

RESIDENT JOB DESCRIPTION – (WCGME)

POSITION SUMMARY:

The position of house staff physician involves a combination of supervised, progressively more complex and independent patient evaluation and management functions, formal educational and research activities. Provision of care provided by the house staff physician is commensurate with the physician's level of advancement and competence, under the general supervision of appropriately privileged attending teaching staff.

POSITION DUTIES:

The house staff physician:

- Participates in safe, effective and compassionate patient care;
- Demonstrates an understanding of ethical, socioeconomic and medical/legal issues that affect graduate medical education;
- Applies cost containment measures in the provision of patient care;
- Participates in the educational activities of the training program, and, as appropriate, assumes responsibility for teaching and supervising other residents and students;
- Participates in research activities as required by Program;
- Participates in institutional committees and councils as assigned;
- Maintains certification (ACLS, PALS, ATLS, etc.) as required by Program;
- Maintains current state licensure as required by WCGME;
- Performs duties in accordance with the established practices, procedures, and policies of residency programs, WCGME and participating institutions.

QUALIFICATIONS:

The house staff physician meets the qualifications for resident eligibility outlined in the Essentials of Accredited Residencies in Graduate Medical Education in the *AMA Graduate Medical Education Directory*.