POLICY ON USMLE STEP I, II AND III AND VIRGINIA LICENSURE 2013

Effective July 1, 2005 USMLE Step I must be completed before acceptance into the Otolaryngology program.

USMLE Step II must be completed before July 1st of the Resident’s PGY-1 year.

Residents must pass USMLE Step III prior to January 1st of their PGY-3 year. Residents are strongly encouraged to take USLME Step III as early as possible in their PGY-2 year. Residents will not be advanced to the second half of their PGY-3 year unless they have passed all steps of the USMLE and have applied for Virginia licensure.

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