

The Joint Residency Advisory and Accreditation Committee

The Joint Residency Advisory and Accreditation Committee ([JRAAC](#)) is a joint [committee](#) of the [EANS](#) and the [UEMS](#), whose primary aim is to improve the quality of [neurosurgical training programmes](#) throughout [Europe](#) by acting as a pan-European accreditation and monitoring body.

The work of JRAAC is based on the [guidelines](#) set out in the European Neurosurgical Training Charter.

European Accreditation of neurosurgical training programmes and units

Visiting and evaluating training institutions and the provision of constructive feedback offers an important opportunity to enhance training standards, and most of JRAAC's activities therefore focus on these areas.

The accreditation procedure is based on the UEMS Training Charter in Neurosurgery, and those considering application should refer to this document in order better to understand the criteria against which their unit and training programme will be assessed.

If a training institution demonstrates that it complies with the standards for residency programmes in neurosurgery as set down in the UEMS Training Charter, it will receive JRAAC accreditation - certification by the UEMS and EANS as a Center of Excellence in Neurosurgical Training.

European Monitoring of neurosurgical training programmes and units

National professional bodies (responsible for the recognition of medical specialists in individual countries) can monitor and recognise neurosurgical training programmes using UEMS standards based on the Training Charter. In the interest of developing common standards, cooperation with JRAAC is recommended.

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