

EVALUATION AND GRADING

You will receive a Final Grade for each rotation of the Subinternship. Your grade will be based on the following four components:

1. A written examination, covering the core curriculum content and online lectures/cases
2. A clinical performance evaluation, completed by your attending(s) and resident(s) at the end of the rotation (see below).
3. Standardized exercise in the Clinical Skills Center on the last day of the rotation.
4. Interpretation of a critical care CXR with team's fellow or attending

The mid rotation feedback form and patient data log are not graded but you are required to turn these forms in before the end of the rotation.

Your evaluators have been notified to meet with you at the end of each rotation to review their evaluations with you, but it is your responsibility to set up a time to meet with them. After meeting with them at the end of the month, you should collect your evaluation and turn the evaluation in to the Medical Education Office.

To achieve a Final Grade of PASS, you must meet or exceed the Minimum Passing Score on each of these components. The Subinternship Course Director determines minimum Passing Scores, as well as cut-off scores for HIGH PASS and HONORS.

*An HONORS grade will be assigned to those students who receive a cumulative score of 87.0% or above.

*After the first two-three cohorts have completed their clerkship (before ERAS opens in September), the distribution of grades will be evaluated and cutoffs may be adjusted to achieve an even breakdown of 30% Honors, 40% High Pass and 30% Pass. Any adjustment will only give you a better grade – no one will be downgraded

Minimum Passing Scores and intended weights for each component are given below:

| | <u>Minimum Passing</u> | <u>Weight</u> |
|--------------------------------------|------------------------|---------------|
| Online Examination | 60% | 50% |
| Clinical Performance Evaluation | 60% | 40% |
| Clinical Skills Exercise POLST | 60% | 7% |
| Directly Observed CXR interpretation | 60% | 3% |

A Final Grade of FAIL will be given to students whose scores on one or more of these evaluation components do not meet or exceed the Minimum Passing Scores. If you do not receive a passing score on the written examination, you will be notified as soon as possible thereafter. If you do not receive a passing score on the clinical performance evaluation you will be notified that you must meet with the Clerkship Director to develop a satisfactory remediation plan.