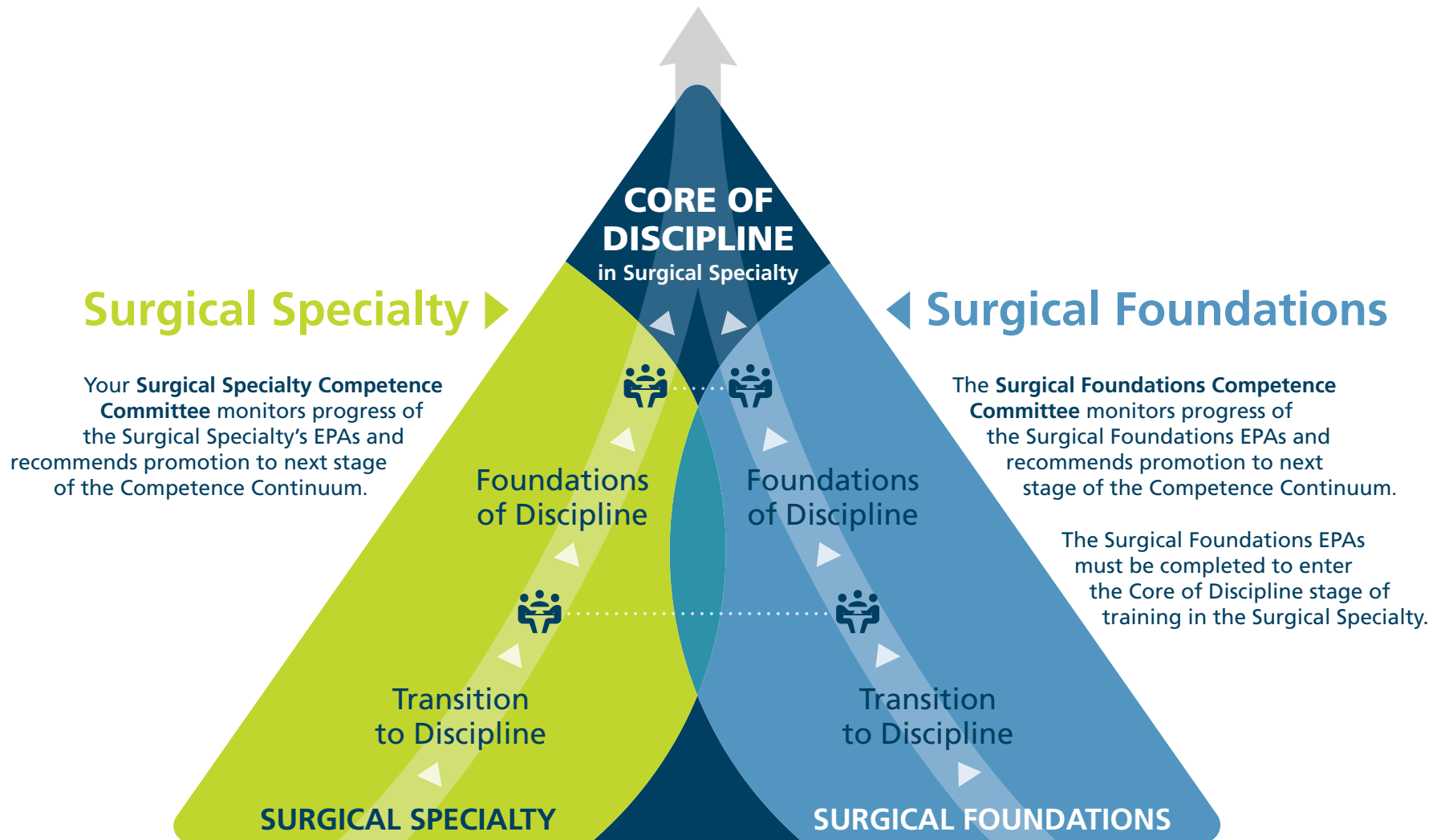


Surgical Foundations in CBD



Residents complete the Surgical Specialty and Surgical Foundations training simultaneously.



A resident may be eligible to write the Surgical Foundations exam 12-15 months into residency; eligibility for the exam does not require that the Surgical Foundations EPAs are complete.

The Surgical Foundations exam does not have to be successfully passed to enter the Core of Discipline stage of training, but must be passed in order to be eligible for the Surgical Specialty examination.