

# FORM A

## CERTIFICATE OF POSTGRADUATE TRAINING

**INSTRUCTIONS:** To be completed by the facility for every medical school graduate completing postgraduate training in the United States or Canada. Either the hospital seal OR notary seal must be on this form. Errors shall be noted by one line through the error and initials of correcting party. No whiteouts or strikeouts are acceptable on this form and may result in a delay of the application process. This form may be sent with the applicant's application packet only if the original envelope is unopened, and the program director has signed his/her name across the back of the envelope. Altered envelopes which contain official, original, or certified official documents will not be accepted.

### PART 1: TO BE COMPLETED BY THE APPLICANT.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ SSN: \_\_\_\_\_

### PART 2: TO BE COMPLETED BY THE PROGRAM DIRECTOR.

Every effort should be made by the training program to complete this form as accurately as possible. However, the Georgia Composite Medical Board does understand that programs close and facilities merge making records unavailable. The Federation of State Medical Boards has offered all [Accreditation Council of Graduate Medical Education](#) approved programs which have closed the opportunity to permanently store their resident records. Additionally, a few [American Osteopathic Association](#) approved programs and other training programs have sent resident records to the Federation. This will provide a central repository for those entities requiring verification of physicians' credentials.

**US and Canadian Medical School Graduates:** Please provide the training dates. If the program is in progress, you may provide the "to" date as the date which the training is scheduled to be completed. This will provide the current standing of the training.

**International Medical School Graduates:** Do not complete this form unless the training requirement has been completed. As of February 5, 2010, the Georgia Composite Medical Board voted to utilize the *Medical Schools Recognized by the Medical Board of California* (MSRMBC) as its official reference for approval of medical schools outside the US and Canada. The list may be viewed online at <http://www.mbc.ca.gov/applicant/schools.html> Graduates are required to complete training in a program accredited by the Accreditation Council for Graduate Medical Education (ACGME) as follows:

- If school is recognized by MSRMBC, one year (1) year
- If school is not recognized by MSRMBC, three (3) years

Please print, type or stamp the following information:

Name of Program: \_\_\_\_\_

Sponsored by: \_\_\_\_\_

Program ID: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Affiliated University: \_\_\_\_\_

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AMA	_____
AOA	_____
RCPSC	_____
CFPC	_____

It is further certified that this program is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Graduate Medical Education (ACGME), the Council on Postdoctoral Training (ECCOPT), RCPSC, or CFPC for the training of medical and osteopathic interns, residents, fellowships, and research as an Accredited Program, Graduate Medical Education Teaching Institution, or Osteopathic Postdoctoral Training Program. This is to certify that the applicant name in Part 1 has completed, not completed, or the training is in progress as follows:

Internship from ___/___/___ to ___/___/___ Specialty/subspecialty _____	Completed:	Yes	No	In Progress
Residency from ___/___/___ to ___/___/___ Specialty/subspecialty _____	Completed:	Yes	No	In Progress
Chief Residency from ___/___/___ to ___/___/___ Specialty/subspecialty _____	Completed:	Yes	No	In Progress
Fellowship from ___/___/___ to ___/___/___ Specialty/subspecialty _____	Completed:	Yes	No	In Progress
Research from ___/___/___ to ___/___/___ Specialty/subspecialty _____	Completed:	Yes	No	In Progress

If "YES" to any of the following questions, please provide a written explanation and supporting documentation:

Any leave of absences requested/reported?	Yes	No
Any probationary action ever taken?	Yes	No
Any disciplinary actions or investigations?	Yes	No
Any special requirements or limitations due to questions of academic incompetence, disciplinary problem, etc	Yes	No

Completion of this form will certify that the individual named in Part 1 above completed a period of accredited postgraduate training at this facility. This form shall be signed by the Program Director (MD or DO only).

Program Director's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Notary's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Notary Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Affix the institutional seal in this space. If you have no seal available, you are required to have this form notarized.