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## Register for NEW CBPS This Spring

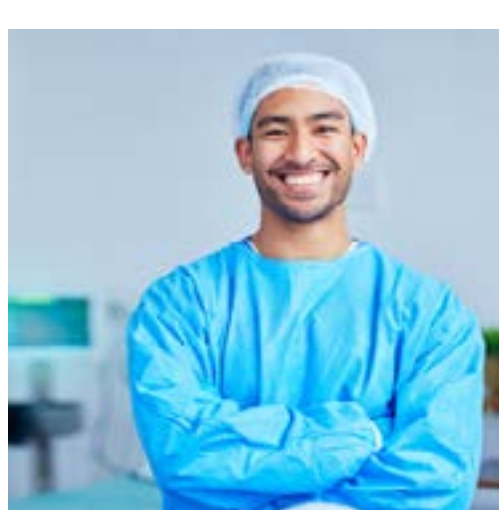


If you became ABFAS Board Qualified before September 2020 and did not pass the 12-case Part II Foot Surgery Computer-Based Patient Simulation (CBPS) Exam and/or the 16-case Part II RRA Surgery CBPS Exam, you need to pass the **NEW CBPS Exam**—in addition to Part II Case Review—to become ABFAS Board Certified.

To review your past exam results, **log into** your ABFAS profile. Registration for NEW CBPS is open until February 27.

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## Promote Your Board Qualification Status

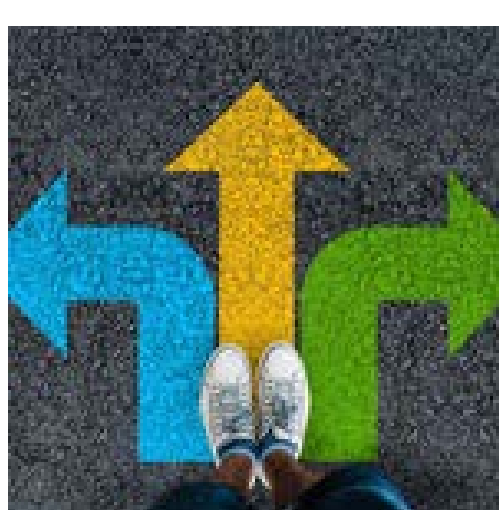


ABFAS Board-qualified DPMs may now use the term “ABFAS Board Qualified” in advertising or public-facing communication—including business cards, letterhead, email footers, websites, and biographical information, curricula vitae, job applications, and other documentation—in accordance with **Advertising Policies for ABFAS Board-qualified DPMs**.

Since ABFAS Board-qualified DPMs are eligible to take the Part II Case Review Examination, you may also use the term “ABFAS Board Eligible” instead of ABFAS Board Qualified.

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## Find Your Exam Pathway



Confused about which exams to take? Use the interactive, online **My Exam Pathway tool** to understand your next steps in becoming ABFAS Board Certified, based on the exams you have already passed.

[Find My Path](#)

## Watch the 2024 Case Review Webinar Recording

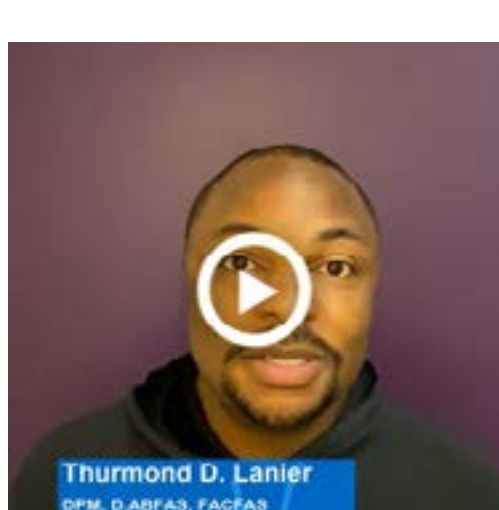


On January 22, ABFAS President Nicole A. Bauerly, DPM, D.ABFAS, FACFAS, and ABFAS Immediate Past President Jeffery L. Giesking, DPM, D.ABFAS, FACFAS, walked current registrants through the Case Review process in the webinar, ABFAS 2024 Case Review Overview for Candidates.

Log into the **Case Review Overview Candidates web page** to watch the recording, view the PowerPoint presentation, and see frequently asked questions from the presentation.

[Access Webinar Recording](#)

## Why I Chose ABFAS Board Certification: Dr. Thurmond Lanier



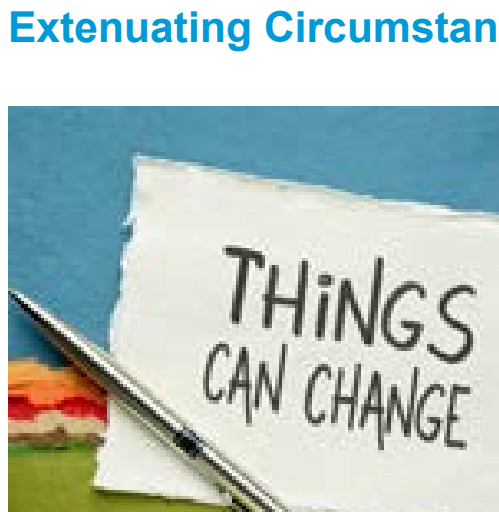
**In this video**, Thurmond D. Lanier, DPM, D.ABFAS, FACFAS, shares why he chose ABFAS Board Certification:

The reason why I chose ABFAS [Board] Certification is that it's opened doors in my career. It's one of the main certifications that hospitals use for privileging, and it's the certification that patients know.

**Submit a short video** on what it means to you to become ABFAS Board Certified, and you could be featured in ABFAS communication channels and on social media.

[Watch Video](#)

## Extenuating Circumstances? File an Extension Request



ABFAS understands that life happens. Whether you have started a family, lost a job, been impacted by COVID-19, or experienced other medical or financial hardship, the ABFAS Extension Policy allows Board Qualified candidates who have extenuating circumstances to request additional time to pursue Board Certification.

You should make your extension request in your final year of Board Qualification eligibility and explain why you could not complete the certification exam requirements. If you have not yet passed Case Review, please make sure your PLS case logs are up to date to demonstrate your ability to submit for Case Review if the extension request is approved.

Questions? Email us at [info@abfas.org](mailto:info@abfas.org).

## Visit the ABFAS Booth at an Upcoming Event



We'll have staff on hand to answer questions about exams and certification requirements at these upcoming events:

- **Midwest Podiatry Conference**  
April 11–14 | Chicago, IL
- **Western Foot and Ankle Conference**  
June 20–23 | Anaheim, CA
- **APMA 2024 Annual Scientific Meeting (The National)**  
August 8–11 | Washington, DC