



AMERICAN BOARD
OF RADIOLOGY

**Medical Physics Candidate Policy Limiting the Time between
Passing the Part 1 Examination and Attaining Board Eligibility**

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Policy:

- A. Board eligibility begins once a candidate completes a CAMPEP-accredited residency program or is approved for Part 2, whichever occurs first. Effective January 1, 2023, a candidate who does not attain Board eligibility within 10 years after passing Part 1 will have their application cancelled unless they are a resident in good standing in a CAMPEP-accredited residency program.
- B. A candidate who fails to meet the requirements above and who wishes to continue the certification process must reapply for Part 1 under current ABR requirements and pay all applicable fees.
- C. The ABR will grant an extension in the case of exceptional circumstances, as determined by the ABR, that prevent a candidate from attaining Board eligibility (e.g., severe extended illness, military deployment, and similar issues). A candidate may apply for an extension in the last two years of the 10-year period.

This policy is subject to change and modifications at any time. All changes must be approved by the ABR Board of Governors.