

NOTICE OF RESULTS

Royal Australian College of General Practitioners
PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION

Following the close of polling in the RACGP Presidential Election on Friday 21 August at 12pm AEST, I provide the results as below. There was a total of 9,866 votes cast, with no invalid votes. This represents 24.8% of the 39712 ballots issued to eligible voters.

Candidate	Votes Received
Dr Anita Munoz	3,611
Dr Gavin Colthart	869
Dr Ramya Raman	5,386
Total	9,866

After verifying the voting results and vote count, I declare Dr Ramya Raman elected with an absolute majority of votes.

On the following page you will find the vote count sheet and votes received by day during the voting period.

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12.56pm, 21 August 2026

COUNT SHEET

Total votes received	9,866
Votes required for majority (50% of valid votes plus 1) is 4,933 + 1	4,934

First round of counting	Candidate	Votes received
No absolute majority	Dr Anita Munoz	3,611
No absolute majority	Dr Gavin Colthart	869
Candidate achieves absolute majority (equal to, or greater than, 4934 votes) and is elected	Dr Ramya Raman	5,386
	Checksum	9,866

Due to Dr Raman achieving an absolute majority of first preference votes, it was unnecessary for the count to proceed any further as Dr Raman was declared elected with an absolute majority in the first round.

TOTAL VOTE COUNT BY DAY

Note: These totals include online and hard copy postal votes received.

There is a small discrepancy in the total number of votes cast due to these totals including all votes prior to verification. This includes 9 votes that were excluded from the ballot as they were re-issued, as accounted for at the bottom of this table.

Date	Day	Daily Total	Cumulative Votes
11/08/2026	Tue	2,572	2,572
12/08/2026	Wed	999	3,571
13/08/2026	Thu	1,670	5,241
14/08/2026	Fri	467	5,708
15/08/2026	Sat	253	5,961
16/08/2026	Sun	252	6,213
17/08/2026	Mon	213	6,426
18/08/2026	Tue	1,230	7,656
19/08/2026	Wed	675	8,331
20/08/2026	Thu	1,263	9,594
21/08/2026	Fri	281	9,875
Total (excluding 9 reissued votes not adjusted for in daily progress totals)			9,866