2019-01-17: Professionalism in OSCEs: Opportunities & Challenges

The following links were shared during the chat:

- Reframing professionalism: The virtuous professional [https://www.mederoadcast.org/manuscripts/1497](https://www.mederoadcast.org/manuscripts/1497)
- Google Scholar search from 2015 to present [https://scholar.google.ca/scholar?start=20&q=professionalism+in+medicine&hl=en&as_sdt=0,5&as_ylo=2015](https://scholar.google.ca/scholar?start=20&q=professionalism+in+medicine&hl=en&as_sdt=0,5&as_ylo=2015)

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@MedEdChat Gary here in North Carolina #mededchat

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Topic 1: How do we define and model professional behaviors for our learners? #mededchat #meded

Gary Beck Dallaghan @GLBDallaghan
9 hours ago
@MedEdChat A1 #mededchat Defining professional behaviours can be a bit dicey. I keep wanting to ask the Millennial generation how they define it.

Dr. Sateesh Arja @ArjaSateesh
9 hours ago
@MedEdChat T1 Role modeling is one of the ways of developing professional behaviors in medical students. Not only the clinicians, even the biomedical educators can have huge impact on fostering professional behaviors #meded

Alliance4ClinEd @Alliance4ClinEd
9 hours ago
@MedEdChat A1 #mededchat If you review the definition of professionalism it suggests that you are conducting yourself in the manner reflecting the knowledge, skills, and attitudes of the profession.

Jennifer K. Chen, MD FAAP @DrJenChen4kids
9 hours ago
@MedEdChat A1: #Professionalism includes many things, but in the context of OSCEs, I’d say get on the patient’s level (both physically and in terms of #healthliteracy), keep a courteous tone when things get frustrating, and debrief if necessary after an encounter #mededchat

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9 hours ago
@ArjaSateesh @MedEdChat A1 #mededchat What if the role model is not a good example? There’s all the talk of the hidden curriculum that could undermine sound #meded on professional behaviour.

Derek Monette, MD @DerekMonetteMD
9 hours ago
@MedEdChat A1: it may be difficult to define professional behaviors... but easier to start with shared values. #mededchat

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@Alliance4ClinEd @MedEdChat A1 I still feel like professionalism is as easily defined as pornography.....you know it when you see it. #mededchat

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@DerekMonetteMD @MedEdChat T1 #mededchat What are some of the shared values you are thinking of?
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A1 #mededchat Someone emailed to suggest that we identify the difference between professionalism and professional identity formation. Are they similar? Different? Thoughts?

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@GLBDallaghan @MedEdChat Hi millennial here! I’d define professional behavior as demeanor becoming of the profession or status to which one aspires. There is not a one-size-fits all definition. #mededchat

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@GLBDallaghan @MedEdChat Role modeling is very important, especially as norms for professionalism evolve. For example, when I started in EM, social media was a big no-no. But now we have leaders like @choo_ek, @AliRaja_MD, and @TChanMD who use this tool in a professional and meaningful way. #mededchat

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@Alliance4ClinEd #professionalism is something that should carry across no matter what your “professional identity” is...there are both good and not-so-good doctors in any specialty, same as any other group (nurses, lawyers, etc) #mededchat

Michael Gisondi @MikeGisondi 8 hours ago

@MedEdChat T2: Absolutely not. Direct observation during clinical rotations are far more valuable and diagnostic. #mededchat #meded

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@MikeGisondi T1: This is a tougher question than it might appear. Professionalism is different than professional behaviors. Duty hrs, workplace dissatisfiers, & burnout r changing normative behaviors of physicians. We r in a time of great change in health professions. #mededchat

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A1 Louise Arnold published this piece years ago, but it still has relevance to this day regarding the challenges of assessing professionalism https://t.co/wXWqUqTNmG #mededchat

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RT @Kind4Kids: And isn’t professionalism also how you conduct yourself when no one is looking? #mededchat

Jennifer K. Chen, MD FAAP @DrJe 8 hours ago
@MedEdChat A2: No, because the learner knows they are being watched and it doesn’t accurately reflect the stressors in real life practice. That said OSCEs are a decent way to start evals in preclinical years, certainly better than answering multiple choice questions! #mededchat

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@Kind4Kids I think of that as integrity, which is a value of professionalism #mededchat

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@MedEdChat A2: OSCEs are great assessors of one dimension of professionalism - that which occurs in a patient-provider interaction. Or interprofessional interaction. But, I’d argue that reflection & self-assessment are integral in professionalism assessment. #MedEdChat

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@GLBDallaghan And something you @GLBDallaghan particularly exemplify! #MedEdChat

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Paul Haidet @myheroistrane 8 hours ago
I think you can get hints in an OSCE: what learners are like with an SP, how well they accept feedback, etc. You can also get hints on the wards, in the classroom, etc. Nothing is the complete package, but a picture emerges when u look across venues. #mededchat

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@myheroistrane A1 #mededchat That aspect of how they receive feedback I think is critical. I wonder what OSCE assessments would look like if we did just focus on some key attributes - communication, feedback

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Topic 3: What are the ongoing challenges of assessing #professional behaviors in #meded? #mededchat

Alliance4ClinEd @Alliance4ClinEd 8 hours ago
A3 #mededchat The greatest challenges of assessing professional behaviours is having time to observe #medstudents You can't assess it if you have not time to observe
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A3 #mededchat I think part of the challenge of assessing professionalism still gets back to having a shared understanding of what that word means.

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@GLBDallaghan And the meta stuff, like how well they receive feedback. #mededchat

Abhay Dandekar @abhaydandekar8 hours ago
@MedEdChat A3: how to better integrate patient perspectives into the shared definition of professionalism and #professional behaviors in the clinical learning environment #MedEd #MedEdChat

Michael Gisondi @MikeGisondi8 hours ago
@MedEdChat T3: Poorly designed assessment tools, insufficient rater training, inconsistent interpretation of anchors, gender & racial bias, independent vs interdependent assessments (see: work of @StefSebok), concern for retaliation, disagreement on definitions, changing values #mededchat

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We have about 5 more minutes left in our discussion. Please feel free to give some final thoughts #meded #mededchat

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#mededchat Final Thought: In order to evaluate #professional behaviour the eductor and learner must be on the same page before any assessment can commence

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That's a wrap...I will post the #mededchat transcript tomorrow morning on https://t.co/mJivoKroXx on the Resources page. Thanks everyone for participating! #meded

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Join us again next week at 9 pm Thursday. Don't forget to suggest topics by DM or email #meded #mededchat

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Dr. Samantha Lemus-Martinez @DrLemusMartinez 7 hours ago
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Family @FamilyMed 27 hours ago
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Emily Shaffer @DrMissWV 7 hours ago
@GLBDallaghan Good point! I think that there’s an argument to be made that by maintaining the ambiguity of “professionalism” as part of the hidden curriculum, we actually end up inadvertently exacerbating social and economic disparities among students from different backgrounds. #MedEdChat

Dani Firman @danifirman 3 hours ago
RT @Alliance4ClinEd: @MedEdChat A1 #mededchat Based on this article an OSCE may not be the best method... https://t.co/MEQNTmX3ex