

Candidates with Special Requirements

Candidates with a physical disability and/or a medical problem

On occasions a candidate will indicate that he/she has some form of physical disability or medical condition by answering yes to one or both of the following questions:

'Do you have any specific adjustments which would need to be made to the examination process, such as an accessible venue?'

'Do you have a medical condition which you believe might affect your performance in the Part 3 Examination?'

Physical disabilities may include being wheelchair bound, an eyesight problem, a hearing difficulty etc. Medical conditions can take many different forms and will as a consequence not be listed here.

If you have answered yes to one or both of the questions above, the APEAS Chief Executive Officer (CEO) will contact you to discuss your particular circumstances. If you have a medical condition the CEO will seek from you independent written confirmation of your condition (eg a medical certificate). The CEO will discuss with you, and with your permission, your mentor what arrangements are required to be put in place to ensure that you can undertake all three components of the Part 3 Examination. For example, the CEO would want to assure himself that a wheelchair bound candidate can access all appropriate equipment and materials during the two days the candidate sits the Practice Paper.

Providing you give your permission to do so, the CEO will advise the pair of practice examiners examining you that you have a physical disability and/or medical condition. This information will be kept in strictest confidence by APEAS. The pair of practice examiners will give due consideration to your physical disability and/or medical condition when assessing your performance in the Part 3 Examination.