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2022 Accreditation Council for
Graduate Medical Education (ACGME)

Graduate Medical Education: Moonlighting

I. Purpose

The purpose of this policy sets forth the expectation that the Department of Graduate Medical Education (GME) maintain a policy regarding professional activities outside the educational program per Accreditation Council for Graduate Medical Education (ACGME) Institutional and Program requirements.

II. Scope

This policy applies to all **active fellows** currently enrolled and appointed to Ochsner Lafayette General Medical Center (OLGMC) sponsored, accredited fellowship programs.

III. Definitions

- **Department of Graduate Medical Education (GME):** Responsible for the administration of all OLGMC sponsored residency and fellowship training programs
- **Fellow:** Any trainee in an OLGMC sponsored fellowship training program
- **Resident:** Any trainee in an OLGMC sponsored residency training program
- **Moonlighting:** Compensated for and functioning as a licensed independent physician providing care within the scope for which Fellow is currently board certified or board eligible
- **Ochsner Lafayette General Medical Center (OLGMC)**
- **Designated Institutional Official (DIO):** Responsible for oversight of OLGMC Graduate Medical Education programs
- **Graduate Medical Education Committee (GMEC):** Committee responsible for policy and oversight of Graduate Medical Education sponsored by OLGMC, chaired by the DIO
- **Accreditation Council for Graduate Medical Education (ACGME)**
- **Graduate Educational Temporary Permit (GETP):** Can be issued by the Louisiana State Board of Medical Examiners to an international medical graduate for the purpose of participation in an accredited training program
- **New Innovations:** OLGMC's GME residency management system

IV. Policy Statement:

- a. Residents in an Ochsner-accredited core training program are not eligible for moonlighting privileges.



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