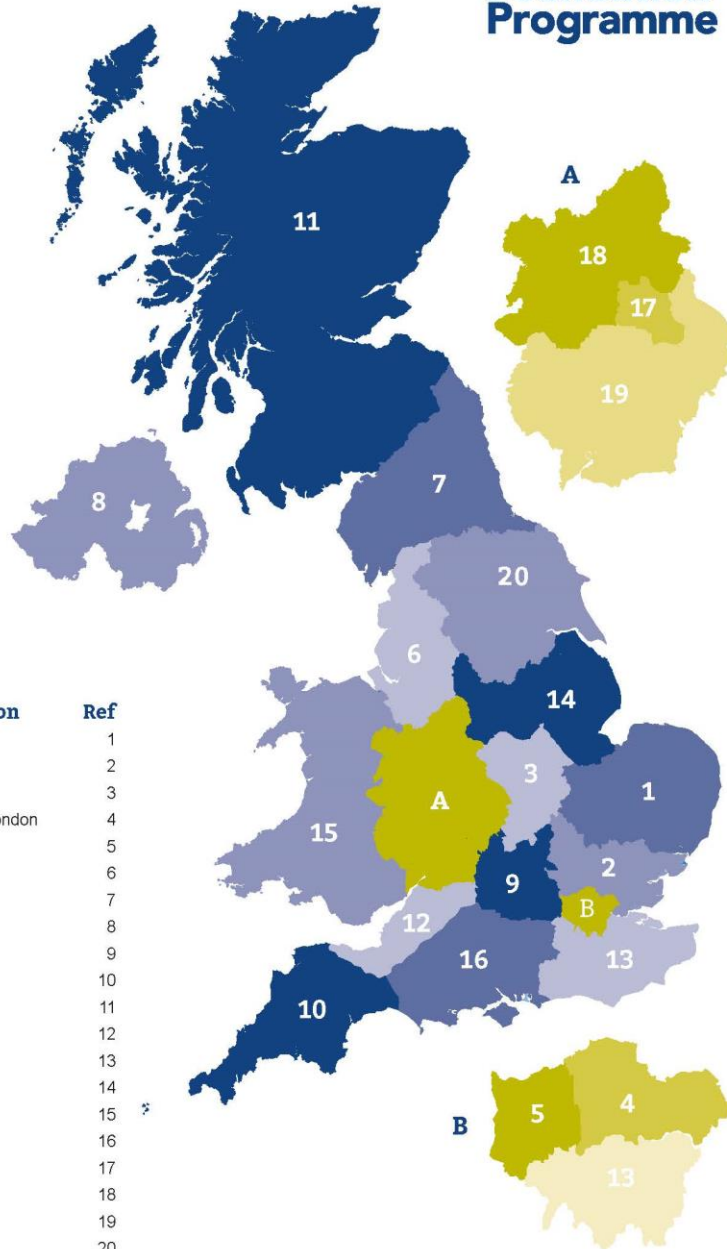




Applying to UKFP 2021





Unit of Application	Ref
East Anglia	1
EBH	2
LNR	3
North Central & East London	4
North West London	5
North West of England	6
Northern	7
Northern Ireland	8
Oxford	9
Peninsula	10
Scotland	11
Severn	12
South Thames	13
Trent	14
Wales	15
Wessex	16
West Midlands Central	17
West Midlands North	18
West Midlands South	19
Yorkshire and Humber	20

20 Foundation Schools / Units of Application (UoAs)

15 Academic Units of Application (AUoAs)

Oriel



Oriel 

Welcome to Oriel. Oriel is the UK wide portal for recruitment to postgraduate medical, dental, public health, healthcare science and pharmacy training programmes. Oriel enables applicants to register for training, view vacancies, apply, book interviews and assessment centres and manage offers - all within a single central location.

Foundation Programme Eligibility applicants: If you have any information on your dashboard regarding FP2018 before you apply to eligibility, please disregard this and continue to apply. If you have any queries, please email the Eligibility Office.

Academic IELTS: If you are required to submit an Academic IELTS as part of your Foundation Programme eligibility application, please

Help Please select from the options below

2021 recruitment

Only select this option if you are an applicant applying to or continuing an application to one of the following processes:

- Pre-registration Pharmacy (England and Wales) for placements starting in August 2021
- Pre-registration Pharmacy (Bradford University) for placements starting in August 2021
- Pre-registration Pharmacy (Scotland) for placements starting in August 2021
- UK Foundation Programme for placements starting in August 2021
- Dental Vocation Training (DVT; England, Wales and Northern Ireland) for placements starting in August 2021
- Dental Vocation Training (DVT; Scotland) for placements starting in August 2021
- Orthodontics ST4 for placements starting in February 2021

Go to the new Oriel System

UK Foundation Programme
UK Foundation Programme





Medical & Dental Specialities
Medical & Dental Specialities

Healthcare Sciences
Healthcare Sciences

Pharmacy Programme
Pharmacy Programme

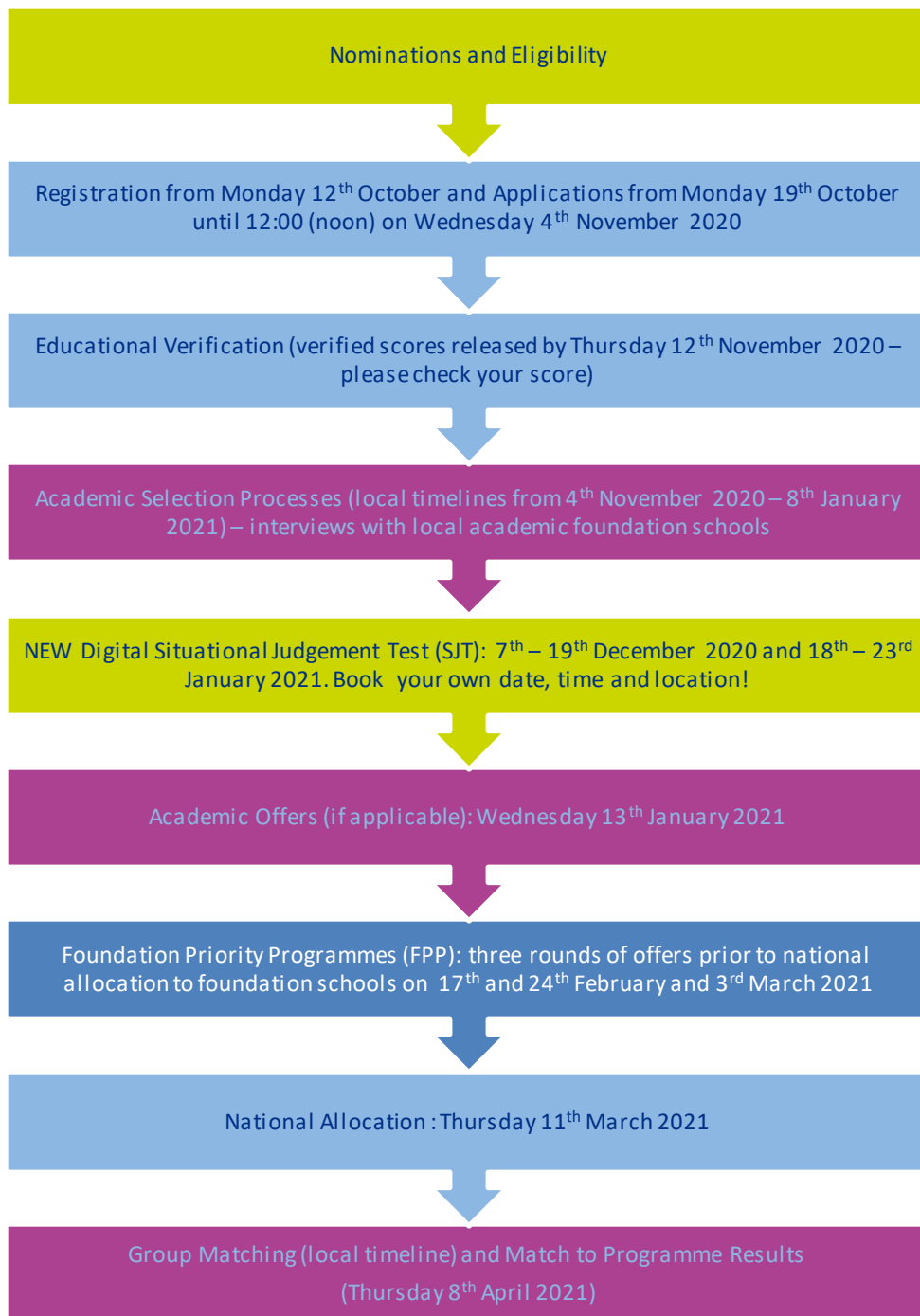
Referees, Assessors and Employers Home Page
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Remember my selection

About Oriel

The objective of Oriel is to improve the journey of applicants who apply for medical and dental training by introducing a single portal where they can register, view vacancies, apply, book interviews and assessment centres (and in 2015 receive Offers). The system is being piloted with ST3 specialities in February 2014, with further roll-out planned to other specialities in September 2014. The name 'Oriel' represents a window of opportunity and the progression of trainee doctors and dentists throughout specialty training.



National Timeline



Nomination / Registration



- All UK graduates from the last two years are nominated by the medical school
- You will receive an email inviting you to confirm your nomination and register on Oriel – **click the link and create a password**
- If you do not receive this email, **contact your medical school** immediately
- You must register with the email address your medical school used to nominate you with

Vacancy Search

The screenshot displays the Oriel Vacancy Search interface. At the top, the Oriel logo is on the left, the date and time '5/18/2020 1:41:19 PM' are in the center, and 'UAT environment' is on the right. A navigation sidebar on the left includes links for Dashboard, Vacancies, Foundation programmes, Recruitment leads, Resource Bank, News, and FAQs. The main content area is titled 'Search criteria' and features a search bar, a toggle for 'Include closed vacancies' (set to 'No'), and an 'Advanced search filters' section with a toggle set to 'On'. Below this are several dropdown menus for 'I am applying for:', 'Recruitment lead:', 'Recruiting for:', 'Training programme:', and 'Post type:'. A 'Search' button and a 'Clear' button are at the bottom right of the search area. The results section shows '4 results found' and a list of vacancies. The first result is 'Foundation Programme - 2FP', which is highlighted with a blue bar and an 'Open' button. To the right of the list, there is a 'Share' button, a 'View application form' button, and an 'Apply' button. A detailed view of the 'Foundation Programme - 2FP' vacancy is shown on the right, including the following information:

Vacancy ID:	UKFPO/21-22/PWY/0100474150/FP
Training programme:	Foundation Programme
Staff group:	Foundation
Grades (Places):	2FP(8000)
Post type:	Foundation Programme (2 year)

You must complete and submit your application form on Oriel between **Monday 19th October and 12.00 midday UK time on Wednesday 4th November 2020.**

Late applications will not be accepted under any circumstances.

Application Score

Educational Performance Measure
(EPM) Score (43 for decile + 7 for
additional educational achievements
(EA) = maximum of 50)

+

Situational Judgement Test Score (SJT)
(maximum of 50)

= Total FP Score (maximum of 100)

Educational Performance Measure (EPM)



Decile score calculated by medical school (max. 43) plus any additional educational achievements (max. 7). Max. total = 50.

Verified scores released by 12th November 2020.

Decile	Score
1	43
2	42
3	41
4	40
5	39
6	38
7	37
8	36
9	35
10	34

Educational Achievements (EA)



Additional Degree
(one only)

Evidence to be
uploaded as part of
application form

Maximum: 5 points

Publication

(maximum of two)

1 point per publication
PUBMED ID

Maximum: 2 points

Maximum of 7 points in total for EA

Additional Degree

- Awarded / ratified by application deadline
- Evidence of Level 7 Masters for 4 points
- Upload evidence as a single document
- No transcripts
- No Higher Education Achievement Reports (HEAR)

Publication(s)

- Publication must be published and available on PUBMED
- Include PUBMED ID on application form
- Author and title on application form must be identifiable on PUBMED
- Points will not be awarded for collaborators
- No DOI, ISBN or PMCID numbers
- Avoid copying and pasting PMID numbers
- Double check your PUBMED ID before submission



Situational Judgement Test (SJT)

New Digital Test for 2021

foundationprogramme.nhs.uk

twitter: @UKFPO

Situational Judgement Test (SJT)



- The SJT is a measure of meeting the attributes required to be a foundation doctor, as defined in the national FP personal specification
- It is not an assessment of your clinical knowledge
- All applicants are required to sit the SJT, including AFP applicants and defence deanery
- Reasonable adjustments
- Extenuating circumstances

Situational Judgement Test (SJT)


- Strict test environment
- 70 questions
- 2 hours 20 minutes
- ID checked, no smart watches and no removal of papers
- Scores marked nationally and translated to a 0- 50 point scale
- Practice papers, OMR answer sheet and resources, available on UKFPO website




SJT Booking
window:
9th – 23rd
November 2020



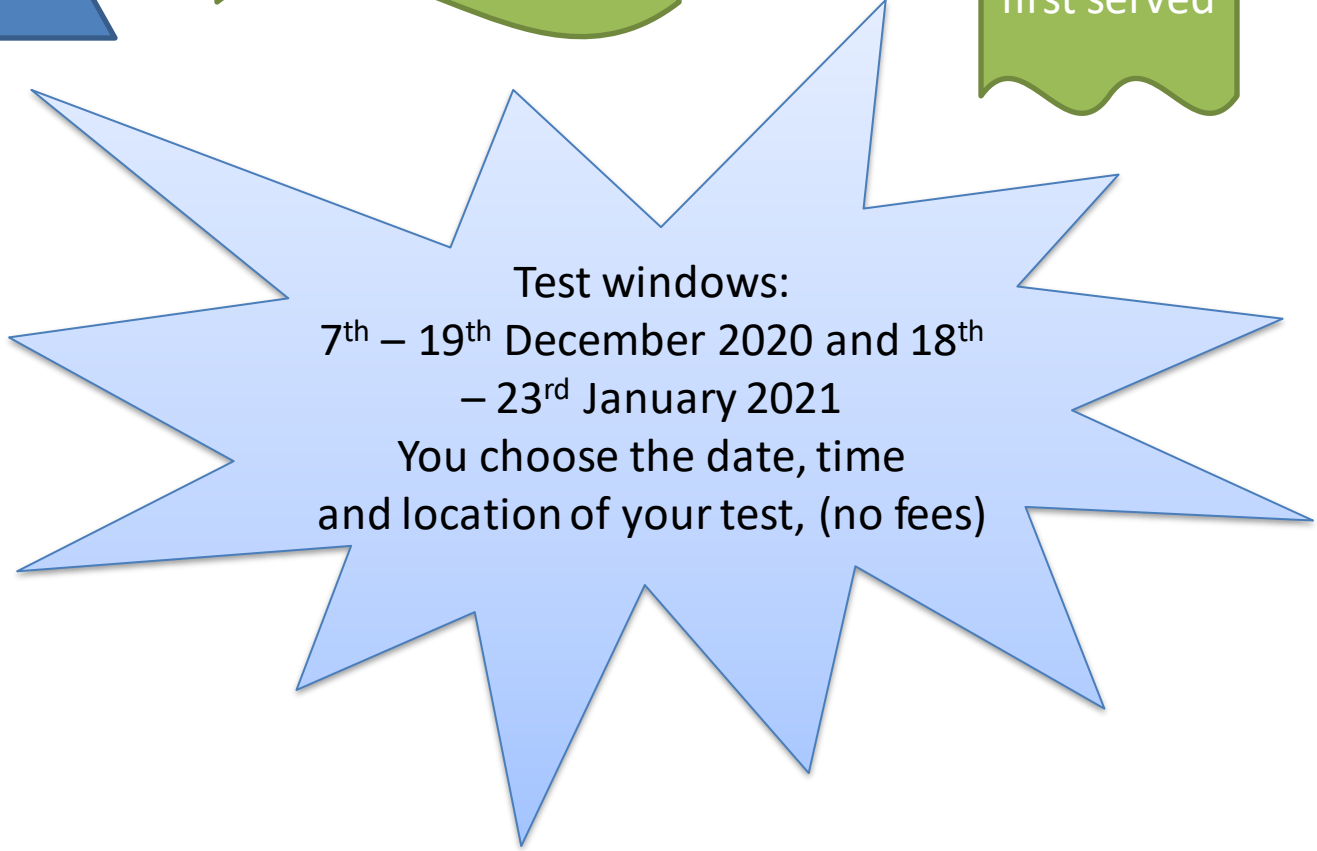
Test centres in the UK
and overseas



First come,
first served



Take the
test from
home




Test windows:
7th – 19th December 2020 and 18th
– 23rd January 2021
You choose the date, time
and location of your test, (no fees)

Preferences

You cannot update your preferences from within the application form once it has been submitted and click update preferences.

Preference (20)

Search... 

Select All Select None

Rank 1: Northern Ireland (places:243)

Rank 2: Scotland (places:789)

Rank 3: Wales (places:326)


Rank 4: Peninsula (places:189)

Rank 5: North West of England (places:793)

Rank 6: Yorkshire and Humber (places:562)

Rank 7: Essex, Bedfordshire and Hertfordshire (places:306)

No Preference (0)

Search... 

Select All Select None

Preferences (2)

- Applicants can amend foundation school preferences until 18th February 2021 at 12:00 noon GMT
- Applicants must rank all foundation schools (even if approved for pre-allocation)
- Rank groups and individual programmes after allocation to foundation school

Linked Applications



- Preference in the same order
- Link to FP applicants only, i.e. not military
- Links will be severed if: -
 - a) Either or both accept AFP
 - b) Either or both are placed on reserve list
 - c) Preferences are changed
- Both must be allocated to primary list
- Allocated in accordance with the lower rank
- Local policies vary at group / programme level

Special Circumstances



- Four criteria: 1) parent or legal guardian, 2) primary carer, 3) medical condition, 4) unique circumstances
- Applications to medical schools and national panel
- Situation must be relevant at the time of application
- Requested foundation school must be ranked first
- Not applicable for AFP
- Applicants cannot link

National Allocation



- Applicants will be allocated in rank order (meritocratic)
- If all the places are filled at your first-choice foundation school, the system will look at your second choice, and so on down your list of preferences until a space is available
- Linked applicants will be allocated based on the lower rank of the linked pair

Foundation School Allocations



Primary List

Allocations on Thursday 11th
March 2021

Match to Programme Results on
Thursday 8th April 2021

Reserve List

Batch Allocations
from May - June

Supporting Trainees Entering Practice (STEP)



- Supports transition from medical school to foundation training; two-way transfer
- Health and welfare, educational progress and professional performance, and patient safety
- Students complete STEP form
- Medical school endorses information
- Separate process for F1 to F2


Employment

Employer Responsibilities: -


- Pre-employment checks, including occupational health and references
- Pay
- Banding
- Rotas
- Contract of employment
- Accommodation (if applicable)
- Shadowing and Induction



Useful Tips

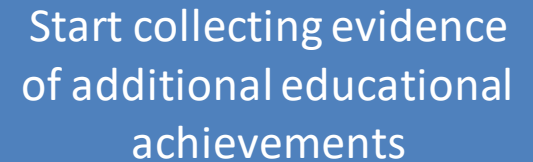


Identify an
academic
referee

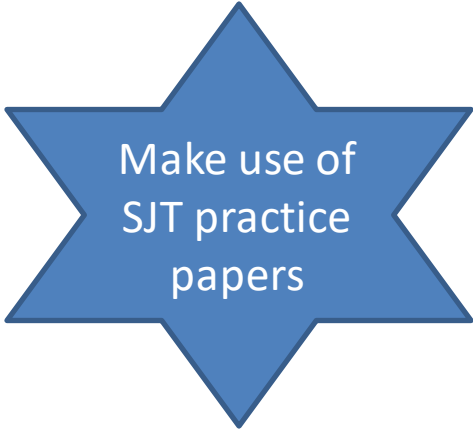


ALLOW PLENTY OF
TIME TO COMPLETE
AND SUBMIT YOUR
APPLICATION

LATE APPLICATIONS
WILL NOT BE
CONSIDERED



Start collecting evidence
of additional educational
achievements



Make use of
SJT practice
papers



Read the
Applicants'
Handbook

Foundation Priority Programmes (FPP)



- Incentives such as free accommodation, master's qualifications (please visit foundation school websites)
- Separate application (same application window)
- Rank individual programmes earlier
- Offers to individual programmes prior to national allocation to foundation schools
- If you accept an FPP offer, your FP application will be withdrawn

Psychiatry Foundation Fellowship (PFF) Programmes



Separate application to the Royal College of Psychiatrists

December 2020 – January 2021

Allocations to foundation schools followed by matching to a specific PFF programme if successful

No interview

Educational opportunities relevant to Psychiatry

Psychiatry supervisor

Preference programmes within allocated foundation school



Academic Foundation Programmes (AFP)

foundationprogramme.nhs.uk

twitter: @UKFPO

Academic Programmes



- Research, teaching and/or medical leadership and management skills
- Explore academia as a career at the same time as developing their clinical and generic skills
- Academic supervisor

AFP Selection

Applicants will need to apply to each AUoA (up to a maximum of two) separately.

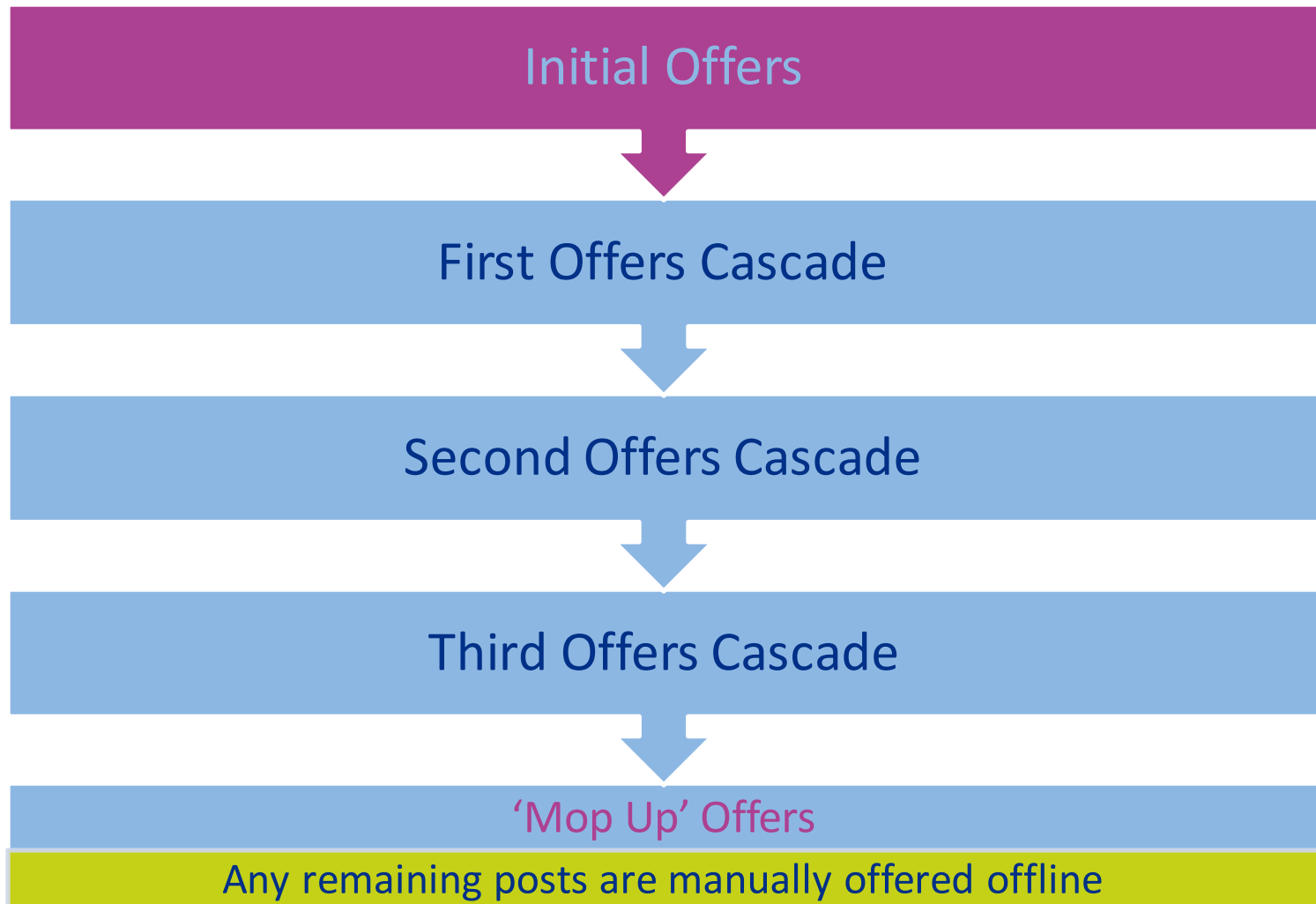
AFP match ranking score = educational / academic decile + AUoA score

AUoA score determined locally

You cannot submit AFP applications until you have submitted a FP application

All AFP offers are subject to a satisfactory SJT score

AFP-Offers



General Information




- ✓ Highest scoring AFP applicants will receive offers first
- ✓ If higher scoring applicants decline these offers, they will then be offered to lower scoring applicants
- ✓ **Familiarise yourself with the AFP offers timetable**
- ✓ All AFP offers are subject to a satisfactory SJT score
- ✓ If you accept an AFP offer, you are excluded from the FP allocation
- ✓ If you do not secure an AFP post, you will be included in the FP allocation automatically

Thank you for listening!

Any questions?



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