

BOUCHER INSTITUTE POLICY

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Related Procedures:

The purpose of this policy is to recognize of the importance of good business management to the successful practice of naturopathic medicine.

1.1 BINM integrates business skills and training into both the academic and clinical components of the program, including preceptorship and outreach activities.

1.2 Academic courses in business skills include all aspects of practice set-up and management.

1.3 Clinical rotations provide hands-on experience and mentoring in working clinical settings.

1.4 Preceptorship opportunities include various aspects of practice planning, set-up and management such as exposure to a wide variety and different styles of clinical settings, outreach and marketing opportunities, and public education activities.

1.5 The entire process of employment preparation will be continuously assessed and revised according to demonstrated needs and in response to developing opportunities in the field.