

#### THE STATE EDUCATION DEPARTMENT / THE UNIVERSITY OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK / ALBANY, NY 12234

**TO:** Professional Practice Committee

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SUBJECT: Update on Clinical Clerkships and the Standards and

Process for the Approval of International Medical Schools to Place Students in Long-Term Clinical Clerkships in New

York State

**DATE:** December 2, 2021

**AUTHORIZATION(S):** 

SUMMARY

#### **Issue for Decision**

Department staff will provide an update on clinical clerkships and the standards and process for the approval of international medical schools to place students in long-term clinical clerkships in New York State.

#### **Reason for Consideration**

For informational purposes.

#### **Proposed Handling**

This item will be presented to the Professional Practice Committee for discussion at the December 2021 meeting of the Board of Regents.

# **Procedural History**

Not applicable.

#### **Background Information**

Sections 60.2 and 60.10 of the Commissioner's Regulations define clinical clerkships for medical education in New York State, and further specify the qualifications for long-term clinical clerkships. These regulations also specify, among other things, which students may participate in clinical clerkships, which international medical school students may participate in clinical clerkships, the role of the Advisory

Committee on Long-Term Clinical Clerkships, and the standards and process for the approval of international medical schools to place students in long-term clinical clerkships in this State.

Staff will provide a general update on and overview on the Office of Professions activities in relation to the regulation of such clinical clerkships in New York State.

### **Related Regent's Items**

Not applicable.

### **Recommendation**

Not applicable.

# **Timetable for Implementation**

Not applicable.