Nova Southeastern University College of Osteopathic Medicine

Policy: Medical Student Performance Evaluation (MSPE)

COM Program/Degree: Osteopathic Medicine Program/D.O.

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The Medical Student Performance Evaluation (MSPE) policy has changed. The original policy section, which can be found on page 138 of the 2023-2024 Student Handbook is replaced with the following, effective immediately, with the changes noted in RED:

2. Medical Student Performance Evaluation (MSPE)

The Medical Student Performance Evaluation (MSPE) is a formal letter of evaluation issued by the dean and serves as an evaluation for the application process for graduate medical education training programs. Specifically, the MSPE provides a succinct chronology of a student's entry and progress through medical school, which includes the preclinical and clinical rotation records, preceptor comments, involvement in special activities, compliance with behavioral policies such as dress code and attendance, and the student's personal qualities.

The MSPE is generally available for students' input by September of the M4 year. Students will be permitted to review their MSPE electronically, but are strictly prohibited from sending it on their own to any individual or residency program.

A student who has appeared before the Student Progress Committee and has had disciplinary action taken after their MSPE has been uploaded into the ERAS system will have an updated MSPE uploaded. This updated MSPE will include the disciplinary action taken.