

FCLB District Meeting 2020

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Meet the New Members of the NBCE Board of Directors



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NBCE District IV Director



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NBCE At-Large Director

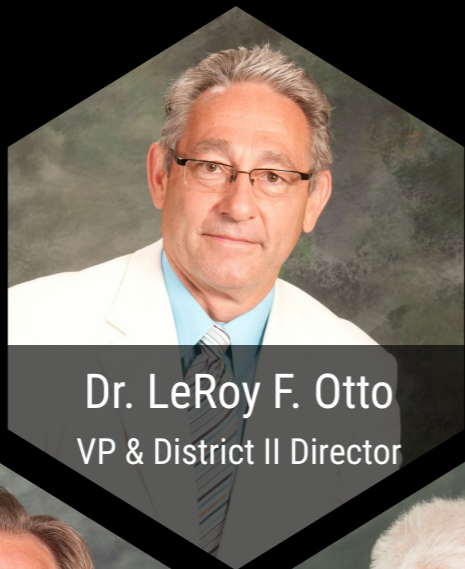


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NBCE At-Large Director



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President & District I
Director



Dr. LeRoy F. Otto
VP & District II Director



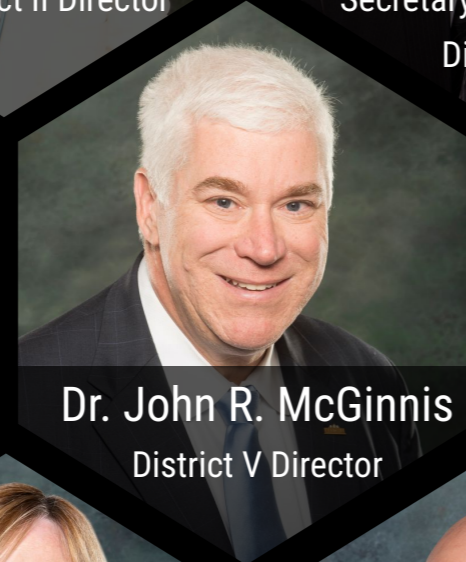
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Dr. Karlos Boghosian
FCLB Appointment



Dr. Carol Winkler
FCLB Appointment

The 2020 NBCE Board of Directors



NBCE Response to COVID -19

In response to federal, state, and local guidelines related to the COVID-19 pandemic, the NBCE took extra steps to ensure the health and safety of the NBCE staff, including the hundreds of test site administrators all over the country who are crucial to the exam process.

Due to continued restrictions, reduced seats are available at all test sites for the Parts I, II, III, and PHT exams. To remedy this, the NBCE has opened the entire Prometric network across the country to provide seats for examinees.

As of September 28th, 2020, all affected examinees have been rescheduled and all exam administrations are back on schedule. The following slide details specific actions taken for each affected exam administration.

All Examinees Affected in March, April, and May Have Been Rescheduled

NBCE Response

to COVID -19

Part I Exam:

The April Part I administration was moved to August, with an expanded testing window in order to accommodate those affected.

Part III & PHT Exams:

The March Part III & PHT administrations were moved to July under a paper-based testing format in order to allow the necessary amount of seating to accommodate the combined March and July administrations.

Part II Exam:

The June Part II administration was able to proceed as planned, with new social distancing safety policies and procedures in place.

Part IV Practical Exam:

The majority of the approximately 1,400 examinees who were scheduled to take the Part IV practical exam in May were able to take the exam in July as part of a special administration. Additional special administrations were scheduled for August and September to adhere to state-specific guidelines.

Delphi Study: Psychometrics Department



The Delphi Study is conducted every five years in order to ensure that the NBCE Part I & II exams align with the curriculum taught at chiropractic colleges.

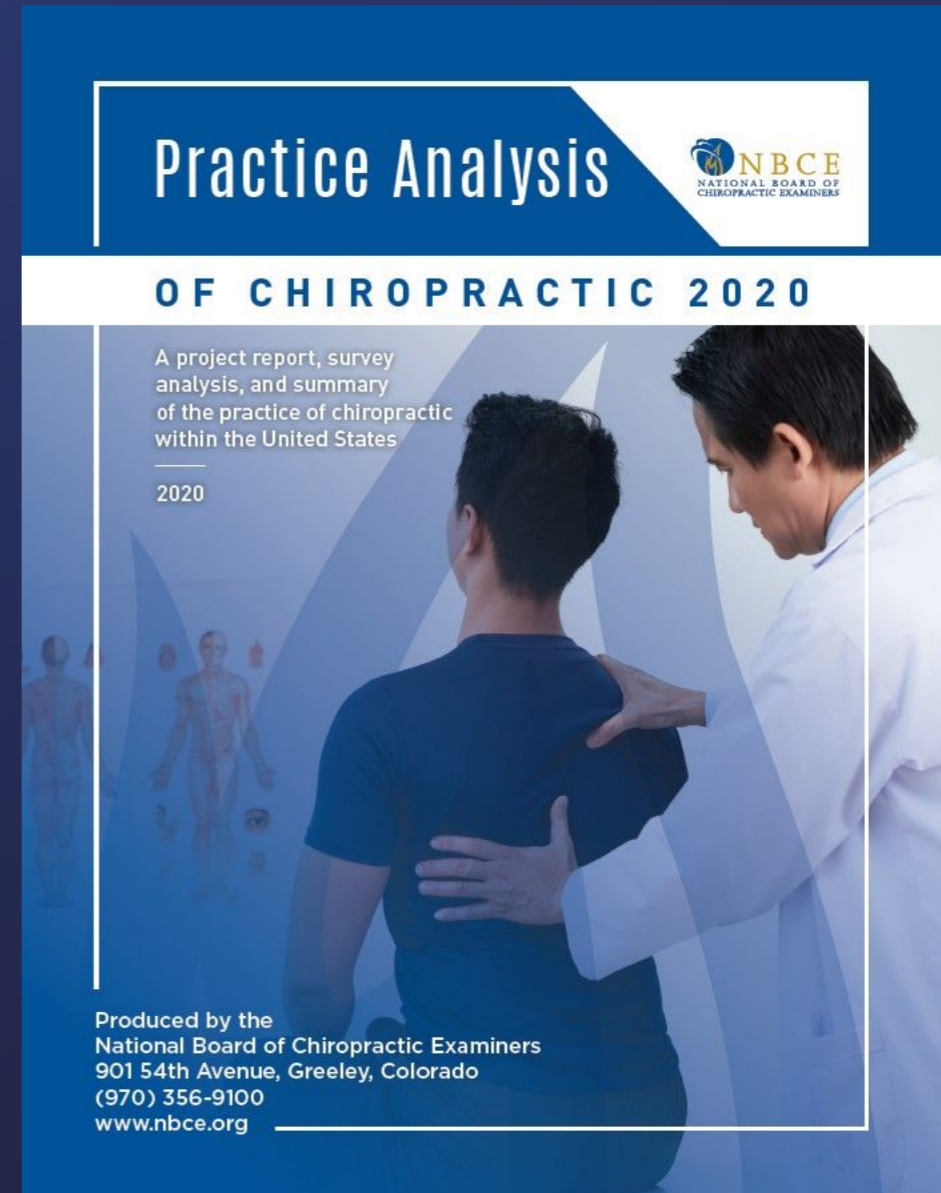
We expect to complete the current Delphi Study by the end of 2020.

The Practice Analysis of Chiropractic 2020 Was Released on February 14th, 2020

The Practice Analysis of Chiropractic is conducted by the NBCE approximately every five years in order to ensure that the Part III & Part IV exams align with the current practices of the chiropractic profession.

The Practice Analysis of Chiropractic 2020 can be found on the [MyNBCE.org](https://www.nbce.org) website, under the **About** tab.

This was the first year when the Practice Analysis was released as an entirely digital version. This electronic version is searchable, user-friendly, and can be printed as an entire document or in sections, free of charge to chiropractors and interested members of the public.





*The Journal of Chiropractic
Education*

The NBCE is partnering with *The Journal of Chiropractic Education* to publish a special issue highlighting the Practice Analysis of Chiropractic 2020 through 6-8 academic articles.

Findings of the Practice
Analysis of 2020

The Individual-Level
Chiropractic
Assessment Scale

Scientific Orientation
of the Chiropractic
Profession

Frequency of Utilization
of Treatment
Modalities

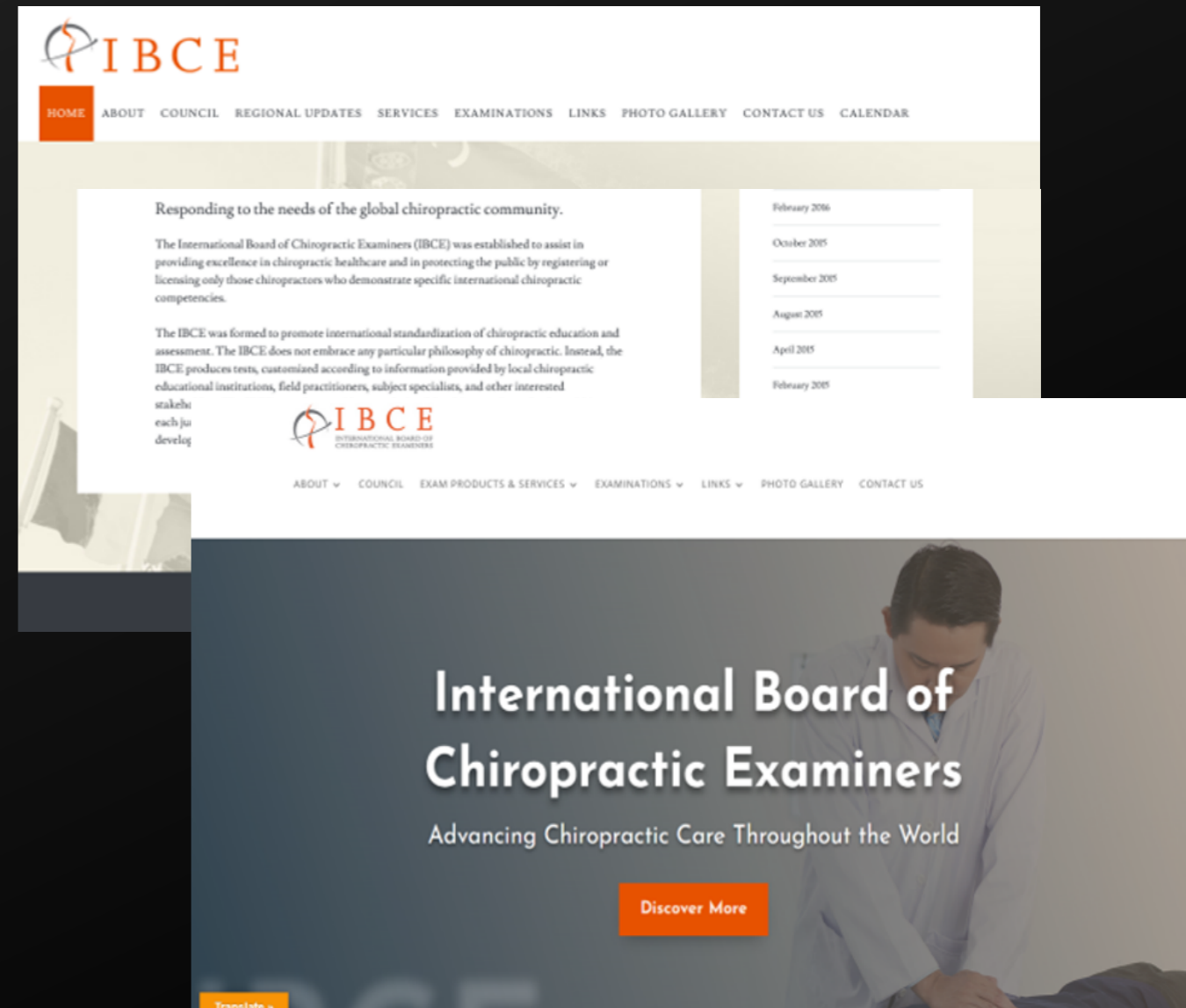
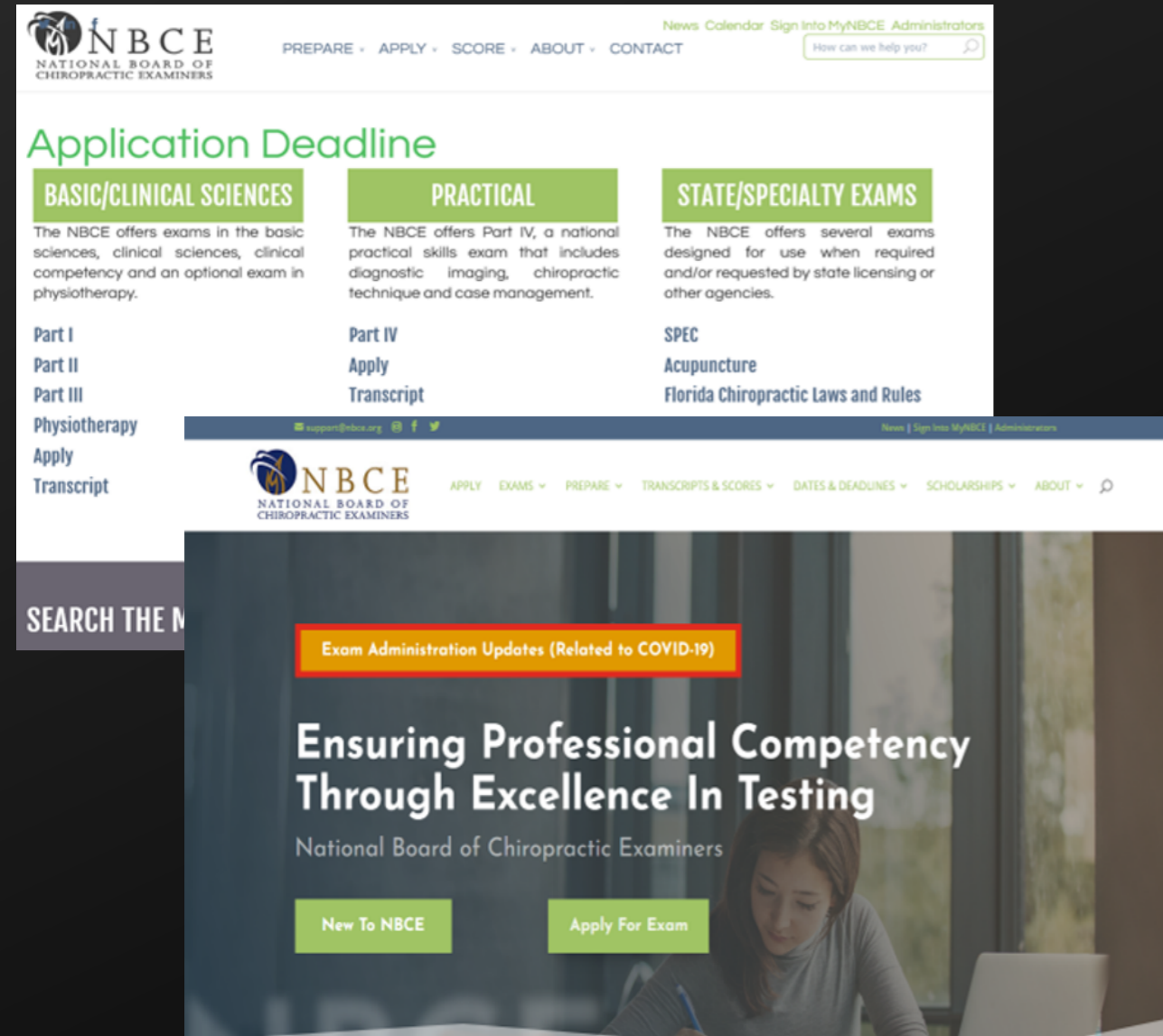
Likelihood of Using
Modalities in Addition to
Spinal Manipulation

Constructing an
Explanatory Model for
Those who Leave the
Profession

Logistic Regressions
Predicting Frequency of
Performing Radiographic
Images

Website Redevelopment

The NBCE updated the [MyNBCE.org](https://www.mynbce.org) and [IBCE.org](https://www.ibce.org) websites in order to improve the examinee experience.





Welcome to the MyNBCE app

Dates and Deadlines

Apply for Exam

View Scores

Free Sample Tests:

Take Our Free Mini Sample Tests

Mini Sample Tests Score History

For Full Sample Tests

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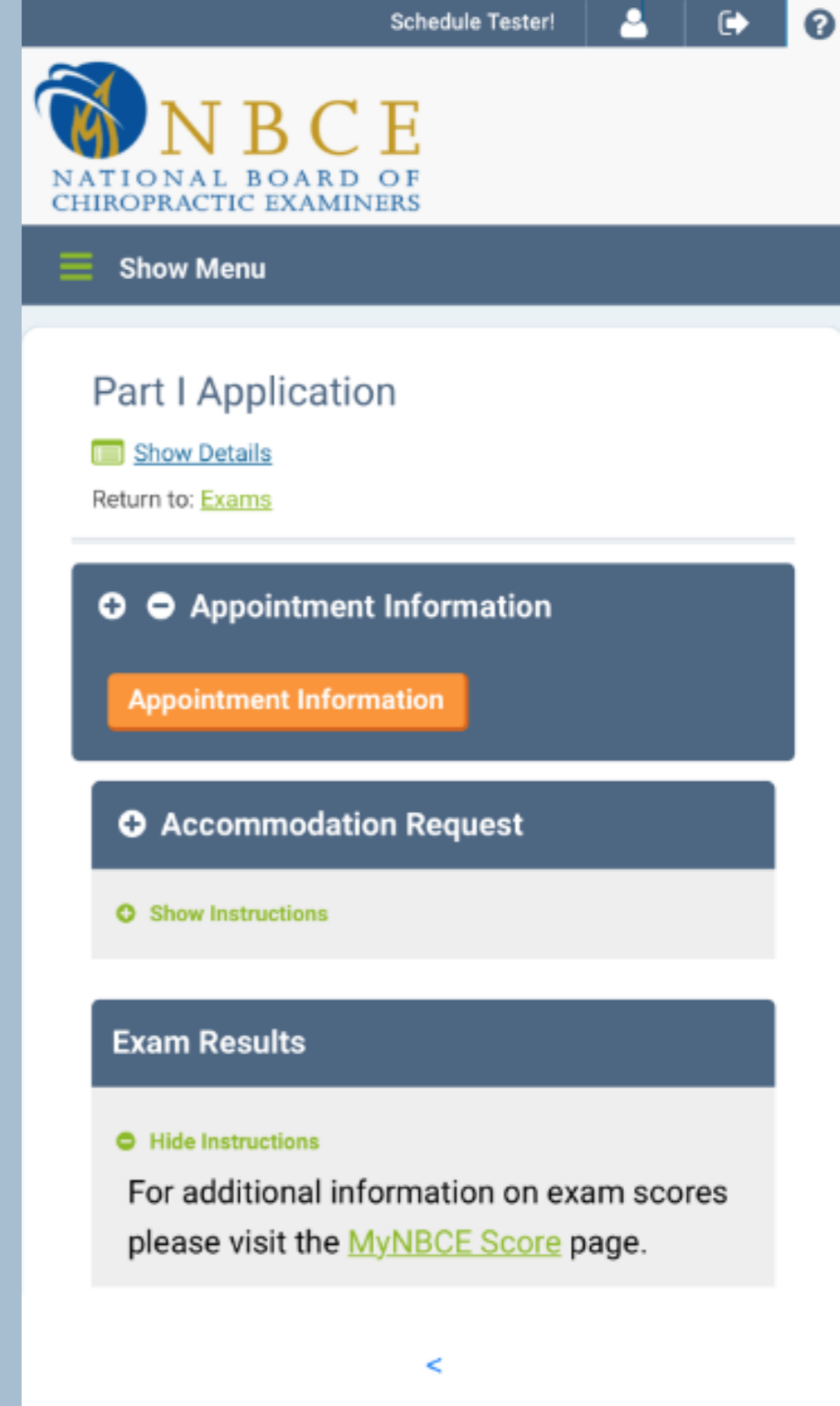
NBCE Mobile App

The NBCE Mobile App was released in May of 2020 for Apple and Android devices.

The app is a fully functioning portal to Learning Builder with NBCE branding.

Students can use the NBCE Mobile App to:

- Sign up for exams
- Pay
- View Scores
- Receive reminders through Push notifications



Special Exams Developed by the NBCE

Active State Exams

- Florida Chiropractic Laws and Rules Examination
- Oregon Obstetrics, Gynecology and Genitourinary Examination
- Oregon Minor Surgery and Proctology Examination
- Oregon Ethics Exam
- Oregon Chiropractic Assistant Exam

The NBCE continues to receive inquiries from state boards as they trust our organization to administer a wide range of state exams. After receiving all materials, the NBCE can complete a state's jurisprudence exam in six months.

Exams Being Developed

- South Carolina Jurisprudence Exam
- Oklahoma State Jurisprudence Exam
- American Board of Chiropractic Pediatrics
- American Academy of Motor Vehicle Injuries



State Exam Development Starts Here

Step 1

Review the state's statutes to determine if the NBCE can proceed with administering the exam.

Step 2

The state board approves a list of references to be used for building test questions.

Step 3

The state board approves a test plan.

Step 4

The state board appoints a test committee to approve all questions used in the examination.

Step 5

Once completed, an open book, non-proctored state exam can be administered 24 hours a day, 365 days a year by the NBCE. A proctored exam will require scheduling at Prometric.





EBAS partners with the regulatory community, offering a profession-specific, computerized essay exam that assesses a licensee's understanding of ethics and boundaries in a professional setting.

Assessing licensed professionals in the areas of:

- Boundaries
- Unprofessional Conduct
- Professional Standards
- Substance Abuse
- Fraud

Currently Testing:

- Chiropractic
- Medical
- Dental
- Nurses

Exam: \$1500

The EBAS exams provide steady growth through non-student revenue.

EBAS Exams are offered 6 days a week at Prometric testing centers.

EBAS Essay Exam

Examinees are presented with realistic, hypothetical scenarios and asked to submit an appropriate response. From the scenarios presented, the examinee is required to:

- Identify ethical issues
- Discuss consequences
- Discuss solutions
- Explain how the unethical actions compromise the community's safety and welfare

Administration

The EBAS exam is an online essay exam administered at Prometric Testing Centers. Prometric offers easy appointment scheduling and predictable exam delivery. The five sections of the EBAS exam can be mixed and matched depending on each examinee.





Experienced Graders

EBAS graders come from diverse backgrounds and have one thing in common, they all have regulatory experience. Essays are scored by a pool of graders, none of which are from the examinee's state.

Scoring

Essays are scored by multiple graders, all with regulatory experience. Each essay has a maximum score of 16 points. 12 points is a passing score. Examinees who score below 12 points must only retake failed essay topics.

Score Report

A score report will be sent to the examinee and the regulatory board designated on the examinee's application approximately three weeks after the exam is taken.

Special Purposes Examination for Chiropractic (SPEC)

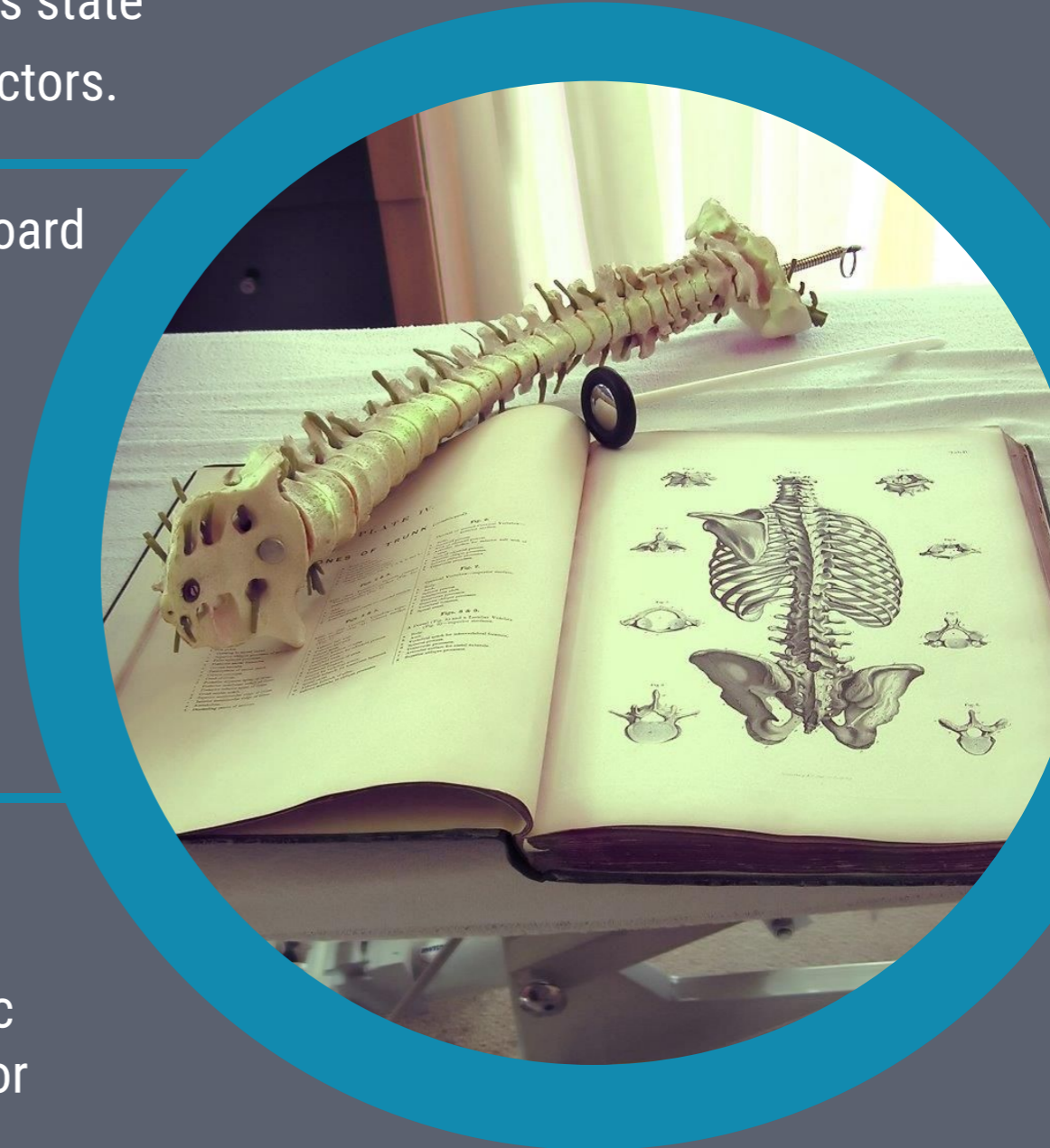
The SPEC exam is offered six times per year and allows state boards to test clinical competency for reprimanded doctors.

The SPEC exam is available at the request of a state board for circumstances including:

- Assessing a chiropractor's knowledge for a license that has lapsed, been suspended, or revoked
- Reciprocity/Endorsement when moving between states
- Cases of malpractice

There are two parts of the SPEC examination:

- 100 questions related to the management of 25 clinical cases commonly encountered in chiropractic
- 100 questions addressing the knowledge required for chiropractic practice





Thank You

