

OB GYN Clerkship Grading Policy 2009 - 2010

Beginning in the academic year 2007, students will be graded on a three category scale:

Honors, Pass, & Fail

There will be **four** components to the grade:

1. Clinical Performance:(professionalism, observed H&P, biweekly evaluations, & final evaluations);
2. NBME;
3. OSCE;
4. Departmental Project

Below is a graph of how these components will be scored:

Component	Honors	Pass	Fail
Clinical Evaluation	≥ 3.2 <i>average</i>	1.5 – 3.1 <i>average</i>	≤ 1.4 <i>average</i>
NBME Exam	$\geq 77^{\text{th}}$ <i>average</i>	5 – 74 th <i>average</i>	$\leq 4^{\text{th}}$ <i>average</i>
OSCE	> 90	50 - 89	< 50
Departmental Project	≥ 90	50 - 89	≤ 50

Evaluations of parts of Clinical grade are determined thus:

Professionalism

Pass: dimensions of commendation > dimensions of concern

Fail: dimensions of commendation < dimensions of concern

Observed History and Physical

Pass: completed

Fail: incomplete

Overall **Honors** Grade:

1. Honors NBME Exam + Honors in one other major component (clinical evaluation or OSCE);
2. No Fail grades;
3. Pass all “other components”

Overall **Pass** Grade:

1. Fail to meet criteria for Honors;
2. No Fail grades