

Common Overviews - Abbreviations

Abbreviation	Definition
ACLS	Advance Cardiac Life Support
AHD	Academic Half Day
ATLS	Advanced Trauma Life Support
AV	Audio-Visual
AVP	Assessment verification period
CanMEDS	A framework that identifies and describes the abilities physicians require to effectively meet the health care needs of the people they serve.
CaRMS	Canadian Resident Matching Service
CBD	Competence by Design
CBME	Competency Based Medical Education
CIP	Clinician Investigator Program
CPSO	College of Physicians and Surgeons of Ontario
CR	Chief Resident
CSBL	Centre for Simulation-Based Learning
CTU	Clinical Teaching Unit
DOS	Department of Surgery
ENT	Otolaryngology
EPA	Entrustable Professional Activity
FITER(S)	Final In Training Evaluation Report
FRCP	Fellow of the Royal College of Physicians of Canada
FRCS	Fellow of the Royal College of Surgeons of Canada
GR	Grand Rounds
HGH	Hamilton General Hospital
HHS	Hamilton Health Sciences
HSC	Health Sciences Centre
ITER	In-training Evaluation Report
JC	Journal Club
JCC	Juravinski Cancer Centre
JHC	Juravinski Hospital
Jnr Resident	Junior resident, either in PGY1 or PGY2
M&M	Morbidity and Mortality Rounds
MDCL	Michael DeGroote Centre for Learning
MIU	McMaster Institute of Urology
MMI	Multi mini interview
MSF	Multi-Source Feedback
MUMC	McMaster Children's Hospital
ODM	One Day Matters
OES	Office of Education Science
OSCE	Objective Structured Clinical Examination
O-SCORE	Ottawa Surgical Competence Operating Room Evaluation

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PC	Program Coordinator
PD	Program Director
PEAP	Pre entry assessment period
PG	Postgraduate
PGME	Postgraduate Medical Education Office
PGY	Postgraduate Year
POS	Principles of Surgery
PSQ	Post-survery Questionnaire
R1	Resident 1, in PGY1
R2	Resident 2, in PGY2
RC/RCPSC	Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada
REC	Residency Education Committee
RPC	Residency Program Committee
RTO	Request for Time Off
SF	Surgical Foundations
SJH/SJHH	St. Joseph's Hospital/St. Joseph's Healthcare Hamilton
SSP	Surgeon Scientist Program
STACER	Structured Assessments of Clinical Evaluation Report
TBL	Temporal Bone Lab
TC	Teleconferencing
TOR	Terms of Reference
UG	Undergraduate
UGME	Undergraduate Medical Education Office
VC	Videoconferencing