

UMAT 2017

Undergraduate Medicine and Health Sciences Admission Test

Information Booklet

Registration deadline

5.00 pm AEST Friday 2 June 2017

Test date

Wednesday 26 July 2017

<https://umat.acer.edu.au>



IMPORTANT: Please read the **LEGAL NOTICE** at the end of this Booklet.

This Booklet, including the Legal Notice will form part of the binding agreement between you and the Australian Council for Educational Research Ltd (ABN 19 004 398 145) ("**ACER**") if you register to take the UMAT 2017 test.

You should make sure that you understand fully and are familiar with the contents of this Booklet (including the Legal Notice) before you register for the UMAT 2017 test.

UMAT 2017 Timeline

Registrations open in early December 2016



Registrations close at 5.00pm AEST on 2 June 2017



Late registrations are accepted up to 5.00pm AEST on 16 June 2017 (late fee applies)



Admission Tickets are available two weeks before the test



Test date: 26 July 2017



Results available in late September 2017

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Email services are available Monday to Friday. All emails will generally be responded to within 24 hours.

Please note that response time may be longer in busy periods and after weekends or public holidays.

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Mail: UMAT Office at ACER

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Please note that the UMAT Office will not be held responsible for postal losses or delays.

UMAT is developed and administered by the Australian Council for Educational Research (ACER) on behalf of the UMAT Consortium Universities. ACER is a not-for-profit organisation.

All important information about UMAT can be found in this Information Booklet and on the UMAT website (www.umat.acer.edu.au). Due to the high volume of enquiries, the UMAT Office will not answer emails if the information is already available on the UMAT website or in this Information Booklet. For all other enquiries, please contact the UMAT Office at ACER. Please always include your full name and UMAT ID number.

Email is the preferred means of communication on matters concerning UMAT and all communications from the UMAT Office will be via email, unless otherwise agreed by ACER.

To ensure that your email provider does not flag important communication from the UMAT Office as spam, please save the UMAT email address (umat@acer.edu.au) to your list of safe senders.

The UMAT Office will not answer queries relating to the content of the test. Please note that personal responses to enquiries are not provided at ACER Offices.

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ABOUT UMAT

The Undergraduate Medicine and Health Sciences Admission Test (UMAT)

The Undergraduate Medicine and Health Sciences Admission Test (UMAT) is developed each year by ACER on behalf of the UMAT Consortium. The test is developed and used specifically to assist with the selection of students into medicine and health science degree programs at undergraduate level at the universities listed on this page.

UMAT is designed to assess general attributes and abilities gained through prior experience and learning; specifically, the acquisition of skills in critical thinking and problem solving, understanding people and abstract non-verbal reasoning. These abilities are considered important to the study and later practice of professions in the health sciences.

UMAT is an aptitude test. It is not curriculum-based and presupposes no particular subjects of study at secondary level. It does not require any knowledge or skills in mathematics or sciences, or in any other area of the curriculum. It is designed to complement your academic results, not to replicate them. It is not a personality or IQ test.

UMAT is offered once a year only.

University selection criteria

Information relating to selection procedures for 2018 admission to the courses offered by each of the UMAT Consortium universities should be obtained by contacting the universities directly (see contact details on back cover of this booklet).

You are strongly advised to obtain a prospectus from each university in which you have an interest, and to consult the university websites.

UMAT will be used (by participating universities in Australia) in the selection process for applicants who are Australian citizens/permanent residents or New Zealand citizens. It may also be required for other categories of applicants.

You MUST keep a record of your UMAT ID number as this must be quoted on all applications for university admission.

Participating universities

You will need a UMAT score to apply for admission to any of the following courses*:

New South Wales

Charles Sturt University

Dental Science

The University of Newcastle/

University of New England

Joint Medical Program

The University of New South Wales

Medicine

Western Sydney University

Medicine

Northern Territory

Charles Darwin University

Clinical Sciences

Queensland

The University of Queensland

Medicine (provisional entry), Dental Science

South Australia

The University of Adelaide

Medicine, Dental Surgery

Flinders University

Clinical Sciences/Medicine

Tasmania

University of Tasmania

Medicine

Victoria

La Trobe University

Health Sciences in Dentistry/Master of Dentistry[†]

Oral Health Science[†]

Monash University

Medicine

Western Australia

Curtin University

Medicine

The University of Western Australia

Medicine (Direct Pathway), Dental Medicine (Direct Pathway)

New Zealand

The University of Auckland

Medicine

University of Otago

Medicine, Dental Surgery

*Please note that at select institutions international students may be exempt from taking UMAT or may be required to sit a different test. For details please refer to the websites of the universities you intend to apply.

[†]UMAT only required for non-Year 12 applicants.

Structure and content

UMAT is designed to measure ability in the following areas:

- ▶ Logical Reasoning and Problem Solving
- ▶ Understanding People
- ▶ Non-verbal Reasoning

UMAT questions do not test academic knowledge and do not require special understanding of any academic discipline.

All questions are in multiple choice format with 4 or 5 response alternatives, from which you are asked to choose the most appropriate. Each question has only one correct response.

Some questions are in written form and may present information in visual or tabular format while other questions are based entirely on visual material.

Logical Reasoning and Problem Solving

Materials are drawn from a wide variety of general sources and are based on a brief text or piece of information presented graphically.

Questions assess your ability to comprehend, draw logical conclusions, reach solutions by identifying relevant facts, evaluate information, pinpoint additional or missing information, and generate and test plausible hypotheses.

Understanding People

This construct assesses the ability to understand and think about people. Questions are based on a scenario, dialogue or other text representing specific interpersonal situations. Most passages will have several questions.

Questions assess your ability to identify, understand, and, where necessary, infer the thoughts, feelings, behaviour and/or intentions of the people represented in the situations.

Non-verbal Reasoning

Questions may be of several kinds. All are based on patterns or sequences of shapes and are designed to assess your ability to reason in the abstract and solve problems in non-verbal contexts.

Example questions can be found on pages 10–11.

Equity and fairness

UMAT is developed to rigorous professional and technical standards. Test questions are designed and developed by a team of ACER test writers, expert in their fields. All test questions must pass detailed panelling, trial testing, analysis and final review. The content, style and duration of the test are determined to ensure the testing program is relevant, fair, valid and reliable.

UMAT test data are subjected to statistical analysis to check that each test question has performed as required. Test questions in development are carefully scrutinised in an ongoing attempt to minimise gender, ethnic or religious bias, and to ensure the test is culturally fair. The test may contain a small number of trial questions which may not contribute to candidate scores.

Use of personal information

Test results may be used by relevant authorities through ACER for purposes of research into the UMAT program. Candidates are assured that any use of registration and test records will be treated with the utmost confidentiality. Candidate names will be separated from data where ACER provides data to third parties for research purposes.

By completing the UMAT registration form you are indicating your acceptance of the processing of your personal and sensitive data for purposes connected with your UMAT registration amongst other things. Please see the Legal Notice at the end of this booklet.

ACER's policy on the collection, access to and use of personal information can be found at www.acer.edu.au/privacy.

BEFORE THE TEST

Eligibility for UMAT

UMAT is available to any candidate whose educational level at the time of sitting the test is final year of secondary schooling or higher. Candidates registering for UMAT2017 should have already completed or plan to complete their final year of secondary schooling (Year 12 in Australia; Year 13 in New Zealand) in 2017.

Students whose current educational level is Year 11 or lower are NOT eligible to take UMAT. This includes Year 11 students undertaking one or more Year 12 subjects. Year 12 students completing Year 12 over 2 years are only eligible to sit UMAT in their final year.

If you are a medical student or a qualified health professional (e.g. a medical practitioner, dentist or physiotherapist) and you are required to sit UMAT, you need to seek permission before you can register for the test. Failure to obtain approval in writing from the UMAT Office will result in your registration being cancelled.

Creating an online account

You must create an online account before you can register for UMAT or purchase any preparation materials. To create an account you should follow the links on the UMAT website and enter your details. When entering your account details you should ensure that your name and date of birth match EXACTLY the identification document that you will present on the test day. These details will also be printed on your Admission Ticket and Statement of Results. To change the name, date of birth or gender in your account, you need to email the UMAT Office. To create your online account you must provide a valid email address which will be maintained during the registration, test and reporting cycle. Once an account has been activated it can be used for any future registrations.

Registering for UMAT

The only way to register for UMAT is online via the UMAT website <https://umat.acer.edu.au>.

To register you need an online account with a valid email address. This email address will be used for all communication from the UMAT Office, including information on how to access your Admission Ticket and UMAT Results. Select UMAT as the test that you wish to register for, fill in the online registration form and select your payment type.

Before completing your registration you will be asked to confirm that you have read this UMAT 2017 Information Booklet and specifically the Legal Notice, and that you agree and accept the terms and conditions of participation in the UMAT test. A copy of the information contained in this declaration can be found on page 15.

To register follow these 7 easy steps:

① Watch the compulsory registration tutorial

The compulsory Registration Tutorial available at the UMAT website must be viewed before registering for UMAT.

② Create an online account

Instructions to create an account are given at left.

③ Enter your details and upload your photograph on the online registration form

Details entered in the registration form can be amended through your online account at any time. The information collected during the UMAT registration relates only to your registration to take UMAT and is not related to any subsequent application you may make for a university place.

You must upload a photograph of yourself to the registration. The photo will be used for identification purposes. It will be printed on your Admission Ticket, your Statement of Results and it could be used by the universities during the interview process. If you do not have a photograph available now, you can upload it until Wednesday 12 July 2017 before Admission Tickets are released.

You must ensure your face is clearly visible and the photo meets the following requirements:

- ▶ JPEG or PNG format
- ▶ Up to 300KB
- ▶ Good quality
- ▶ Clear and sharply focused
- ▶ Appropriate brightness and contrast

You must also enter the document details you will provide for identification on the test day. For details about approved forms of identification see page 12. Note that on the test day expired documents will not be accepted under any circumstances. If you do not have your document now, you can enter the details until Wednesday 12 July 2017 before Admission Tickets are released. Your document type and expiry date will be printed on your Admission Ticket for verification when you are admitted to the test centre.

4 Select the appropriate Registration Fee

Fee reduction is available to candidates who hold a valid Health Care Card (HCC) or Pensioner Concession Card (PCC) (both issued by Centrelink, pictured below), or who are listed as dependants on the current HCC or PCC of a parent or guardian.



To be eligible for the Concession Registration Fee:

- ▶ Your card must be signed by the cardholder; AND
- ▶ Your card must be valid at the time of registration; AND
- ▶ Your name must appear on the card and it must match the name on the UMAT registration; AND
- ▶ You must submit a copy of both sides of the card to the UMAT Office within 2 weeks of registration or by the registration deadline (whichever comes first). See Step 7 for further details.

Failure to provide proof of concession on time may result in your registration being cancelled.

Please note that holders of student cards, Medicare cards, transport concession cards, private health insurance membership cards and New Zealand Community Service cards are NOT eligible for concession.

The Concession Fee is not available to candidates taking the test outside Australia.

Only holders of a valid HCC or PCC are eligible for the Concession Registration Fee; claims of financial hardship based on other criteria cannot be considered.

5 Select your payment method

All payments must be made in Australian dollars.

The preferred method of payment is by credit card. Payments online may be made by MasterCard or Visa.

If you do not have access to a credit card, and you live:

- ▶ **in Australia**, you must pay by Australia Post money order, made payable to 'ACER-UMAT'.
- ▶ **overseas**, you must pay by bank draft in Australian dollars, drawn on an Australian bank, and made payable to 'ACER-UMAT'.

Please ensure your name is written on the back of your payment. The payment must be received within 2 weeks of registration or by the registration deadline (whichever comes first) or your registration may be cancelled.

Personal cheques and cash will not be accepted.

6 Receive your registration confirmation email

When you finish your online registration, a registration confirmation will be emailed to your registered email address. This will contain your registration details but most importantly it will advise you if your registration is complete or not. If your registration is incomplete, follow the instructions in the email. See Step 7 for further details.

7 Complete your registration

If you pay by credit card, AND you are not claiming the Concession Fee, your registration is complete when you have submitted the online form and payment.

In all other cases, your registration is INCOMPLETE until payment and/or a scanned copy/photocopy of your concession card are received at the UMAT Office.

To complete your registration you must submit your payment and/or a copy of your concession card within 2 weeks of registration or by the registration deadline (whichever comes first). Proof of concession can be scanned and emailed, or photocopied and posted, to the UMAT Office.

Money order/bank draft payments/photocopies of concession cards are to be sent to:

UMAT Office at ACER
Private Bag 55
Camberwell VIC 3124
Australia

The UMAT Office will not be held responsible for postal losses or delays. It is your responsibility to ensure your payment and/or proof of concession reaches the UMAT Office on time.

Payment and/or proof of concession received after 5.00 pm AEST on Friday 2 June 2017 will incur a late fee. Payment and/or proof of concession received after 5.00 pm AEST on Friday 16 June 2017 will not be processed and will be returned unopened.

Do not phone the UMAT Office to enquire whether your documents have been received. **The status of your registration can always be checked through your online account.**

Registration date

Registrations for the UMAT 2017 test open in early December 2016. Your completed registration must be received by:

5.00pm AEST 2 June 2017

ACER reserves the right in its absolute discretion to refuse or cancel a registration in any circumstances where ACER considers the application for registration or the registration once completed is not bona fide, or the registration fee as applicable is not received in full and as cleared funds by the payment date above or the late registration date below.

Late registration date

Late registrations will be accepted up to 5.00 pm AEST Friday 16 June 2017, on payment of a late fee of \$65 in addition to the registration fee. The online registration system will close at 5.00 pm AEST on Friday 16 June 2017.

No applications for registration will be accepted after 5.00pm AEST on 16 June 2017 under any circumstances.

Payment

The fee to sit UMAT2017 is \$250 (GST inclusive). If you are eligible for concession, the registration fee is \$150. Please see page 5, Step 4 for more details on the concession registration fee. An additional \$65 late fee applies for all registrations completed after 5.00pm AEST 2 June 2017 and before 5.00pm AEST 16 June 2017. Your registration fee includes access to the online *Practice Test 1*.

If you wish to sit UMAT outside Australia and New Zealand, an overseas testing levy of AU\$185 is payable in addition to the registration fee.

The preferred method of payment is by credit card. (MasterCard or Visa.)

If you do not have access to a credit card Australia Post money orders and bank drafts in Australian dollars are also accepted. Please ensure your name is written on the back of your payment. The payment must be received within 2 weeks of registration or by the registration deadline (whichever comes first) or your registration may be cancelled.

Personal cheques and cash will not be accepted.

When you pay by credit card, you will receive a payment confirmation/tax invoice by email once the payment transaction is completed. The online payment option operates through ACER's e-commerce facility via the ACER website. Credit card details are not recorded or stored by ACER but are encrypted at point of capture and transmitted directly to the bank, without entering ACER information systems.

Please note that your credit card statement may list ACER as the recipient, and a specific reference to UMAT may not be mentioned. If you (as the person registered to sit the UMAT 2017 test) or any other person wrongfully dispute the amount charged to the credit card provided to complete the registration,

your registration may be cancelled, your results may be withheld or you may be blocked from taking further ACER administered tests.

Test centres

UMAT will only be offered in the following locations:

ACT

Canberra

New South Wales

Armidale, Coffs Harbour, Dubbo, Newcastle, Sydney

Northern Territory

Alice Springs, Darwin

Queensland

Brisbane, Cairns, Gold Coast, Townsville

South Australia

Adelaide

Tasmania

Hobart, Launceston

Victoria

Bendigo, Geelong, Melbourne, Mildura, Sale, Shepparton

Western Australia

Perth

New Zealand

Auckland, Dunedin

Singapore

United Kingdom

London

United States of America

Washington DC

The test is held on the same date at all test centres. When completing the registration form, select the city which is most convenient to you. Please note that you will only be able to select your preferred test centre session if places are still available.

Your test session selection will only be confirmed when your registration is complete. If your preferred test session fills to capacity before your registration is complete, (i.e. before your payment and/or proof of concession are received), you will be reallocated to the next available session.

You can change your preferred test centre online through your account up to 5.00pm AEST 16 June 2017, subject to availability. If a test centre change is required after this date, please email the UMAT Office for advice.

Special testing conditions

If you have a disability or other health-related needs which might interfere with your ability to sit the test in the standard manner, you should apply for special testing conditions as soon as possible after registration. Please note if you require access to food, medication, medical equipment or other devices during testing time, due to a medical condition, you must submit a special testing conditions application. All requests are assessed on a case-by-case basis and all reasonable efforts will be made to provide appropriate testing conditions for your needs.

Please complete the following steps:

- 1 Create an online account and register for UMAT (see page 4).
- 2 Once your registration is complete you can apply for special testing conditions through your online account. Please fill in the online form and give details about your condition and requested accommodations. All such requests must be submitted no later than **5.00pm AEST 16 June 2017**. If you require special testing accommodations due to a condition that occurred after the application deadline, please contact the UMAT Office for advice.
- 3 After you have submitted the online form, send the supporting documentation for your request to the UMAT Office (via email, post or fax) for review. The supporting documentation provided must be no more than one year old for health-related needs or disabilities, and no more than three years old for learning disabilities. Applicants with learning disabilities should submit a copy of an appropriate educational psychologist's report for consideration. If your report is more than three years old, it will be accepted, as long as it is accompanied by a recent letter from a psychologist stating that the information in the report is still applicable to you as you are today.

The supporting documentation from your health practitioner must give a clear diagnosis on your condition, indicate the impact of your disability in testing settings and include a statement as to what accommodations your health practitioner feels are appropriate for you in testing settings.

All supporting documentation must be typed on the medical practitioner's official letterhead and include the date and title, name, registration number, contact details, and signature of the medical practitioner.

- 4 Once your supporting documentation is received, a confirmation email will be sent to your registered email address. The UMAT Office will contact you if further documentation or information is required for the assessment of your request.
- 5 All correspondence will be processed after 16 June 2017 and you will be informed of the outcome shortly after. If approved, you will be able to view your approved accommodations through your online account and you will be required to bring a printout of this page with you on the test day.

All information regarding special testing conditions will be treated confidentially and will not be forwarded to the universities or admission authorities. Invigilators on the test day will be informed of the accommodations provided to you, but not of your condition. If you wish that invigilators be alerted of the nature of your condition, please indicate this in the application process.

UMAT is a multiple-choice test and does not require extended handwriting. Therefore, difficulties with writing will not normally be seen as grounds for granting of special testing conditions.

Note: There is no possibility of special consideration being given to test results. In no circumstances will scores be adjusted to account for any perceived disadvantage.

Alternative test date

Provision has been made for candidates who are prevented from attending the test on 26 July 2017, as a result of a genuine and unanticipated illness or other unexpected and unavoidable circumstances, to sit the test on one alternative date. This provision exists for cases of demonstrable difficulty; it is not available for a candidate who, for example, fails to register on time or is suffering from a cold or other minor illness on the test day.

In order to be considered for testing on the alternative date you must, where possible, apply through your online account at least one week before the 26 July 2017 test date, or no later than 3 working days after the test date; AND

- ▶ in the case of significant unanticipated illness, provide clear and detailed medical justification from a registered health professional to the UMAT Office. A medical certificate stating 'unspecified illness' or 'unfit for work/school' is NOT sufficient.

OR

- ▶ in all other cases, provide a statutory declaration and supporting documentation to the UMAT Office outlining the circumstances preventing attendance on the main test date.

Please note that candidates submitting an application to sit on the alternative test are not automatically entitled to approval. Each case will be reviewed on its merits and candidates will be notified of the outcome within 1 week of receipt of their application.

Generally, neither pressures of work or studies, nor other avoidable events or commitments, are sufficient reasons to sit on the alternative test date. Requests are NOT granted for the following:

- ▶ Year 12 trial exams
- ▶ Work commitments
- ▶ Travel or holiday arrangements
- ▶ Social and leisure events, including sporting and cultural commitments other than at state, national or international representative level
- ▶ Attendance at functions such as birthdays or weddings as either a participant or as a guest
- ▶ Failure to arrange transport to ensure timely arrival at the test venue
- ▶ Failure to bring an acceptable identification document or Admission Ticket to the test centre
- ▶ Failure to obtain an approved identification document before the main test date
- ▶ Other expectable or avoidable circumstances

The Alternative Test Date in 2017 will be scheduled approximately two weeks after the main test date. This will be the only alternative test date available in 2017 and will only be available at major centres.

Candidates who are unable to sit the test on 26 July because they fail to bring their Admission Ticket, or correct photo-bearing identification, or who arrive after the doors have closed, are not eligible to sit on the Alternative Test Date.

Refund terms

PLEASE NOTE: To the fullest extent permitted at law, except as expressly provided herein, all moneys paid as part of a registration to sit the UMAT test are non-refundable if you change your mind about sitting the UMAT test due to personal circumstances.

Registration fees for the UMAT 2017 test will be refunded up to 5.00pm AEST 16 June 2017, however, an administrative charge of \$40 will be deducted unless a refund is required by law.

Requests must be submitted online through your account and a confirmation email will be sent to your registered email address if your request has been submitted successfully.

Please note that access to any preparation materials included with the UMAT 2017 registration will be withdrawn upon completion of the refund. The fee will be refunded to the credit card used for payment.

Admission Ticket

The Admission Ticket will tell you exactly where and at what time to report on the day of the test. It will also contain your personal details. This ticket is your permission to attend the test centre and a **printout** must be taken with you on the test day. Admission Tickets on electronic devices will not be accepted. **If you present without an Admission Ticket you will be refused entry.**

Notification will be sent to your registered email address **when the Admission Ticket is available through your online account approximately two weeks before the test date.** If your identification document details have not been entered in the registration form you will NOT be able to access your Admission Ticket.

Please check your Admission Ticket carefully and contact the UMAT Office immediately if there are any errors. The details on your Admission Ticket must match the details on the identification document that you will use on the test day. Only your first and last names are required to match and it is not necessary for your other names (including middle names) to appear on the Admission Ticket. Your other names, if provided when you created your account, will however be printed on the attendance rolls given to the test centre supervisors so that they can be checked on the day, should there be any issues matching your Admission ticket and identification document.

Before you print the Admission Ticket, check that both sides of the print paper are blank; there should not be any marks on your Admission Ticket. Admission Tickets may be printed in black and white; you do not need to bring a colour printout. **Please fill in your identification document number and sign your Admission Ticket beforehand** and have it ready with you on the test day.

Do not write anything else on your Admission Ticket at any time before or during the test.

If you have issues accessing your Admission Ticket, you should email the UMAT Office by 19 July 2017. **Please do not leave this to the last minute.** Remember that you will only be able to download the Admission Ticket once you have entered your identification document details in the registration form.

Preparing for UMAT

The purpose of UMAT is to assess your abilities in a range of general skills. UMAT measures skills acquired over a period of time, including the ability to reason, make logical deductions and form judgments. The test does not draw on any particular body of knowledge or curriculum. Wide and critical reading may provide helpful preparation. Some familiarity with the question types typically presented in UMAT is beneficial.

Please note: Neither the UMAT Office nor the UMAT Consortium universities recommend or endorse any particular texts or preparation courses. Nor do they support any commercially available preparation courses or have any association with commercial courses. Thus the UMAT Office is unable to comment on their relevance or usefulness. It is possible that some commercial preparation courses might provide misleading information or advice to candidates. Neither ACER nor the UMAT Consortium conduct UMAT preparation courses.

UMAT preparation materials

ACER produces the only official UMAT preparation materials. There are currently five practice materials available online in the form of online tests: *Practice Test 1*, *Practice Test 2*, *Practice Test 3*, *Additional Practice Questions* and *Additional Practice Questions 2*.

The preparation materials are only available in the form of online tests; PDF and hard copies are not available. The UMAT registration fee is inclusive of the *Practice Test 1* with worked solutions.

Practice Test 1, *Practice Test 2* and *Practice Test 3* are each equivalent to a full test and will take approximately 3 hours to complete under exam conditions. *Additional Practice Questions* and *Additional Practice Questions 2* are a collection of approximately 60 questions each that can also be used for additional preparation. Answers are given to all questions and worked solutions are provided for *Practice Test 1* and *Practice Test 3*.

The practice tests are designed to give examples of the types of questions asked in UMAT and of the skills and knowledge tested.

The purchase of a preparation material (including the *Practice Test 1* provided as part of your registration) entitles you to unrestricted access to the online practice test you have purchased for 12 months commencing on the date the practice test is made accessible to you for the sole purpose of reading and attempting questions online.

UMAT Preparation videos will be available to all registered candidates through their online account, in the lead-up to the test date.

Purchasing preparation materials

In order to purchase any preparation materials you will need to create an account. This is not a registration for the UMAT test. Please note that you cannot purchase these materials without an online account and you can purchase any of these materials without being registered for the UMAT test. Any preparation materials you purchase will be accessible online as soon as your payment is received successfully.

All UMAT preparation materials are copyright works and protected by copyright law both in Australia and outside Australia.

As a condition of purchasing any UMAT preparation materials you will be required to complete a declaration expressly confirming your acceptance of the limited licence granted to you to access and use the specific UMAT preparation materials.

For any UMAT preparation materials purchased, You (being the individual in whose name the online account to purchase the materials has been opened, and no-one else) will be granted a limited licence to access the preparation materials in an unaltered form only for your personal non-commercial use. You are not permitted to otherwise copy or reproduce any preparation materials, in whole or in part, by any means whatsoever. Further, under no circumstances whatsoever can you distribute, make available, give or communicate the preparation materials (in whole or in part) to any other person under any arrangement howsoever described, whether or not for monetary consideration, and whether or not any copying or reproduction of the UMAT preparation materials is involved. The limited licence granted runs, in respect of any UMAT preparation materials, for a period of 12 months from the date of purchase (as evidenced by ACER's records).

Except as otherwise required by law or as otherwise provided in this document, no refunds will be given for the purchase of any UMAT preparation materials.

The limited licence granted to you in respect of any UMAT preparation materials is subject only to any non-excludable rights or entitlements granted to you at law, including but not limited to the Copyright Act 1968 (Cth) (as amended).

Test-taking strategy on the day of the test

Questions in UMAT are in multiple-choice format. It is advantageous for you to develop your own strategies for answering this type of question. You are advised to work steadily through the test. It is not advisable to spend too much time on any one question. Read through all the alternative answers to a question, even if you think the first one is correct, before marking your chosen response. If you think you know the answer to a question, mark it, even if you are not certain. Go on to the next question and come back later if you have time.

Please note the following:

All questions have the same value; therefore by attempting as many questions as possible you stand the best chance of maximising your score.

No marks are deducted for a wrong answer.

If you mark more than one answer to a question it will be considered wrong.

Answers should be marked directly onto the answer sheet, not in the test book. Answers in the test book will not be scored.

You may do rough work in the margins of your test book. Scrap paper is not allowed and not provided.

Example questions

Example questions from each of the three UMAT constructs are provided overleaf.

EXAMPLE QUESTIONS

Example Questions — Logical Reasoning and Problem Solving

Botanists studied a rainforest in Nicaragua that had been ravaged by Hurricane Joan in 1988. They found that in the following ten years the number of tree species had increased by at least 200%, and up to 300%, in eight storm-affected plots. Other plots not affected by the hurricane showed little if any such increase.

- 1 From this information, it can be concluded that
- A hurricanes play an important role in ensuring the long-term survival of tropical rainforests.
 - B when the dominant trees in an area of tropical rainforest are destroyed, other species are given a chance to flourish.
 - C the overall life of a tropical rainforest is increased if large areas are occasionally levelled to the ground.
 - D the productivity of a tropical rainforest will be maximised if large areas are occasionally levelled to the ground.

Delia goes bushwalking, and afterwards finds that she has painful insect bites over most of her body. She is told that both Esi-oil and Pine-elix are good for easing the pain of these bites. To test whether there is any difference, she applies Esi-oil to the bites on her left side, and Pine-elix to those on her right side. The next day, the bites on her left side feel considerably better, while those on her right side feel only a little better.

- 2 Which of the following is consistent with these results?
- A Neither product relieves insect bite pain; Esi-oil actually delays recovery considerably, and Pine-elix delays recovery somewhat less.
 - B Neither product relieves insect bite pain; Pine-elix actually delays recovery considerably and Esi-oil delays recovery somewhat less.
 - C Both products relieve insect bite pain, Pine-elix more so than Esi-oil.
 - D Pine-elix and Esi-oil are equally effective products for relieving insect bite pain.
- 3 Which one of the following modifications would have enabled Delia to learn most about the effectiveness of the two products in relieving insect bite pain?
- A Repeat the original applications.
 - B Apply the different products randomly to different parts of her body.
 - C After the original applications, apply the same products to the opposite sides of the body.
 - D As well as treating some bites with Esi-oil and some with Pine-elix, leave some of the bites untreated.

Example Questions — Understanding People

Bob's wife, Mary, has been in hospital recovering from a heart attack. The doctor informs Bob that she is now well enough to return home, although she will need to 'take things easy for a while'.

Bob: I'm glad she can come home now Doctor, but I'm not sure I can look after Mary by myself. We live on our own, you know.

Doctor: Bob, it's natural to feel a little anxious, but the best thing for Mary will be to be back in her own environment.

- 1 In his response, the doctor has
- A not realised that Bob is concerned.
 - B not really dealt with Bob's concerns.
 - C responded to Bob's concerns effectively.
 - D made Bob feel bad about being concerned.
- 2 Following the doctor's reply, Bob is likely to feel
- A relieved.
 - B empowered.
 - C embarrassed.
 - D apprehensive.

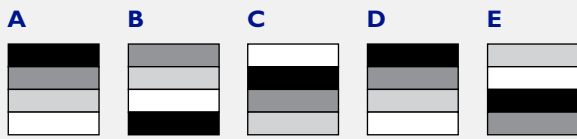
In the following passage, an adolescent boy talks about living with a physical disability.

As I have been physically disabled all my life, I have managed to cope with the purely practical problems arising with a minimum of fuss. I felt no loss, because I had no feelings of 'normality' to compare with. One of my physical problems is that I am short, about 127 centimetres tall. I was constantly mistaken by strangers for a little kid. It's a real pain for a 16-year-old boy to be handed a kid's menu every time he enters a restaurant. It is even worse when mere coherent speech is greeted with awe.

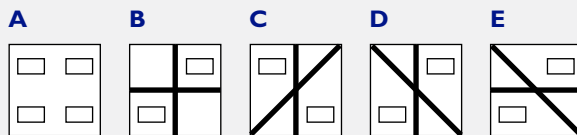
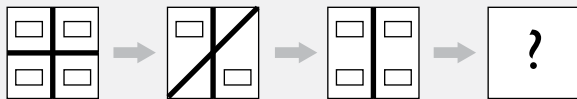
- 3 For the writer, the main problem with his disability is
- A the embarrassment of being so short.
 - B never knowing what it is to be 'normal'.
 - C dealing with other people's preconceptions.
 - D coping with the practical problems caused by his condition.

Example Questions — Non-verbal Reasoning

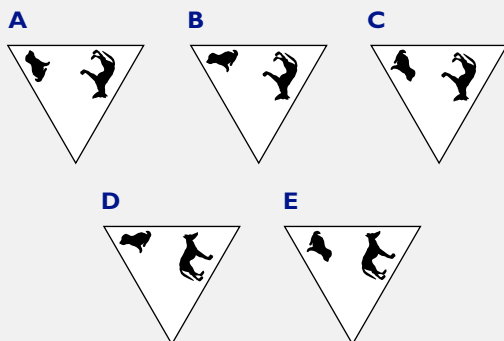
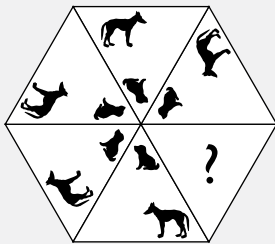
- 1 Arrange the five pictures so that they form a logical sequence. Then select the middle picture of the sequence and mark the corresponding letter (A, B, C, D or E) on the answer sheet.



- 2 Select the picture that would logically be the next in the sequence and mark the corresponding letter (A, B, C, D or E) on the answer sheet.



- 3 Select the picture that would logically complete the picture and mark the corresponding letter (A, B, C, D or E) on the answer sheet.



Answers

Logical Reasoning and Problem Solving:

Q1: B

Q2: B

Q3: D

Understanding People:

Q1: B

Q2: D

Q3: C

Non-verbal Reasoning:

Q1: E

Q2: D

Q3: B

ON TEST DAY

Test date

The UMAT 2017 test is held on **Wednesday 26 July 2017**. This is the only opportunity to sit UMAT in 2017.

Test centre and arrival time

You will be assigned to a test centre session in your chosen city/town.

The exact test centre address and arrival time will be printed on your Admission Ticket that will be available through your account approximately two weeks before the test date (see page 8). You must report to this centre at the time designated on your Admission Ticket. It is not necessary to arrive before the indicated arrival time. The test itself will start as soon as pre-testing procedures are completed. If you report to the test centre after all candidates have been seated in the testing room, you may not be admitted. **No latecomers will be admitted once the test has started.**

Timing and order of the test

The UMAT test consists of 3 hours testing time, plus 10 minutes reading time. All questions are presented in one test book and there are no rest breaks. Pre-testing procedures will take some time to complete. Therefore, it is not possible to guarantee start and finish times. Care should be taken when making return travel arrangements to allow adequate time at the test centre. You should anticipate being at the test centre for up to 5 hours.

UMAT is a high stakes test administered under secure test conditions. **You may not leave the test centre before the full testing time has elapsed.** Candidates leaving early will not receive their UMAT scores. Once a candidate has departed the test centre it is not possible to re-enter and continue the test.

You may use the bathroom during testing time, but this will not be permitted during reading time and in the last fifteen minutes of the test. No additional time will be granted for bathroom breaks.

Identification on the test day

On the day of the test you will be required to show one form of photo-bearing identification. The only acceptable forms of ID are:

- ▶ Current passport
- ▶ Current photo-bearing driver's licence (learner's permit, probationary or full licence)
- ▶ Current photo-bearing Australian Keypass/Australian Proof of Age Card or
- ▶ Current photo-bearing New Zealand 18+ Card

The photograph in your identification document must be recognisable as a likeness to you as you are on the day of the test. **No other form of identification will be accepted.**

If you do not have one of these forms of identification, please allow enough time to organise one before the test date as you will not be able to enter the test centre without an approved

form of identification. Some of these identification documents can take approximately a month to obtain.

IMPORTANT NOTE: if you are intending to use your driver's licence as identification and need to renew or update your licence before the test date (for example changing from a learner's permit to a probationary licence or from a probationary licence to a full licence), please ensure you allow adequate time to receive the new licence. A temporary licence without a photograph will not be accepted as identification at the test centre.

Documents that have expired and/or Student cards will NOT be accepted under any circumstance. Photocopies of identity documents are also not acceptable forms of ID.

Your date of birth, first and last name in your identification must match your Admission Ticket details.

If you do not present one of the acceptable identification documents, together with your printed Admission Ticket, you will not be able to sit the UMAT test and your registration fee will be forfeited.

What to bring on the test day

You need to bring the following with you on the test day:

- ▶ Your printed UMAT 2017 Admission Ticket filled in and signed (Note: Admission Tickets presented on electronic devices will not be accepted)
- ▶ Approved current and photo-bearing identification document
- ▶ Pencils (medium soft No. 2 or HB) recommended
- ▶ Eraser
- ▶ Pencil sharpener (optional)
- ▶ A clear water bottle (no labels attached)

Clocks are provided in the test room. You may wear an **analogue** wristwatch, and any alarm or stopwatch features must be switched off.

These will be the **only items** allowed on your desk during the test.

Valuables such as wallets, keys and mobile phones may be placed under your desk during the test. Mobile phones must be switched off and placed face up under your desk. They must not be worn on your body and must not be accessed during the test.

You are advised to bring only essential items, as neither the test centre nor the UMAT Office can be held responsible for the security of your belongings. There will be limited space to store your bags and you will not be allowed to access your bags until the end of the test.

Note: All other items, including but not limited to calculators, pagers, stopwatches, audio or recording devices of any kind, MP3 players, digital watches, smart watches, dictionaries, note paper, coloured pens/pencils, pencil cases, highlighters, and rulers are not permitted.

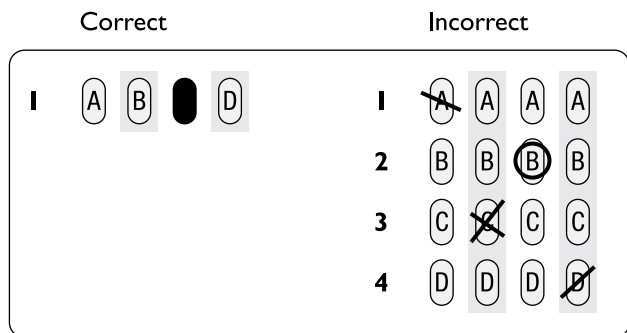
Access to food (including sweets and nuts), earplugs, medication or other medical equipment (e.g. support cushion) during the test will only be permitted due to a medical condition and can only be allowed if you have been granted special testing accommodations (see page 7).

It is recommended you have a good meal before reporting to the test centre and take a snack to eat in the registration queue if think you will be hungry.

Large spaces like test centres can be difficult to heat/cool. To avoid being too cold or too hot, it is recommended to wear layers, which will allow you to adjust your own comfort level.

Answer sheet

The UMAT test is in multiple-choice format. You will mark your answers by filling in ovals on a machine-readable answer sheet. It is very important that you record your answers carefully. Record your answers by completely filling in the oval with pencil. If you decide to change an answer, erase it completely and mark the oval corresponding to your new choice. See example ovals below:



Mark your answers directly onto the UMAT answer sheet and not in the test book. **Answers in the test book will not be scored.** Any rough work may be done in the margins of your test book. Scrap/note paper is not allowed. Do not write on your Admission Ticket.

Test day issues

Should you wish to query a particular test question on the day of the test, you should alert the supervisor of your concern and submit a written note before you leave the test centre. Your query will be reviewed by the UMAT Office and you will be notified of the outcome. Similarly, any complaints relating to the test venue or physical discomfort suffered should be reported **immediately** to the supervisor on the day so the issue can be addressed without delay.

Security

The UMAT test is a high stakes test. Therefore ACER, in conjunction with the UMAT Consortium universities, has established security procedures which will be strictly enforced at all times.

Misconduct

Misconduct (whether occurring prior to, during or after the UMAT) means any unacceptable conduct or any conduct that might result in unfairness or inaccurate results such as, without limitation:

- ▶ breach of any of the security arrangements for the UMAT test
- ▶ impersonation
- ▶ attempting to remove a test book or answer sheet or part thereof, or any notes, from the test room
- ▶ failure to follow test supervisor's instructions at all times
- ▶ giving or receiving assistance during the test

- ▶ creating a disturbance
- ▶ using prohibited aids (e.g. notes, scrap paper, calculator, mobile phone, audio/recording device etc.)
- ▶ writing, or marking your test paper or answer sheet, during reading time or after the instruction is given to stop writing
- ▶ writing on the Admission Ticket during the test
- ▶ copying another candidate's work
- ▶ using the test questions, their content or information about them for purposes other than your sitting of the UMAT test is prohibited. This includes: publishing the UMAT questions or any of their content or information about them on the internet, any digital format or otherwise; and/or passing the UMAT questions, any of their content or information about them to third parties
- ▶ the giving of false or misleading information at any stage in connection with your participation in the UMAT test
- ▶ infringement of the "ACER" or "UMAT" trade marks. Trade Mark infringement includes performing any act which only a trade mark owner or a person authorised by the trade mark owner may do
- ▶ infringement of copyright. Copyright infringement includes: performing those rights or authorising the performance of those rights which are granted at law exclusively to the copyright owner. These rights include the exclusive right to reproduce the copyright work in a material form and to communicate that work to the public
- ▶ in any way breaching (as determined by ACER in its absolute discretion) any of the terms and conditions of (a) your registration to participate in the UMAT test; or (b) your purchase of any UMAT preparation materials
- ▶ infringement of any rights (including but not limited to intellectual property rights) whatsoever relating to or subsisting in the UMAT test or any part or element of it, including but not limited to the concept, structure, administration or conduct of the UMAT test, the UMAT trade mark and any UMAT preparation materials prepared or published by or on behalf of ACER or the UMAT Consortium
- ▶ any act or omission by you which ACER, in its absolute discretion, renders you to be unfit to participate in any UMAT test, whether or not you are registered to participate at the time of ACER's determination

CONSEQUENCES for misconduct may include cancelling your registration to sit the UMAT test without any refund, withholding of your UMAT test results or disqualification from sitting any UMAT test (whether it is the test for which you have registered or otherwise).

It is also possible and you consent to the misconduct being referred to one or more educational institutions (whether or not it is the educational institution you are attending or have made application to attend).

YOU ARE PUT ON NOTICE that except as expressly provided at law, there is no right to challenge, appeal or seek review of any determination by ACER that misconduct has occurred or in relation to any consequences imposed by ACER for any misconduct. You should also be aware that your misconduct might also give rise to liability on your part to third parties, including but not limited to the members of the UMAT Consortium.

AFTER THE TEST

UMAT results

UMAT results will be released in late September.

You will be notified via email when results are available through your online account. You can only access your Statement of Results online and are advised to save and print a copy of the Statement of Results for your records. Statements of Results include your date of birth and name used at the time UMAT was taken. Replacement Statements of Results will not be provided to accommodate a subsequent change of name.

No hard copies of the Statement of Results will be sent to candidates. The universities will verify the results used for applications with ACER.

Under no circumstances will results be released over the telephone, by fax or by email. This is to protect candidate confidentiality. Results for all candidates will be provided to the universities for the purpose of selecting applicants for interview.

The UMAT scores

You will receive a score for each of the three constructs (Logical Reasoning and Problem Solving, Understanding People, Non-verbal Reasoning), together with an overall score, and an overall percentile rank to give you an indication of how well you performed against other UMAT candidates.

The overall score is an unweighted aggregate of the three construct scores statistically calculated from several decimal places.

Each of the 3 construct scores is expressed on a scale of 0 to 100. These are not percentage marks.

The Overall UMAT Score is calculated using the following formula:

$$\text{Overall Score} = \text{Score 1} + \text{Score 2} + \text{Score 3}$$

Please note: The overall score is calculated to several decimal places and then rounded. The overall score is calculated before the rounding of section scores. It is not possible for candidates to replicate this process.

Candidates will not be provided with any additional information on scores or the scoring process. All information remains the property of ACER and no right will be deemed vested in a candidate.

The universities will set their own UMAT cut-off scores each year. These will be the minimum UMAT scores acceptable for consideration by the admissions committees and may vary from one university to another. The universities may also choose to use the scores in other ways.

Withholding of results

You will only receive your UMAT test scores if you have complied with the UMAT test policies and procedures and these terms and conditions. Your scores may be withheld or cancelled if ACER learns, either on or after the test day, that you have violated the UMAT test policies and procedures and these terms and conditions. Even if ACER cannot confirm your

direct involvement in the breach of policies and procedures your UMAT test scores may be withheld or cancelled if ACER has reason to question the validity of your scores or if ACER has reasonable basis for believing you may have been involved in a breach of these terms and conditions. Examples of when validity of UMAT test scores may be challenged are:

- ▶ intended or unintended exposure to UMAT test content*
- ▶ contradictory performance on different parts of the UMAT test
- ▶ abnormal answer patterns in the UMAT test
- ▶ atypical performance over different UMAT test sittings.

*If you attend a coaching course where you are exposed to questions that appear in the UMAT test, you risk having your UMAT test scores withheld.

Currency of results

UMAT scores can be used for admission to any of the UMAT Consortium universities ONLY in the year following the test. For example, results from UMAT2017 can be used for undergraduate medicine or health science courses beginning in 2018 but NOT 2019. Do not register for UMAT2017 unless you are planning to apply for a course commencing in 2018 AND you meet the eligibility criteria specified on page 4.

Appeals and re-checks

Unless otherwise required by law or as expressly provided herein, ACER will not entertain any challenges of or requests or demands to review UMAT test results or any determination by it that any misconduct has occurred or in relation to any consequences imposed by ACER following a determination that misconduct has occurred. Nor is it possible to give special consideration for impaired performance on the day of the test caused by illness or unexpected personal situations.

Any complaints relating to the test venue or physical discomfort suffered should be reported **immediately** to the supervisor on the day, and in writing to the UMAT Office **within seven days of the test administration**.

You are advised that UMAT results are released only after careful calculation and extensive checking and errors in scoring are highly unlikely.

However, following receipt of the UMAT Statement of Results you may apply for a re-check of your answer sheet, if you believe an error may have been made. A re-check involves individual rescoring of the answer sheet. The resulting scores will then be compared with the original scores to check that there has been no error in calculating or collating marks.

Requests for re-checks must be made through the online account by **5pm AEDT 13 October 2017**. A fee of **\$85** (GST inclusive) is payable for this service (payment is by credit card only). In the unlikely case of a scoring error being found, the re-check fee would be refunded and you and the universities will be notified.

- ▶ All re-checks will be processed after the relevant deadline and you will **be notified approximately two weeks after**.

UMAT DECLARATION

IMPORTANT: Please read the **LEGAL NOTICE** at the end of UMAT 2017 Information Booklet.

This Booklet, including the Legal Notice will form part of the binding agreement between You and the Australian Council for Educational Research Ltd (ABN 19 004 398 145) (“**ACER**”) if you register to take the UMAT 2017 test.

You should make sure that you understand fully and are familiar with the contents of this Booklet (including the Legal Notice) before You submit Your registration for the UMAT 2017 test.

When you submit your registration You **AGREE**:

1. To the terms and conditions contained in the UMAT 2017 Information Booklet applying to Your sitting of UMAT 2017 and all matters consequent thereon;
2. In the event of UMAT 2017 being compromised or having to be cancelled due to circumstances beyond ACER’s control it may be necessary for You to re-sit UMAT 2017 on a date and at a testing venue to be specified by ACER;
3. That to sit UMAT 2017 You are a bona fide prospective applicant to a course for which UMAT is a prerequisite;
4. You meet the requirements for eligibility set out in the UMAT 2017 Information Booklet;
5. Not to use or divulge to any third party information concerning the test questions in UMAT 2017 for Your own or any third party’s personal or commercial gain;
6. Not to post or publish any specific part or aspect of the content of UMAT 2017. This includes publication on the internet, in any digital format or other format;
7. That the information that You give in Your application for registration for UMAT 2017 is true and correct. The giving of false or misleading information constitutes misconduct and may jeopardise Your chances of being admitted into any course for which UMAT is a prerequisite;
8. That any personal information You provide in respect of Your registration for UMAT 2017 may be used by ACER for:
 - a. All purposes connected with administering UMAT 2017;
 - b. Research purposes;
 - c. Provision to the universities for which UMAT is a prerequisite; and
 - d. Identifying any misconduct and candidates who may have engaged in misconduct as specified in the UMAT 2017 Information Booklet and for application of penalties in respect to any misconduct.

9. That You are the person whose name and address appears on this registration form.

- I confirm that I have read the **UMAT 2017 Information Booklet and specifically the Legal Notice.***
- I agree/accept the terms and conditions of participation in the **UMAT test and specifically the Legal Notice and Privacy provisions.***

LEGAL NOTICE

1. By completing and submitting the registration form for the UMAT 2017 test located at <https://umat.acer.edu.au> You are offering to enter into a legal agreement with the Australian Council for Educational Research Ltd (ABN 19 004 398 145) (ACER).
2. The **TERMS AND CONDITIONS** which will apply to Your application for registration and to Your registration to participate in the UMAT 2017 test are contained in this Booklet, including this Legal Notice. The Terms and Conditions cover, amongst other things, Your sitting the UMAT test, payment of the registration fee, refunds of fees, access to UMAT preparation materials and release of the UMAT test results.
3. Before lodging Your Registration, You should make sure You understand fully and are familiar with the contents of this Booklet, including this Legal Notice.
4. You may have legal rights and guarantees under the Australian Consumer Law (being Schedule 2 to the Competition and Consumer Act 2010(Cth), as amended from time to time). If the publication of this Booklet or Your registration for or participation in the UMAT 2017 test involves a supply of goods or services to a consumer within the meaning given in the Australian Consumer Law, nothing contained in this Booklet excludes, restricts or modifies the application of any consumer guarantee provided in the Australian Consumer Law, the exercise of any right or remedy in respect of, or the imposition of any liability for the failure to comply with any relevant guarantee.
5. Subject to point 4:
 - a. The UMAT test is a selection tool used by certain educational institutions and your results in respect of UMAT may not be used or relied on for any other purpose;
 - b. To the maximum extent permissible by law (and for the avoidance of doubt, subject to any guarantees, rights, remedies or obligations which cannot be excluded, restricted or modified under the Australian Consumer Law), ACER expressly, irrevocably and totally disclaims any liability whatsoever for any loss or damage whatsoever and howsoever arising in connection with or resulting from: Your participation (actual, potential, contemplated or cancelled for any reason whatsoever) in UMAT; and Your test results, including, but not limited to, any representations made by ACER or its personnel (including agents, subcontractors and consultants) in respect of UMAT and the accuracy of any information contained in this Booklet;
 - c. To the fullest extent permitted at law, You acknowledge and accept that the entire risk of Your participation in UMAT is assumed by You and that ACER will have no liability whatsoever to You for any loss, harm, damage, cost or expense (including legal fees) or any direct, special, indirect, incidental, punitive or consequential loss or damage (including, without limitation, economic loss, loss of contract, profit, revenue, income, opportunity, goodwill, information, anticipated savings, business relationships, production or data) whatsoever and howsoever arising;
- d. You acknowledge and accept that, to the fullest extent permitted at law, ACER gives NO WARRANTY or guarantee and makes no representation whatsoever that: registering for or sitting the UMAT test will guarantee You or secure for You a placement with an educational institution; or that You will be provided with Your UMAT results (other than in strict accord with this Agreement).
6. Subject to the Australian Consumer Law and, otherwise to the fullest extent permitted at law, you release and fully indemnify ACER, its officers, employees and agents from and against all claims, liabilities, costs, demands and expenses whatsoever caused by you and howsoever arising from or in connection with:
 - a. Your registration for or participation (actual, potential, contemplated or cancelled) in the UMAT test; or
 - b. Any breach by You of the terms and conditions of Your participation (actual, potential, contemplated or cancelled) in the UMAT test.These releases and indemnities survive Your participation (actual, contemplated, potential or cancelled) in the UMAT test and whether or not You are offered or accept a placement with any educational institution for any course whatsoever.
7. In the event that any law implies terms or guarantees into the offering or conduct of the UMAT test which cannot be lawfully excluded, restricted or modified, such terms or guarantees will apply, save that the liability of ACER for breach of any such term or guarantee will, to the extent legally permitted, be limited to the refund of the price paid for any relevant goods or services.
8. ACER has made every effort to ensure the accuracy of the information provided in this Booklet. However, from time to time, due to changed circumstances ACER may need to change the arrangements concerning the administration of the UMAT test and ACER (without amending your legal obligations or remedies) reserves the right to alter or amend any detail contained in the Booklet in its absolute and unqualified discretion. Any alteration or amendment will take effect immediately upon publication of the alteration or amendment on www.umat.acer.edu.au.

9. **PRIVACY, PERSONAL INFORMATION and SENSITIVE DATA:** By completing the UMAT registration form You agree to be bound by the ACER privacy policy and You consent to:

- a. ACER collecting Your personal information including any sensitive (such as health) information and other information. The information ACER may collect about You includes Your registration information, Your payment details, Your test answers and results, any application for special testing conditions and any communications You have with UMAT;
- b. ACER collecting, storing, using, disclosing and transferring to, or outside of, Australia your personal information in accordance with its privacy policy specified at the end of this clause, any relevant collection statement and these terms and conditions.
- c. ACER using and disclosing the personal information and other information it collects about You for purposes connected with Your UMAT test registration and testing which may include investigating any suspected misconduct and determining and administering any consequences for misconduct. You understand that if You do not provide ACER with all the information requested, ACER may not be able to process Your UMAT registration or test or respond to Your communications;
- d. Your personal (including sensitive) information and other information provided being disclosed by ACER to the members of the UMAT Consortium and other persons or bodies connected with UMAT for purposes related to UMAT (which may include transferring it overseas); and
- e. ACER using Your personal information for research purposes and disclosing it to relevant research bodies (in a de-identified form). Candidate names will be separated from data in all cases.

In all respects, ACER will comply with all relevant provisions of the Privacy Act 1988 (Cth) and any other applicable data protection legislation. For a complete copy of ACER's privacy policy and how to access or correct Your information, please see www.acer.edu.au/privacy.

10. By completing and submitting the UMAT registration form:

- a. You confirm that You have read in its entirety and accept the contents of this Booklet, including the Legal Notice.
- b. You confirm Your agreement with the terms and conditions contained in this Booklet.
- c. You acknowledge that You have been entitled to obtain legal advice concerning any matter covered in this Booklet, whether or not You have in fact sought any legal advice.

- d. You acknowledge and accept that this Booklet contains the entire agreement between You and ACER concerning Your participation in the UMAT 2017 test and that no matter, information or representation not expressly contained in this Booklet has induced You or had any bearing on You to seek registration for the UMAT 2017 test.
- e. You accept and unconditionally undertake to strictly comply with the terms and conditions contained in this Booklet.
- f. You acknowledge and accept that Your agreement with ACER will be governed by the laws of the State of Victoria, Australia.
- g. You agree that Australian law will apply to, and that, these terms and conditions are subject to the non-exclusive jurisdiction of Australian Courts and any of the Courts of Appeal therefrom to determine any dispute (whether as to the interpretation of Your agreement with ACER, or any matter concerning performance or compliance of the agreement or otherwise) or to determine any claims brought or made against You by ACER or its authorised nominee.

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