Policy Title: Graduation Requirements  
Category: Academic Progress and Remediation  

Accountable Dean or Director:  
Senior Associate Dean for Student Affairs  

Approved By:  
Executive Oversight Committee  

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RELEVANT LCME STANDARDS:  
9.9 Student Advancement and Appeal Process  

POLICY:  
Prior to graduation, the Icahn School of Medicine at Mount Sinai (ISMMS) verifies that each student has met the degree conferral requirements set forth by the Executive Oversight Committee (EOC) of the MD program. Those requirements are:

I. Academic Requirements  
- Students must meet all the medical education program objectives.  
- Students must pass required courses, clerkships, the minimum number of weeks of electives, and Acting Internship (AI).  
- Students must take and pass USMLE Step 1 by August 31 of the fourth-year curriculum and Step 2CK by December 31 of the fourth-year curriculum.  
- Students must complete a scholarly project and present it at an annual Medical Student Research Day prior to graduation.  

II. Primary Care Scholars Program (PCSP) Requirements  
- In addition to the academic requirements, students in the PCSP are required to pass the InterACT clerkship.  

PROCEDURE:  
The ISMMS Registrar’s Office verifies that all medical students have met graduation requirements and earned passing grades in all courses, clerkships, and electives prior to conferring of the MD degree. For those students in the PCSP, the program director will verify that the PCSP students have met the additional program requirements prior to graduation.  

RELATED POLICIES:  
Satisfactory Academic Progress
Yearly Progress Requirements
Academic Standing
Academic Remediation
ISMMS Year 3 and 4 Electives
Technical Standards