



Office of the Dean  
School of Medicine

**Policy Title:** Policy on Summative Assessment

**Last Review/Revision/Approval:** June 2024

**Review Cycle:** 4 years

**Body Responsible for Review/Revision/Approval:** Preclerkship Course Director Committee; Clerkship Director Committee; Curriculum Steering Committee

**Responsible Dean:** Associate Dean for Undergraduate Medical Education

**Relevant LCME Element:  
(if applicable)** 9.8

**Policy Statement/Purpose:**

The medical school provides students with fair and timely summative assessments in all courses and clerkships.

**Policy Guidelines:**

Summative assessments are based on the course and clerkship objectives and individual session learning objectives in all courses and clerkships. Students receive scores on summative assessments as soon as they are available. Students receive their final grades in all courses and clerkships within 6 weeks of the last day of the course or clerkship.