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COMLEX-USA Level 2-PE Instructional Video Released

This week the National Board of Osteopathic Medical Examiners (NBOME) released a brand new instructional video on its website for candidates preparing to take the COMLEX-USA Level 2-Performance Evaluation (PE) examination. This video communicates key information to osteopathic medical students (OMS) about the examination including the electronic SOAP note, which launches July 1, 2014.

The new video, which can be accessed by visiting <http://www.nbome.org/pe-video.asp?m-can>, contains registration information, key reminders and exam instructions, and an overview of the examination day. . It was developed with OMS in mind and is organized into 11 independent chapters for ease in navigation and review as needed. The video was produced at the NBOME National Clinical Skills Testing Center, so it depicts actual staff, rooms and equipment to offer familiarity to candidates before arriving at the Center for their exam.

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“This instructional video provides a helpful overview of the COMLEX-USA Level-2 PE. It complements the information found on our website in the COMLEX-USA Level 2-PE Orientation Guide and NBOME Bulletin of Information in an effort to help prepare candidates for what to expect when they take the COMLEX-USA Level 2-PE,” says Jeanne Sandella, DO, Vice President for Clinical Skills Testing.

By viewing the video chapters before their examination dates, OMS candidates will have a clearer understanding of exam components and expectations such as configuration and available equipment found in the standardized patient exam rooms; timing of encounters and post-encounter eSOAP documentation; approved Osteopathic Manipulative Treatment (OMT) maneuvers; as well as information on irregular conduct.

“Every candidate is encouraged to view the video chapters before their test date not only to learn about the examination itself, but also to find out helpful information about registration, meals and travel,” Dr. Sandella added.

The NBOME is the leading assessment organization for the osteopathic medical profession. Its mission is to protect the public by providing the means to assess competencies for osteopathic medicine and related health care professions. NBOME’s COMLEX-USA examination series provides the pathway to licensure for osteopathic physicians in the United States.

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