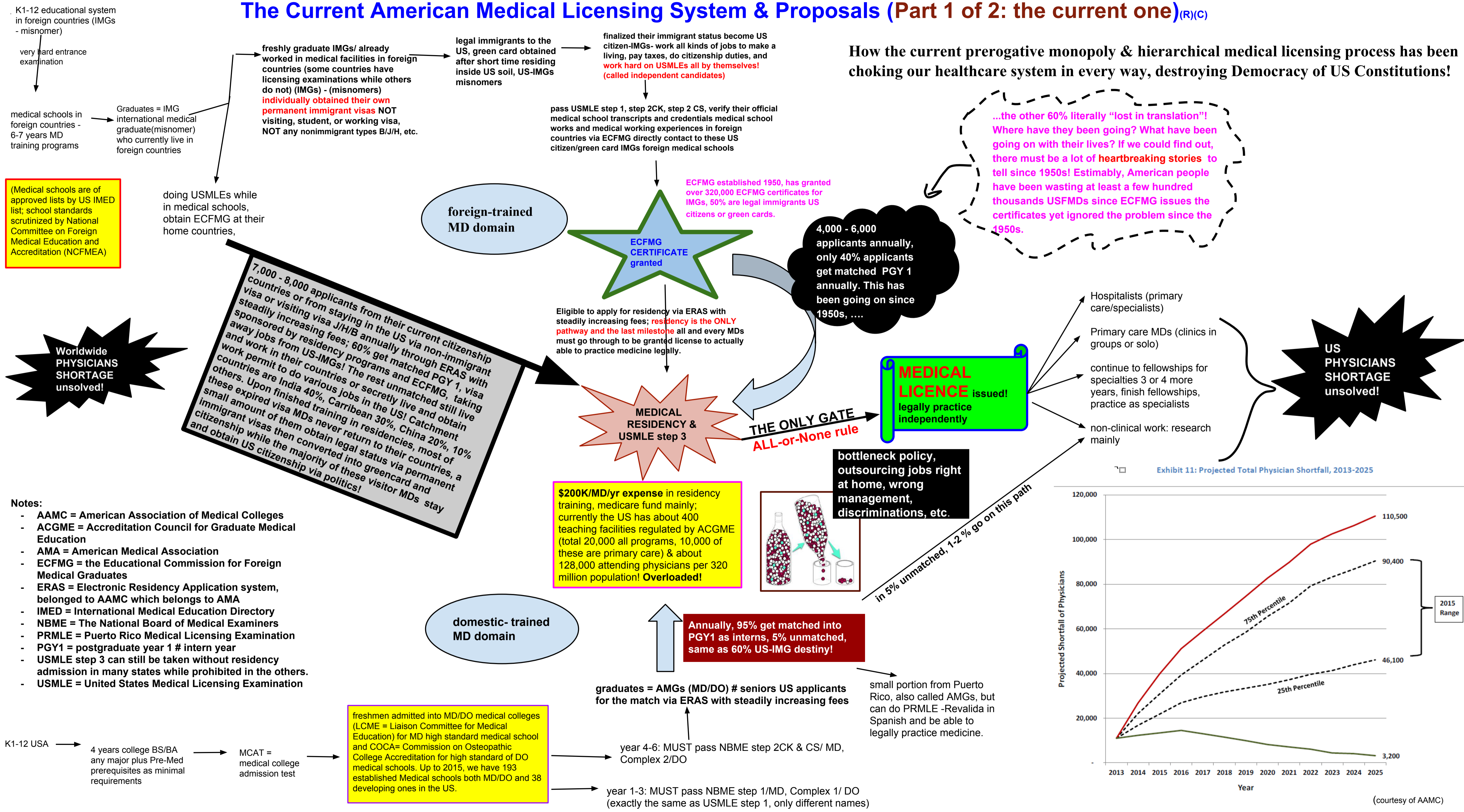


# The Current American Medical Licensing System & Proposals (Part 1 of 2: the current one)<sup>(R)(C)</sup>

**How the current prerogative monopoly & hierarchical medical licensing process has been choking our healthcare system in every way, destroying Democracy of US Constitutions!**



(Medical schools are of approved lists by US IMED list; school standards scrutinized by National Committee on Foreign Medical Education and Accreditation (NCFMEA))

**Worldwide PHYSICIANS SHORTAGE unsolved!**

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- Notes:**
- AAMC = American Association of Medical Colleges
  - ACGME = Accreditation Council for Graduate Medical Education
  - AMA = American Medical Association
  - ECFMG = the Educational Commission for Foreign Medical Graduates
  - ERAS = Electronic Residency Application system, belonged to AAMC which belongs to AMA
  - IMED = International Medical Education Directory
  - NBME = The National Board of Medical Examiners
  - PRMLE = Puerto Rico Medical Licensing Examination
  - PGY1 = postgraduate year 1 # intern year
  - USMLE step 3 can still be taken without residency admission in many states while prohibited in the others.
  - USMLE = United States Medical Licensing Examination

