Reminder email No. 4 – 9 March 2021

Please read this email carefully as it contains important information for GAMSAT March 2021

Below are some tips that may be useful in your final preparations for the test day:

- Please note you cannot access your Admission Ticket until you have completed the ID document details (ID type and expiry date) in your online registration form. To add or update your details, please log in to your account and click on "Manage" next to your completed March 2021 registration in your dashboard, then on "Edit" below "Registration details". The Admission Ticket will be updated automatically with your new details; please print your updated Admission Ticket.

- Print your Admission Ticket on a blank piece of paper and complete your ID document number (e.g. licence number or passport number) and signature manually after printing the Admission Ticket.

- You must report to the test centre at the time stated on your Admission Ticket, but it is not necessary to arrive before that time. The test itself will start as soon as all pre-testing procedures are completed. If you report to the centre after all candidates have been admitted to the testing room you may not be admitted. No latecomers will be admitted once testing time has started.

- The GAMSAT test is made up of approximately 4.5 hours of test time which includes 19 minutes of reading time and 30 mins recess time. It is not possible to guarantee start and finish times just in case unforeseen delays occur. 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 at least 6 hours.

- GAMSAT is a high stakes test administered under secure test conditions. You may not leave the test centre before the full testing time has elapsed, except in case of illness. Candidates leaving before the start of Section III will not receive their GAMSAT scores. Candidates leaving during Section III due to illness are expected to provide a medical certificate explaining their need to leave the test centre. This must be provided within five days of the test date to the GAMSAT Office; failure to do so may result in scores being withheld. Once a candidate has departed the test centre it is not possible to re-enter and continue with the test.

- There is NO break between Section I and Section II and you must remain at your desk while the Section II test is accessed on your device and the full group are ready to start. You are still under exam conditions during this time and for security reasons you will not be allowed to leave your desk and go to the toilet.

- Candidates may use the bathroom during testing time, but this will not be permitted during the first and last ten minutes of each section. Please raise your hand to gain attention of a supervisor and wait for their approval before leaving your seat at any time during the test. No additional time will be granted for bathroom breaks.

Candidates will not be admitted to a test centre if they:
- they have recorded a temperature of 37.6°C or above;
• they have been tested as COVID-19 positive in the 14 days prior to the test day;
• they are awaiting results of a COVID-19 test;
• they live with or have had close contact with someone who has a confirmed or suspected case of COVID-19;
• they are currently in official quarantine with COVID-19, or awaiting a test to determine their COVID status; they are suffering from cold or flu symptoms including a continuous cough, sore throat, shortness of breath, fatigue, headache, aches and pains, a runny or blocked nose, diarrhoea, or sneezing.
• All candidates are required to provide contact details and sign a declaration confirming that they understand and agree to the above entry requirements.

• Candidates may leave the test centre during the recess break.
• You must follow the instructions of the test supervisors at your test centre at all times.
• Reminder that all centres will undergo cleaning and disinfection between sessions. Hand sanitising stations will be provided at all locations. Social distancing precautions will be strictly enforced.

• **A face mask must be worn at all times.**

• NOTE: Your temperature will be taken prior to registration, those whose temperature is 37.6°C or more after being taken twice - will be turned away from the centre.

• For the safety and wellbeing of everyone, please read the GAMSAT Test centre COVID19 policy. If you are unwell – DO NOT ATTEND – instead contact the GAMSAT office for advice on or before the day of your test.

Regards,

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