Items Not Requiring Prior Approval

Examinees taking the AAMC PREview™ professional readiness exam are permitted to have certain items within their testing room without the need for prior approval.

⚠️ These items are subject to visual inspection by the testing proctor – you must be able to display these items to the remote proctor upon request using your webcam.

⚠️ This list applies only to the AAMC PREview exam. While it is very similar to the list provided for the MCAT exam, there are some differences in the lists due to the differences in testing conditions. If you require use of an item during the AAMC Preview exam that you do not find on this list, you must apply for accommodations and provide the required supporting documentation.

Medication

• Auto-injectors such as EpiPen, Insulin Pen, or Glucagon pen
• Cough drops (must be unwrapped and not in a bottle or container)
• Nasal drops/spray
• Pills (must be unwrapped and not in a bottle or container)*

*We understand that certain medications may not be exposed to light or air. Candidates may have pills that are still in the packaging if the medication states that it MUST remain in the packaging until use., e.g., nitro glycerin pills that cannot be exposed to air.

Physical Supports

• Bandages
• Braces/Casts, including slings for broken or sprained arms and other injury-related items that cannot be removed
• Eye patches
• Eyeglasses (without a case), including tinted lenses and Fresnel prisms
• Handheld (non-electronic) magnifying glass (without a case)
• Hearing aids
• Pillow/Cushion
• Foot stool
Items Not Requiring Prior Approval (continued)

**Medical Devices**

Medical devices must:

- Be attached to your body
- Be inaudible
- Not include a remote control

Examples of medical devices not requiring prior approval include:

- Insulin pump
- Spinal cord stimulator
- Oxygen tank

**Mobility Devices**

- Canes/Crutches/Walkers
- Motorized scooters/chairs
- Wheelchairs

**Other Items Not Requiring Prior Approval**

- Facial tissues
- Medical alert bracelets
- Headwear for medical or religious reasons