

GRADUATE STUDENT TO POST DOC TRANSFER PROCESS SUMMARY

When a Graduate Student moves into a Post Doc position, it is considered a transfer from a nonbenefitted position to a benefitted position for payroll and hiring purposes. To achieve this transition, the following needs to occur:

STEP	ACTION	RESPONSIBLE PARTY
1	Inform HR that a Grad Student will transition to Post Doc status	Hiring Dept
	(include salary information, candidate's resume, visa status and	
	start date prior to the transition occurring).	
2	Confirm completion of PhD degree requirements with GSBS.	Hiring Dept/HR
3	If Grad Student is not already in the applicant tracking system,	HR
	send a link to the career site for completing their profile.	
	Complete HireRight background screen request.	
4	Create requisition (non-published) in iCIMS.	HR
5	Send iCIMS Post Doc Offer Letter to Graduate Student and	HR
	determine availability for the pre-employment process (health	
	screen & immunization records, visa / I-9 paperwork and	
	benefits orientation). Copy Hiring Dept & Immigration Services.	
6	Schedule Health Screen appointment for Grad Student at	HR
	Employee Health, 210 Lincoln St., Worcester, MA (required).	
7	Inform student that immunization records from Student Health	HR
	must be provided to Employee Health. (Student may bring	
	records or have Student Health fax records to Employee Health	
	at 508-793-6410.)	
8	Schedule Immigration Services appointment, if applicable.	HR
	Immigration Services appointment must be made within three	
	days of Post Doc start date for I-9 compliance.	
9	Send final email to candidate with appointment confirmations	HR
	(cc: Hiring Dept.), and hire Grad Student into requisition.	
10	Create PA (non-benefits to benefits Action code)	HR
	and forward with Work Schedule to Hiring Dept.	
11	Return signed PA & Work Schedule to PAC.	Hiring Dept