2020-2021

## **NATIONAL BOARD FLEXIBLE OPTIONS**

CANDIDATE PURSUING BOARD CERTIFICATION

SUBMISSION, TESTING, AND

**REGISTRATION AND** 

OPTION

DESCRIPTION	PAYMENT DATES AND DEADLINES	SCORE RELEASE DATES AND DEADLINES	ADDITIONAL DETAILS
Complete components in 2020-21 Purchase, complete, and submit your 2020-21 components by the extended deadlines  Up to the deadline, you can make changes to your candidacy and 2020-21 components including:  • Adding components,  • Switching components, and  • Withdrawing components purchased in 2020-21	Available Now Purchase new components or withdraw components newly purchased in 2020-21  May 21, 2021 Extended registration and payment deadline for 2020-21	Now-August 15, 2021 Extended Component 1 testing window  May 24-June 25, 2021 Extended ePortfolio submission window for Components 2, 3 and 4  On or before December 31, 2021 Score Release for 2020-21	Supports 2020-21 candidacy supports are available:  • Deep Dive Component Webinars • COVID-19 tips and guidance • A free online Canvas Course • Additional resources
OR			
Defer components to 2021-22 and receive credit on your account  Defer components to 2021-22  Components you purchased by the April 30, 2021 deadline Components you previously deferred from 2019-20	These additional deferral options are available to you if needed. The request form can be found here.  • Component(s) purchased in 2020-21 can be deferred to 2021-22  • Component(s) deferred from 2019-20 can be deferred to 2021-22  May 21, 2021  Extended registration and payment deadline for 2020-21. Components must be purchased by this deadline to be deferred to 2021-22.  Credit for 2021-22  If you defer components to 2021-22, those components will be withdrawn from 2020-21 and you will receive credit on your account that covers the registration fee and component fee(s) that you will use during registration for 2021-22  June 1, 2021 (pending) 2021-22 registration opens	Spring 2022. Dates will be released closer to June, 2021	Candidacy Timeline If you defer component(s) to 2021 -22, you will have an extension on 3- and 5-year component and candidacy windows. This extension is in addition to any extension already applied to your candidacy from components deferred from 2019-20 to 2020-21.