

## DME Academic Integrity Strategy for remote assessment delivery

Universities Australia<sup>1</sup> recommends Australian universities must “clearly define what they consider to be academic integrity, and ensure that they maintain a suite of academic integrity policies and practices that:

- focus on educative and preventive measures and activities;
- have clear terms and definitions that distinguish between types of policy breach;
- establish the level of penalties applicable to different types of breach; and
- have processes for investigating and assessing possible breaches that are clear, easy to follow and fair.”

The following outlines the strategy for enhancing Academic Integrity as part of remote assessment delivery in the MD.

### Structural

- Implementation of ExamID (identify verification process at the start of the exam) and ExamMonitor security systems. ExamMonitor effectively records video and audio files of students (via a multitude of photo and audio samples) during secure assessments.
- Assessment team will attempt ExamID photo verification through comparison with student photos stored on Student One. If ExamID unable to be verified through comparison with Student One, secondary verification through assessment team follow up with subject co-ordinator & or clinical school staff will be required.
- ExamMonitor files are uploaded with the completed exam and then reviewed for potential breaches of academic integrity through an initial Artificial Intelligence review and a subsequent professional (human) proctor review. Any potential breaches are then reviewed by the Assessment team.
- Any results released to students (eg progress test) prior to ExamMonitor file review should be considered provisional.

### Educational

- Academic Integrity & Remote Examination video focuses on how students best demonstrate Academic Integrity through their engagement with remote examinations  
<https://vimeo.com/412301163/7ee0829487>
- Academic Integrity quiz has been developed within the ExamSoft platform – educative focus promoted with items designed to test understanding and provide feedback on misconceptions. All students required to complete this quiz prior to further remote exams.
- Establishment of a feedback cycle where data on breaches is collected and used to update and inform our processes so as to continually improve their own integrity.

### Evaluation Team involvement

- Assessment Team will review data files from exam and where there is concern about Academic Integrity will ask Evaluation Team to provide information about whether this result is consistent with past performance.
- Prior achievement analysis will be considered in conjunction with ExamMonitor data and the steps outlined in the Academic Integrity Flowchart for Remote Exams will be followed.