

### **AimEarlyIdaho Endorsement® Exam Scores, Feedback, Retakes, and Decision Reviews**

Applicants must receive passing scores on both Part One and Part Two of the exam to earn Aim Early Idaho Endorsement®. A passing score on Part One (the multiple choice section) of the exam is 80%. In order to carefully protect the exam materials, applicants will not receive specific feedback related to the questions missed on Part One. Applicants who do not receive a passing score on Part Two of the exam (response to vignettes/scenarios) will be provided with feedback based on the exam reviewers' remarks.

Regardless of outcome, all who take the exam will be provided with feedback based on the exam reviewers' remarks, and may also receive feedback based on the application reviewers' remarks. The feedback is offered in the spirit of promoting professional development and can help guide selection of specialized in-service training opportunities and continuing reflective supervision or consultation experiences.

#### **Retakes**

Applicants must submit a written request to retake the exam **at least eight weeks before the examination date**. The request must be sent to [the Aim Early Idaho Endorsement Coordinator](#). Whether retaking Part One, Part Two, or both, applicants **must wait at least one year before retaking the exam**. There is no charge to retake either part of the exam the second time. However, if any applicant does not successfully pass the exam after two attempts, the applicant must: wait at least one year before taking the exam again, update their [EASy](#) application with three new reference ratings, new training/employment/supervision experiences and submit their application for another review. If the applicant is approved to sit for the exam again, the applicant must pay the retake fee of \$100.

#### **Review of an Exam Decision**

A minimum of two trained exam reviewers must agree on whether or not an exam response (qualitative section) passes or not. There is no appeal process if the applicant does not agree with this decision. As stated in the Endorsement® Agreement, signed by every endorsement applicant: "The decision of Aim Early Idaho concerning whether or not endorsement will be granted is final and binding."

Applicants are invited to consider the feedback offered by exam reviewers and sit for the exam again in one year's time (see policy above, "Retakes")