## Guidelines

## 2019 Basic Blue

## Grand Lodge of Oklahoma

- 1. Lodges must complete Programs in sequence; i.e., must complete 1<sup>st</sup> year program requirements to be eligible to participate in 2<sup>nd</sup> year program, and complete the 2<sup>nd</sup> year program requirements to be eligible to participate in 3<sup>rd</sup> year program.
- 2. A Lodge may complete the requirements for more than one program in the same year, but must complete each proficiency examination in a separate communication.
- 3. All Basic Blue certifications must be received by the Grand Secretary's office no later than October 15, 2019.
  - 4. The Basic Blue Program will terminate as per item 3 above.
- 5. For the <u>Lodge</u> to be certified as Proficient, all elected and appointed officers necessary to complete a given program's requirements must be present and performing their respective duties.
- 6. Individual officers performing their respective duties for a program can be declared proficient in his respective station or place. Per Item 2 above, a Brother "sit in" at a stations/place for a Lodge's Basic Blue proficiency examination, and may be declared proficient as an individual, but the Lodge <u>will</u> <u>not be eligible</u> for certification as a Lodge.
  - 7. Open on the Entered Apprentice Degree
  - 8. Receive the District Deputy Grand Master
  - 9. Go to Refreshment
  - 10. Return to Labor and Senior Warden must purge using the Deacons.
  - 11. Close on a Stated Meeting.

Fraternally,

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