# **HINTS** for completing: In-Training Assessment Reports (ITAR)

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### **PURPOSE OF ITAR:**

The In-Training Assessment Report (ITAR) is **summary of the resident's performance and progress while on their rotation.** The ITAR should be based on the assessment of clinical knowledge, judgement and performance *for their stage of training.* 

#### **REMEMBER:**

o The resident's Rotation Plan should be reviewed prior to completing the ITAR.

## 1. Inventory of progress

The appropriate assessments were completed during this rotation, as outlined in the Rotation Plan (e.g. procedure logs, chart documentation assessments, MSF, rounds assessment):

- o Yes
- o No
- o In Progress
- o Not Applicable

## **Consider using the following information** to inform your **ITAR** assessment:

- observations of clinical work during the rotation
- formal presentations (journal club, rounds etc.)
- teaching of junior residents as appropriate
- review of clinical notes
- discussions with the resident.

### 2. Rating scales and ratings

Complete the ratings on objectives as you would have completed the prior "ITERS".

### 3. Progress in Training – Learner Handover

- Consider this section a review of the CanMEDS competencies displayed by the resident during the rotation.
- Consider the described elements for each role
- o If a rating is "No", please provide an explanatory comment at the end of the form.
- o If a deficiency is noted, it will be flagged for the Priogram Director's review and action.
  - Concerns identified in this section may be forwarded to the faculty member who
    is the rotation coordinator of the resident's next rotation

#### **REMEMBER: Feedback and Comments**

- Please share your experience and suggestions.
- Specific, observed feedback and actionable suggestions for improvement are HIGHLY valuable to improve performance.