

UNDERGRADUATE MEDICAL EDUCATION SCHULICH SCHOOL OF MEDICINE & DENTISTRY

STANDARD ON ACCESS TO CURRICULAR MATERIALS

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PURPOSE

In the Doctor of Medicine or Undergraduate Medicine Program (Program) at the Schulich School of Medicine & Dentistry in Western University, course materials evolve and are updated regularly. For every academic year, each class will have access to materials specifically created for and presented to their cohort, and students in good standing will retain access to these materials until they graduate.

STATEMENT

The Program office values the contributions of our teaching faculty in their creation of materials to support our Graduating Competencies. Restricting access to course materials according to specific cohort enables us to:

Protect our faculty's intellectual property

Support the integrity and integration of each cohort

Ensure streamlined use of curriculum resources

Demonstrate respect for diversity in instructional materials and teaching styles

Course materials will be posted to OWL (Western's Online Learning System) according to UME procedures: http://www.schulich.uwo.ca/medicine/undergraduate/academic_resources/schedules_sessional_dates course materials.html

Only students who are part of the identified program year will have access to the materials posted for their cohort

Materials from all years specific to each cohort will be taken offline after the students graduate at the end of Year 4.