Appendix A

Orthopaedic Publication Search Strategy:

PubMed was utilized and filtered for the years 2016-2021. A total of 16 keywords were entered in the PubMed search query. The keywords consisted of variations with the following words grouped into multiple categories: (medical student, intern, resident, fellow) AND (training, education, professionalism, development, match, selection, teaching, medical education) AND (orthopedics, orthopedic surgery, orthopaedic, orthopaedic surgery) to identify orthopaedic education publications over the six years.

Inclusion criteria:

- Relevant to the subject of education within the field of orthopaedics.
- Publications in the English language.
- Specific to training in North America.
- Publication in the years 2016 to 2021.

Exclusion criteria:

- Irrelevant to orthopaedic surgery education.
- Scholarly work in combination with other specialty education (e.g., general surgery, plastic surgery).