

RESIDENT REQUEST FOR APPROVAL FOR EXTRA SERVICE PAY ACTIVITIES INSIDE THE TRAINING PROGRAM (“Non-required elective opportunities”) 2021-2022

RESIDENT NAME (Print name): _____

PROGRAM: _____ PGY: _____

The Internal Medicine Training Program allows its residents to earn extra money through patient care activities affiliated with the program. By submitting this form, you are seeking permission to earn extra service pay as described below. These activities are purely voluntary; you are NOT OBLIGED to participate. Although not required, these activities are under the jurisdiction of your training program and all residency program rules regarding attending physician consultation and supervision apply to these activities. All provisions of your housestaff contract also apply to these activities. Please pay close attention to the eligibility criteria outlined below.

Description of Extra Service Pay activities: Current IMR approved extra service pay opportunities include working in the MICU, hematology/oncology shifts and hospital medicine shifts.

Compensation: The MICU paid night floater will be compensated \$1500 per night. Hematology/oncology and hospital medicine shifts are generally \$100/hour. You will be covered by the University of Chicago’s professional liability self-insurance program (malpractice coverage) for these activities.

Eligibility:

- 1) A resident is eligible to participate in extra service pay during the following rotations provided there are no other program responsibilities: ambulatory, consult services, elective or vacation (highly discouraged).
- 2) Since January 2018, extra service pay eligibility has also been linked to conference attendance. Residents will be expected to attend 50% of morning report conferences and 75% of ambulatory conferences in order to be eligible to participate in extra service pay opportunities. Obviously, extenuating circumstances (family events, emergencies, etc.) will occur, and we will make exceptions as needed. Eligibility will be evaluated every 6 months. For those who are deemed not eligible to participate in extra service pay opportunities, an appeal can be made after three months.
- 3) You must consistently log duty hours (defined as > 90% of the 2-week blocks for the current academic year) to be eligible for extra service pay. You also MUST log your duty hours for all extra pay service shifts in MedHub, in addition to logging your residency duty hours.
- 4) You are NOT eligible to participate in extra service pay shifts during the following rotations: inpatient rotations (General Medicine, Cardiology, CCU, Oncology, MICU, Hospitalist) and Emergency Medicine.
- 5) You are NOT eligible to participate in extra service pay shifts while you are on jeopardy or have continuity clinic the afternoon following a nightshift.
- 6) You cannot miss consult service time or ambulatory lecture for extra service pay shifts.
- 7) Your participation in extra service pay shifts must abide by the ACGME duty hour regulations: weekly work hours less than 80 hours averaged over 2 weeks, consecutive work hours no more than 24 hours, one 24 hour period off in 7 averaged over 4 weeks.
- 8) You are NOT eligible to participate in extra service pay shifts if you are not currently certified in ACLS training. You must furnish verification of current certification to the Internal Medicine Residency Program. By signing this request, you agree to abide by the above regulations.

RESIDENT SIGNATURE: _____ DATE: _____

APPROVED (Program Director): _____ DATE: _____