

FEBOS-CR Exam/Diploma (Cataract and Refractive Surgery)

DEADLINES & CHECKLIST OF SUPPORTING MATERIALS

Examination Deadlines

- Wednesday 14 December 2022 applications open
- Friday 10 March 2023 all materials submitted by applicants, as well as the non-refundable deposit (€150) paid
- Sunday 12 March 2023 applications close
- Monday 1 May 2023 confirmation for eligible candidates to sit the examination
- Tuesday 1 June 2023 candidates confirm intent to sit examination, and pay balance of examination fee (€700)
- Monday 11 September 2023 date of Examination

Checklist of supporting documents/materials:

- A letter from a Director/Head of Department/other senior figure in your Institution that recommends you as a surgeon of advanced experience and expertise(template supplied in 'Downloads' section).
- Two video recordings of surgeries that you have performed. One of a standard cataract surgery and one of your most complex case. These videos should give a good representation of your current skill set, and will be used to form discussion as part of the examination. Video Submission Requirements:
 - Videos should be a maximum of 5 minutes
 - The beginning of the video should briefly outline the patient and case details
 - The video must be the sole work of the candidate, and must state that this is the sole work of the candidate
 - The editing of the video should not alter the core surgical procedure
 - The video title should follow the following format: "CANDIDATE NAME. STANDARAD CASE/COMPLICATED CASE. CASE TYPE"
 - The video must be submitted online. NTSC format will not be accepted.
 - There must be no music, narration, or credits on the video
- A logbook detailing at least 400 cataract surgeries, including complicated cases. For 2017 and 2018, the logbook you currently use will be accepted (after this, from 2019, candidates will be requested to use the EUREQUO system to detail your surgical cases).
- 4.Completed CV Template. This lists surgical and teaching experience as well as publications (template supplied in 'Downloads' section).