

## **SUBJECT: EPPP - REQUESTS FOR SPECIAL ACCOMODATIONS**

### **PROCEDURE:**

- (1) Candidates requesting special accommodations on the basis of a documented disability or impairment must complete an attestation outlining the nature of the disability or impairment.
- (2) The attestation should indicate what accommodation would assist.
- (3) The Board, upon receipt of the official documentation, may approve, reject, or amend the accommodations, as deemed appropriate.

This policy is also used to guide accommodations for Oral Exams.

The most common requests for accommodations have been related to diagnosis for anxiety, ADHD, and chronic health conditions, etc. The accommodation granted is typically to extend the exam time 50 % (from 3 hours to 4.5 hours).

Other requests for accommodations have included:

Larger font, or orally presented questions for visually impaired.

Extra time and private space for breast feeding for new mothers.

Accommodations related to access to medical necessities related to diabetes, COPD or other chronic conditions.

Issues related to room conditions such as lighting, or other factors.