COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

BOARD OF REGISTRATION IN MEDICINE

POLICY 2022-04

POLICY ON ACCEPTANCE OF ACCREDITED ORAL AND MAXILLOFACIAL SURGERY POSTGRADUATE TRAINING

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The Board of Registration in Medicine (Board) hereby adopts this policy regarding applicants who have completed oral and maxillofacial surgery postgraduate training accredited by the Commission on Dental Accreditation (CODA), of the American Dental Association, meets the Board’s postgraduate training requirements, as defined in 243 CMR 2.02(2)(c) for U.S./Canadian medical graduates and 243 CMR 2.03(1)(d) for international medical graduates. To be considered, an applicant must demonstrate successful completion of the following:

* At least twelve (12) months of postgraduate training accredited by the Accreditation Council for Graduate Medical Education (ACGME); Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada (RCPSC); or the College of Family Physicians of Canada (CFPC); and
* At least twenty-four (24) months of postgraduate training, accredited by CODA. CODA-accredited postgraduate training must be completed as part of an oral and maxillofacial surgery postgraduate training program as a resident after receiving a medical degree.