

## Administrative Leave, Suspension, and Revocation of Medical License Policy

The DIO and the Program Director (or designee) have the discretion and authority to place a Trainee on administrative leave from the Training Program or summarily impose limitations on Training Program participation.

Administrative leave is effective immediately upon notification to the affected Trainee, whether verbal or written. Once placed on administrative leave, the Program Director will inform the Trainee in writing of the parameters of the leave. The administrative leave will remain in effect until lifted at the discretion of the DIO or Program Director.

The status of administrative leave only affects the Trainee's ability to participate in the Training Program and is unrelated to pay or benefits through B–UMG.

## **Suspension**

Trainees may be immediately suspended from their Training Program if a Trainee is unable to meet program requirements or is otherwise deemed ineligible to participate in the program, including, but not limited to: (a) loss or disruption of eligibility to work in the United States; (b) loss of fingerprint clearance; (c) suspension of medical license; (d) suspension by B–UMG in the best interest of patient care; (e) suspension or exclusion from any clinical facility; or (f) inability to meet the essential qualifications of the Trainee position. Suspension is automatic with no opportunity to utilize any of the procedural or appeal rights set forth in the Housestaff manual.

Suspension from program participation automatically results in suspension without pay from B–UMG.

The suspension will remain in effect for no more than three months to allow the Trainee to regain eligibility. The Program Director may, at their discretion and in consultation with GME, extend this period of time for good cause shown. Extensions must be documented in writing with a specific end date, not to exceed an additional three months.

If, at the end of three months or the granted extension, the Trainee is unable to regain eligibility, the Trainee will be dismissed from the Training Program and will not be entitled to any of the procedural or appeal rights set forth in this manual.

## **Revocation of Medical License**

Action by ABM/OBEX revoking a Trainee's license/permit to practice medicine will result in the Trainee's automatic dismissal from the Training Program without any of the procedural or appeal rights set forth in the housestaff manual.

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