

Policy Title: Educational Resources



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PURPOSE

The ACGME requires institutions to provide necessary educational resources to assure cooperation across all programs interdisciplinary teams. UT Southwestern is committed to providing organized educational programs with guidance and supervision of the residents and fellows, facilitating the resident's professional and personal development while ensuring safe and appropriate care for patients.

PROCEDURE

As a sponsoring institution, UT Southwestern provides appropriate administrative organization and support for the conduct of Graduate Medical Education in a scholarly environment and is committed to excellence in both education and patient care. The institution will provide each program the leadership, infrastructure, and resources to enable all residency and fellowship programs to achieve full compliance with the Institutional Requirements and the Program Requirements set by the ACGME. This includes any necessary provisions needed to maintain the program infrastructure including personnel, equipment, facilities and resources necessary to support an appropriate learning environment for its residents and fellows.

All programs will be monitored for compliance in providing the ethical, professional and educational environment and curricular requirements to ensure the requirements for scholarly activity and the ACGME competencies are accomplished. Programs must perform annual reviews of program effectiveness. The Designated Institutional Official (DIO) and the GME Committee (GMEC) will monitor educational resources committed to training programs through the GME office review of programs Annual Review meeting minutes or reports, the Internal Review process, and the Annual Survey of Residents' Educational and Clinical Experiences.