



Become an Oral Examiner

Criteria

- Completed an ACGME- or RCPCSC-accredited EM residency
- Certified by ABEM and five years out from EM residency graduation
- Clinically active in the practice of EM
- Actively participating in the ABEM continuing certification process
- Possess [Oral Examiner Attributes](#)

Time Commitment

- Selected nominees are offered a 3-year term with opportunities for reappointments based on participation and performance.
- Oral examiners must be available for one exam per year. Examiners are required to attend all necessary training sessions and must examine all days of an exam.

Typical Examiner Schedule

(Times are approximate and subject to change)

New Examiner Orientation <i>(required prior to first exam)</i>	Three 1.5-3 hour sessions	One to two weeks prior to each exam administration
General Session and Case Training	10:00am-4:00pm ET	One day prior to each exam administration
Exam Administration	9:00am-6:00pm ET	3-3.5 consecutive days
Team Meetings	5:50-6:45pm ET	End of first exam day only

Process

- Nominees complete the [Examiner Nomination Form](#)
- A professional colleague submits the [Examiner Recommendation Form](#)
- Examiner nominations are considered on a quarterly basis by the ABEM Board of Directors