



CUSTOMIZED ENTRUSTMENT SCALE VALUES: EFFECTS ON CURRENT TRAINEE PROGRESS

TARGET AUDIENCE: CBME PROGRAM ADMINISTRATORS, PROGRAM DIRECTORS, COMPETENCE COMMITTEE MEMBERS, ACADEMIC COACHES, TRAINEES Updated June 2, 2023





Customized Entrustment Scale Values

We have been working diligently with our development team to implement functionality that accurately tracks progress for programs that consider entrustment ratings of less than 5 as "achieved".

What Does this Mean for Programs?

- For programs that only consider 5s as "achieved":
 - o Nothing! The system will continue tracking progress as usual.
- For programs that consider 4s as "achieved":
 - We will turn on a feature in our user settings that will implement the following:
 - ➤ If a trainee receives a 4/5 on any future CBME forms, the progress bar will take this into consideration and progress accordingly.
 - This change will also apply to all CBME forms completed to date. Progress calculations will update accordingly once the new feature is implemented.
 - EPAs with a status of "in progress" that recalculate to 100% due to the new functionality will consequently change to "ready to review" status.
 - However, for stages and EPAs that already have a status of "achieved" or "approved", regardless of what the progress calculation is, will stay the same; no prior committee decisions to mark an EPA "achieved" or "approved" will be impacted.
 - For example, if an EPA status is already marked as "achieved" by the Competence Committee with 80% progress, the progress bar will change to 100% with this update. However, the status will not revert to "ready to review" as it was already reviewed previously.

What Happens when Optional Functionality is Turned On?

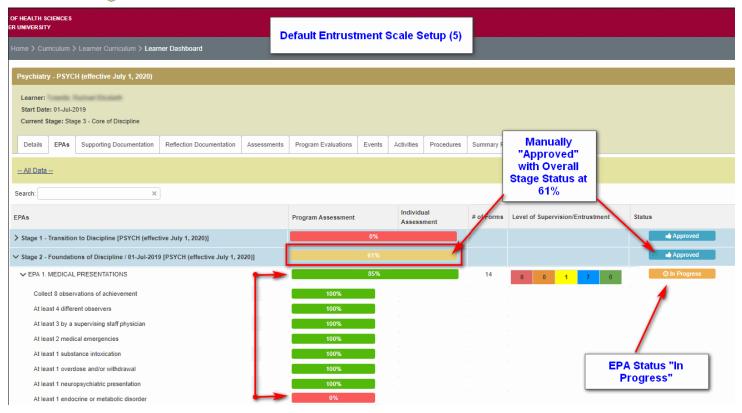
 Once turned on, current trainee EPA dashboard progress will update immediately to reflect your customized preferences – see examples below.

Default Settings Example:

- Stage: Foundations of Discipline
- Minimum Achieved Entrustment Value: 5/5

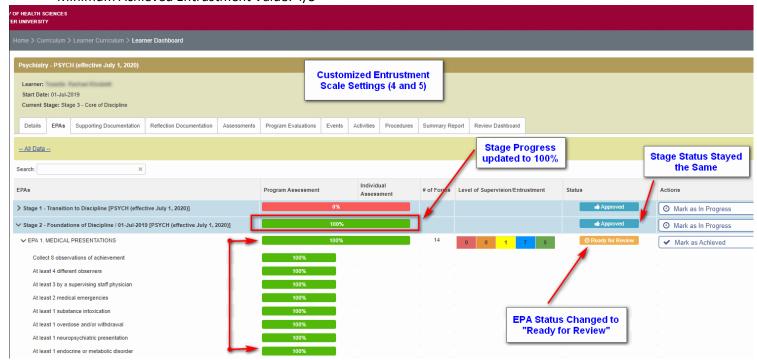






Customized Settings Example:

- Stage: Foundations of Discipline
- Minimum Achieved Entrustment Value: 4/5







When comparing both examples, note:

a. Progress Bar Percentages:

o The progress bars for both Foundations EPA 1 and the overall Foundations stage both changed to 100%.

b. Statuses:

- the status of Foundations EPA 1 changed from "In Progress" to "Ready for Review".
- Despite this EPA status change, the overall stage status remained the same.
 - As mentioned previously, no previous Competence Committee decisions will be affected by the implementation of this new feature; if the CC deemed an EPA/Stage as achieved/approved previously, the committee will not be required to update the status again.

Action Required at the Program End:

- As mentioned above, no action required for programs that only consider 5s as "achieved".
- For programs interested in utilizing this feature, there are (2) options:
 - i. Implement the feature program wide across all stages.
 - ii. Customize the change by stage or EPA.
 - ➤ le: Stage 1 considers 4s as "achieved", while stages 2-4 only consider 5s as "achieved".
 - ➤ le: Stage 2 EPA 1 considers 4s as "achieved", while Stage 2 EPA 2 only considers 5s as "achieved".
- One turned on, we recommend that you notify your current trainees/Academic Coaches/CC Members, etc. of these changes as they may wonder why their dashboards have suddenly updated.

If your program is not utilizing this feature and would like to do so:

- Please submit a detailed Jira ticket advising MedSIS of your program's preferences.
 - To submit a ticket, please visit <u>medsishelp.mcmaster.ca</u>
 - User Guide: How to Submit a Ticket