

# EPIDEMIOLOGY COMPETENCIES ASSESSMENT FORM

To be completed by the student's major professor/supervisor for students who graduated during the academic year (summer, fall and spring semesters)

Print student name: \_\_\_\_\_

Circle semester: Summer fall spring Year, 20\_\_\_\_\_

IP major professor/supervisor – print name: \_\_\_\_\_

IP major professor/supervisor – sign name: \_\_\_\_\_

## Epidemiology Competencies

Assess the extent to which the student demonstrated mastery of the following Epidemiology competencies in the integrative project (**assess a minimum of 2 competencies**).

1. Plan, perform and report basic statistical calculations and analyses and critically read public health and medical care journal articles.

Expert                      Proficient                      Adequate                      Novice                      Not applicable

2. Examine data for the presence of confounding and effect modification, identify their presence and manage them appropriately.

Expert                      Proficient                      Adequate                      Novice                      Not applicable

3. Explain how bias, confounding, effect modification and random error may affect the results of epidemiologic investigations and how they may be prevented or controlled.

Expert                      Proficient                      Adequate                      Novice                      Not applicable

4. Describe basic approaches for the collection of primary data, the use of secondary data, and the assessment of the quality of data collection and measurements.

Expert                      Proficient                      Adequate                      Novice                      Not applicable

5. Describe different principles of investigation for acute outbreaks versus chronic conditions or other adverse outcomes in populations.

Expert                      Proficient                      Adequate                      Novice                      Not applicable

6. Apply descriptive techniques commonly used to summarize public health data.

Expert                      Proficient                      Adequate                      Novice                      Not applicable

7. Apply common statistical methods for inference.

Expert                      Proficient                      Adequate                      Novice                      Not applicable

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8. Apply descriptive and inferential methodologies according to the type of study design for answering a particular research question.

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Proficient

Adequate

Novice

Not applicable

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