Grading Scenarios for M3 Core Clerkships

**Range of Grades Assigned for M3 Clerkships**

- O – Outstanding (must score at or about National Mean on NBME Subject Exam)
- ADV – Advanced
- PR – Proficient
- U – Unsatisfactory

More than two U grades – recommend for dismissal

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**Scenario #1**

- Clinical Component: PASS
- NBME Subject Exam: PASS

**Scenario #2**

- Clinical Component: PASS
- NBME Subject Exam (2nd attempt): FAIL

**Scenario #3**

- Clinical Component: FAIL
- Incomplete * (Temp Grade): PASS

**Scenario #4**

- Clinical Component: FAIL
- Incomplete * (Temp Grade) & NBME Subject Exam (2nd attempt): PASS

*If the Incomplete grade is due to absences related to an illness or other emergency, the full range of grade options would be available to the student when he/she completes all requirements.

**Clinical grade earned on repeat rotation will be used to calculate final grade, however it cannot exceed the clinical grade earned for the initial rotation.

¹ Final grade will be posted as earned, with a comment notation "Passed after repeat Clerkship" and Failed Clerkship will remain with a "U", Unsatisfactory grade.