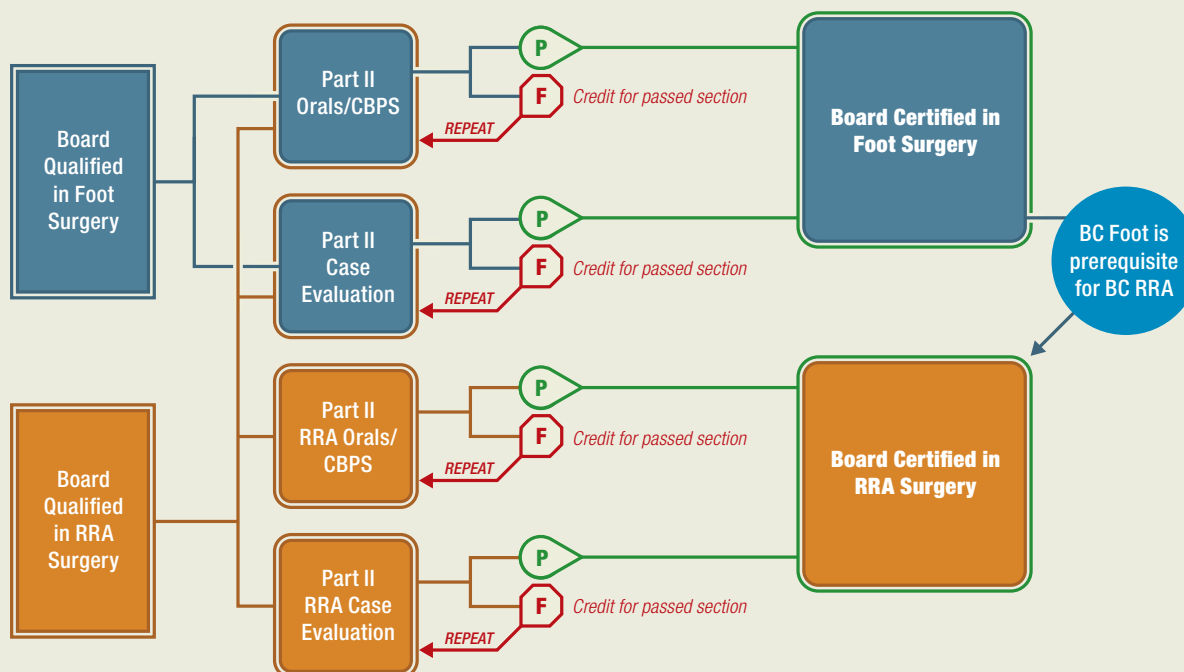


PART II CERTIFICATION EXAMINATIONS

Attaining ABFAS Board Certified Status



NOTES

All candidates with ABFAS Board Qualified status must log all procedures in Podiatry Logging Service for Surgery (PLS) from January 1, 2009 or, if after 2009, from July 1 of the year Board Qualified status is attained. The ABFAS will randomly select 10 Foot Surgery cases and/or 10 Reconstructive Rearfoot/Ankle Surgery Cases from the PLS log.

Candidates participating in the Case Evaluation process must request a list of cases for a specific date range performed at a facility where the candidate has surgical privileges. The ABFAS will compare the facility list to the candidate's PLS case list for audit purposes.

The ABFAS 220 document, available on the ABFAS website, provides details for preparing and electronically uploading materials for Case Evaluation.

Beginning in 2015, there no longer will be an oral examination. Instead, the ABFAS will conduct a rigorous Case Evaluation process combined with the CBPS examination.

Candidates completing residency in 2014 and later have seven years to achieve board certification.