Prior to starting your specialty training you need to have completed a medical degree followed by the two-year foundation programme or have equivalent competences prior to applying to CT/ST level.

Geriatric Medicine Training Pathway
Royal College of Physicians

MRCP (UK) - Membership of the College of Physicians
CT - Core Training
ST - Specialty Training
CCT - Certificate of Completion of Training

The majority of geriatric medicine trainees obtain dual accreditation in geriatric medicine and general internal medicine (ST3-ST7). There is also an option of a single CCT in geriatric medicine.

It is also possible to take one year’s further training for sub-specialty recognition in stroke medicine (ST8). A second year of training is required to become a consultant in stroke medicine.

Core Medical Training (CMT)
2 years
or
Acute Care Common Stem (ACCS)
3 years

ST3 ST4 ST5 ST6 ST7 CCT

Specialty certificate examination in geriatric medicine

MRCP (UK)