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Policy Title: Definition of an Eligible OMS-II to Enter Rotations

OMS-II students must successfully complete all pre-clinical courses and take the COMLEX-USA Level 1 examination prior to June 1 of the summer after their OMS-II year, which thus awards the student *provisional* OMS-III status; students are awarded *full* OMS-III status upon receipt of their official score report documenting successful passage of COMLEX-USA Level 1.

All OMS-III students, in addition, must successfully pass the Milestone 1 (MILE 3000) course, which is a prerequisite for all clinical rotations, and acts as an important guidepost to determine readiness for a student to begin clinical rotations where they will practice osteopathic medicine under the direct supervision of a licensed healthcare professional. There are a number of requirements in the Milestone 1 course, including receiving a passing outcome on the COMLEX-USA Level 1 examination. If there is a delay receiving the COMLEX-USA Level 1 score that is not due to a delay related to the student, the Student Progress and Professionalism Committee may (through referral from the Office of Clinical Education), at their discretion, allow a *provisional* OMS-III student with a pending COMLEX-USA Level 1 score and otherwise successful completion of the Milestone 1 course to begin clinical rotations pending the result of the COMLEX-USA Level 1 examination, if there is reasonable likelihood that the student will receive a passing result on the COMLEX-USA Level 1 examination.

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