Hello members of the Class of 2024,

Congratulations on completing your CBSE NBME exam. Your performance on the CBSE will help to determine areas to focus your USMLE Step 1 study.

We wanted to inform you that The Office of Medical Education has set aside space for you during your Foundations Capstone Course (Step 1 Study Period) to ensure if/when usual study spaces are crowded, you still have reserved quiet space, with reliable internet, to prepare for your USMLE Step 1 examination. We reserve all MedEdCenter Third Floor small group rooms, or the equivalent (if/when a MedEd small group room is needed for curriculum, another room in Larner will be secured). You can reference room calendars to verify if/when space is reserved for Step 1 Group Study.

In addition to these reserved MedEdCenter spaces, you may also consider the following options if/when seeking space to prepare for Step 1, which are available to you as UVM students:
- Larner Study Spaces (unless reserved via OME, rooms cannot be reserved for study space; however, students can explore if rooms are available by pulling up their calendars in outlook and then setting up in the space if/when the space is not pre-reserved by another program/department)
- Dana Medical Library Study Spaces
- UVM Howe Library Study Spaces (has online booking!)

If you have any questions, please feel to reach out to the Larner Medical Student Services Team.

All our best,
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