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Anesthesiology	ABA requires every residency program director to electronically file a Program Director's Reference Form on behalf of each resident upon graduation from the residency program. Information is requested regarding the professional standing, abilities and character of the candidate.	http://www.theaba.org/ABOUT/Policies-BOI	http://www.theaba.org/Home
Emergency Medicine	ABEM will independently verify with the fellowship program director, the applicant's successful completion of the training and the applicant's clinical competence in hospice and palliative medicine.	https://www.abem.org/public/become-certified/subspecialties/hospice-and-palliative-medicine	https://www.abem.org/public/
Family Medicine	Verification of satisfactory completion of training must be provided by the fellowship program director via the Fellowship Training Management system (FTM). Upon completion of the fellowship, the program director log into FTM and submit final verification of completion of training to the ABFM. FTM: https://ftm.theabfm.org/Account/Login?ReturnUrl=%2F	https://www.theabfm.org/added-qualifications/hospice-and-palliative-medicine/candidate-booklet	https://www.theabfm.org/
Internal Medicine	ABIM requires verification of candidates' clinical competence from an ABIM certified program director through its tracking process FasTrack®. https://www.abim.org/program-directorsadministrators/fastrack/login.aspx	https://www.abim.org/about/publications/certification-moc-guides.aspx	https://www.abim.org/
Obstetrics & Gynecology	ABOG requires that each resident's Program Director signs a "Residency Training Affidavit," attesting to the resident's satisfactory competence and completion of the program. The program coordinator can download the affidavit from the affidavit 31 days prior to the residency completion date.	https://www.abog.org/about-abog/bulletins	https://www.abog.org/

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Pediatrics	ABP asks applicants to list the program(s) where fellowship training occurred as well as the name(s) of the program director(s). They will then send a Verification of Competence Form to the program director(s) for completion.	https://www.abp.org/content/hospice-and-palliative-medicine-certification	https://www.abp.org/
Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation	ABPMR relies on information from program directors to ensure that residents are progressing through their training in a satisfactory manner (eg, registration, annual evaluation). Program directors will provide documentation verifying applicant's satisfactory clinical competence in hospice and palliative medicine.	https://www.abpmr.org/subspecialties/hpm	https://www.abpmr.org/
Psychiatry & Neurology	ABPN will require a certificate of completion of the fellowship or a letter written by the training program director, documenting the successful completion of one year of ACGME-accredited fellowship in hospice and palliative medicine.	https://www.abpn.com/become-certified/taking-a-subspecialty-exam/hospice-and-palliative-medicine/	https://www.abpn.com/
Radiology	ABP requires verification from the training program director that the fellow's clinical competence in hospice and palliative medicine is satisfactory.	https://www.theabr.org/diagnostic-radiology/subspecialties/hospice-palliative-medicine/requirements#require	https://www.theabr.org/
Surgery	ABS requires program directors to sign a signature form. This document summarizes the information entered on the application form. Only the program director may sign the form, no other official. An applicant may find the signature form here: https://www.absurgery.org/login.jsp?app.jsp?type=B&id=12	http://www.absurgery.org/default.jsp?app_zce_inst	http://www.absurgery.org/