This fee schedule covers new EPAS applications and re-accreditation applications submitted in 2019. For accredited Institutions starting the re-accreditation process in 2019, no eligibility fee will be due. The fee schedule at the time of the (re-)application remains valid throughout that cycle of the Institution’s accreditation process.

**ADMINISTRATIVE FEES**

**Application Fee**

€ 6,860

*Invoiced upon receipt of a formal application to EPAS. For accredited programmes, due at the time of starting the re-accreditation process.*

**Eligibility Fee**

€ 6,860

*Invoiced only upon a positive Eligibility decision by the EPAS Committee. This fee is charged only to Institutions in the initial accreditation cycle, not to those starting a re-accreditation cycle.*

**Review Fee**

Review of first programme (or programme set) €14,700
Review of second programme (or programme set) € 3,920

*Invoiced two weeks in advance of the Peer Review Visit.*

**Accreditation Fee**

1st programme: € 980 per year or € 4,900 for 5 years
2nd programme: € 980 per year or € 4,900 for 5 years

*Invoiced only upon a positive Accreditation decision by the EPAS Accreditation Board.*
Institutions have 2 options regarding the payment of the Accreditation Fee:

**Option 1:** The above amount can be paid in annual instalments of € 980 (or € 1,960 when 2 programmes have been accredited).

**Option 2:** The above amount can be paid at once in one single payment.

**EXPENSES**

*Travel, lodging and other direct expenses incurred by Peer Reviewers are to be paid without delay by the Institution.*

Peer Reviewers are advised to book their flights at the earliest opportunity to minimise the costs to the host Institution. Peer Reviewers should ask approval from the Institution before ticket purchase, copying the EPAS Office, and should endeavour to keep the costs as low as possible (a maximum of € 6,000 is envisaged but cannot be considered as the norm).

**CANCELLATION, POSTPONEMENT AND LATE PAYMENTS**

a) Should the Institution decide to cancel or postpone the Peer Review Visit (PRV), the Institution will be liable for any non-refundable costs incurred by the Peer Reviewers at that time.

b) The EPAS Office may cancel or postpone the Peer Review Visit

   • if the Self-Assessment Report (SAR), Datasheet and Student Report are inconsistent, have significant problem areas or are submitted with major delay; or
   • if it is evident that the programme(s) do not meet the eligibility criteria as set out in the EPAS Process core documents; or
   • if the visit is not conducted in an orderly manner even if the Peer Review Team (PRT) is already on site, with the explicit agreement between the EPAS Office, the Chairperson and another member of the PRT.

   The Institution will have to cover any non-refundable costs incurred by the Peer Reviewers (e.g. flight tickets) up to the time of cancellation or postponement of the visit.

Any postponement, re-scheduling or cancellation of the Peer Review Visit by the Institution or the EPAS Office will require the payment of an administration fee of € 1,500 should this occur more than 6 months in advance of the planned PRV date. A fee of € 5,000 will be charged should this occur within less than 6 months from the scheduled PRV date.

In order to advance in the accreditation process, an Institution must be up to date in all its payments to EFMD.