

Grandparenting pathways

The *Registration standard: Grandparenting* sets out alternative ways of proving you may be qualified for general registration as a paramedic for those who do not have an approved, substantially equivalent or accepted qualification. It's important that you read the standard for detailed information.



Here is a summary of the three pathways, including eligibility and evidence you may need to provide to gain registration through grandparenting provisions.

Pathways	Pathway 311(1)(a) Adequate qualification	Pathway 311(1)(b) Combination of qualifications/training and further study or a period of supervised practice	Pathway 311(1)(c) Competence to practise the profession
Deciding which pathway you are eligible for	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Qualification min AQF L7 (Bachelor or higher), and ✓ you could practice paramedicine with that qualification in the state it was issued, and ✓ your qualification was issued by a higher education institution e.g. university, and ✓ the qualification was subject to external quality assurance from those with expertise in paramedicine. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Qualification min AQF L5 (Diploma or higher), and ✓ you could practice paramedicine with that qualification in the state it was issued, and ✓ your qualification was issued by a registered training institution e.g. RTO, and ✓ you have at least 1700 hours of supervised practice in a JAS or under a registered paramedic or passed a Board approved assessment 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Demonstrate 5 years practice as a paramedic in the past 10 years, and ✓ Show your competence as a paramedic (see evidence below for guidance).
Evidence you must provide when you apply	Brief practice history		
	Evidence of qualification or training undertaken that has been approved by the Board as adequate.	Evidence of training or further study undertaken. Evidence of your successful completion of any period of supervised practice.	A detailed practice history as required in the application process and a verifiable portfolio about your practice and competence as a paramedic that may include : Statement of service Letter from employer A position description Proof of registration Authority to practice Performance review Personal submission