

# Chicago Medical School

## Evaluation & Assessment Plan

### EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM OUTCOMES

QUALITY  
IMPROVEMENT

Activity	Goal	Method of Assessment	Collects & Summarizes	Monitors & Evaluates	When Evaluation Occurs	Results 2022-23	Results 2023-24	Results 2024-25	Action Taken	Over-sight
<b>Demonstrated Competency</b>	Graduates will have the necessary knowledge, skills, attitudes, and behavior for entry into residency training.	Annual Program Director survey  AAMC Graduation Questionnaire  USMLE exams  Clinical Skills Exam	CMS Office of Medical Education  Director of Accreditation	Assessment Committee  Curriculum Committee	Annually in the summer for both Program Director Survey/AAMC Resident Readiness Survey and Graduation Questionnaire (GQ)	2023 GQ): 93% of graduates “strongly agree” or “agree” they are confident that they have acquired the clinical skills required to begin a residency program (Natl. average = 94%)  AAMC Resident Readiness Survey results indicate that 90% of graduates in the class of 2022 met or exceeded performance expectations during the transition to GME (level of a PGY-1) (Natl. average = 97%)  Data on USMLE Exams and Clinical Skills exam shown below	2024 GQ): 94% of graduates “strongly agree” or “agree” they are confident that they have acquired the clinical skills required to begin a residency program (Natl. average = 94%)  AAMC Resident Readiness Survey results indicate that 98% of graduates in the class of 2023 met or exceeded performance expectations during the transition to GME (level of a PGY-1) (Natl. average = 97%)  Data on USMLE Exams and Clinical Skills exam shown below	2025 GQ): 94% of graduates “strongly agree” or “agree” they are confident that they have acquired the clinical skills required to begin a residency program (Natl. average = 95%)  AAMC Resident Readiness Survey results indicate that 95% of graduates in the class of 2024 met or exceeded performance expectations during the transition to GME (level of a PGY-1) (Natl. average = 97%)  Data on USMLE Exams and Clinical Skills exam shown below	Continued enhancement of the educational program  Comprehensive review of Phase III of the curriculum with implementation of action items  Continued enhancement of specialty and entry to residency advising programming  Comprehensive review and revision of Medical Education Program Objectives  See Action Taken for Clinical Skills Exam and USMLE exams	Dean’s Cabinet  Dean’s Executive Council  Standards Based Continuous Quality Leadership Council (SBCQL)

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<b>Graduation</b>	The 4-year graduation rate of the program shall be equal to or greater than the national mean for LCME-accredited medical schools.	Annual reporting using longitudinal data	RFU Office of Accreditation and Assessment  CMS Office of Student Affairs	Assessment Committee  Curriculum Committee  Student Evaluation, Promotion, and Awards Committee	Annually after graduation (June)	84% (Nat. Average Range = 82-84%)* *Entering cohort 2019	76% (Nat. Average Range = 82-84%)* *Entering cohort 2020	85% (Nat. Average Range = 82-84%)* *Entering cohort 2021	Continued enhancement of the educational program  See Action Taken for USMLE exams  See Action Taken for Residency Match	Dean's Cabinet  Dean's Executive Council  Standards Based Continuous Quality Leadership Council (SBCQL)
<b>Residency Match</b>	The residency match rate of the program will be equal to or greater than the national mean for LCME-accredited medical schools.	National Residency Match Program (NRMP) report	RFU Office of Accreditation and Assessment  CMS Office of Student Affairs	Assessment Committee  Curriculum Committee	Annually after match day (March)	94% (Nat. Average = 94%)	90% (Nat. Average = 93%)	93% (Nat. Average = 94%)	Match Verification standards include a passing score on Step 2 CK  Refinement of Faculty Specialty Advisor programming  Enhancement of Residency Match Success Advising, including Post-Match Supplemental Offer and Acceptance Program (SOAP) advising	Dean's Cabinet  Dean's Executive Council  Standards Based Continuous Quality Leadership Council (SBCQL)

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<b>USMLE Step 1, Step 2 CK exams</b>	Graduates will pass the United States Medical Licensing Exam for Step 1 and Step 2 Clinical Knowledge (on their first attempt) at a rate equal to or greater than the national mean for all LCME-schools	United States Medical Licensing Exam (USMLE) Reports	CMS Office of Medical Education	Assessment Committee  Curriculum Committee  Student Evaluation, Promotion, and Awards Committee	Annually after score reports are received from USMLE	<p>Step 1 = 84% Examinee N=191 (Nat. Average = 92%)</p> <p><i>NOTE: Annual Step 1 score reporting schedule Jan - Dec</i></p> <p>Step 2 CK = 98% Examinee N= 182 (Nat. Average = 98%)</p> <p><i>NOTE: Annual Step 2 CK score reporting schedule Jul - Jun</i></p>	<p>Step 1 = 86% Examinee N=189 (Nat. Average = 91%)</p> <p><i>NOTE: Annual Step 1 score reporting schedule Jan - Dec</i></p> <p>Step 2 CK = 96% Examinee N= 193 (Nat. Average = 98%)</p> <p><i>NOTE: Annual Step 2 CK score reporting schedule Jul - Jun</i></p>	<p><i>INTERIM</i> Step 1 = 89% Examinee N=193 (Nat. Average = 93%)</p> <p><i>NOTE: Interim Annual Step 1 score reported Jan - September 13, 2025</i></p> <p>Step 2 CK = 97%<sup>†</sup> Examinee N= 186 (Nat. Average = 98%)</p> <p><i>NOTE: Annual Step 2 CK score reporting schedule Jul - Jun</i></p> <p><sup>†</sup>Step 2 minimum passing score increased on July 1, 2025</p>	<p>Continued enhancement of the educational Program</p> <p>Individualized counseling and tailored 1-1 advising within CMS and coordinated tutoring facilitated by RFUMS-CMS</p> <p>Enhanced access to UWorld resource and assessments for M2/M3 students</p> <p>NBME Subject Exams (6) and Customized Assessment Services Exams (12)</p> <p>NBME Comprehensive Basic Science Exams (2) and Self-Assessment Voucher (1)</p> <p>Faculty-led USMLE Step 1 Review Sessions</p> <p>Implementation of Action Items from the Step 1 Performance Review Task Force, including the enhancement of the Multi-System course, USMLE question bank integration, and M1 capstone formative assessment</p>	<p>Dean's Cabinet</p> <p>Dean's Executive Council</p> <p>Standards Based Continuous Quality Leadership Council (SBCQL)</p>

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<i>USMLE Step 1, Step 2 CK exams (cont.)</i>									NBME Comprehensive Clinical Sciences Self-Assessment Voucher  NBME Subject Exam Clinical Mastery Series Self-Assessment Vouchers (7)	
<b>Clinical Skills Exam</b>	One-hundred percent of graduates will demonstrate competence in clinical skills by passing the CMS Clinical Skills Exam	Clinical Skills Exam	Education Director, Clinical Skills  Director of Clinical Skills Remediation	Assessment Committee  Curriculum Committee  Student Evaluation, Promotion, and Awards Committee	Annually (June)	100% demonstrated clinical skills competency/passed	100% demonstrated clinical skills competency/passed	100% demonstrated clinical skills competency/passed	Implementation of domain scores, enhanced class debriefing, and individualized learning plans for targeted strategic intervention  Remediation process for low performers yielding Clinical Skills competency and satisfaction of the Graduation Requirement  Implementation of specialty-specific observed clinical activities for all M3 Clerkships	Dean's Cabinet  Dean's Executive Council  Standards Based Continuous Quality Leadership Council (SBCQL)