

Questions from EPPs during Residency in ECOS Webinar

Should we already be able to see the Residency (47) route? I do not see it.

No, you will not see that route until the TEA IT deploys it during the week of 12/16. You may see certificates now with the new cert License ID for residency now though.

Let's say we have a provision where if a candidate doesn't meet our benchmark score for a performance gate and we have them do a 5th performance assessment. Do we report all 5, and if so, will there be an option for that?

EPPs should only report performance gates where candidates met the proficiency requirement. You would not record any performance gate that does not meet proficiency. Therefore, you would have 4 gates that have met proficiency.

Are performance gates standardized or chosen by each program?

The performance gates are based on your program/program needs and what you submitted in your application. There are no standardized performance gates.

What is the process of transitioning teachers from the traditional route to the residency route if they already have an admission record and finisher record in ECOS for the traditional route? Do we need to change students that have already been admitted?

No new admission record is needed as the candidates were originally admitted in the traditional route. However, because they are changing routes, the Finisher Records list should be updated accordingly. Change the enrollment record for the traditional route to "Remove" and then add the new enrollment record as "Other Enrolled". You will also need to add new test approvals in the residency route for those candidates who have transferred. Note: candidates who started a residency assignment before the SBEC approved the EPP for the Residency route are not eligible to transition to the Residency route and are not eligible for the Enhanced Standard certificate.

See the chart below for application windows from round one and when they expect to go to SBEC for approval.

Application Round	SBEC Approval	First Possible Resident Cohort Begin Date	First Possible Enhanced Standard Certificate
Round 1: June 2024 – December 2024*	December 2024	January 2025	December 2025
	February 2025	August 2025	May 2026
	April 2025		
	July 2025		

*The application round was composed of multiple submission and review windows