UMASS CHAN MEDICAL SCHOOL RESIDENCY AND FELLOWSHIP APPLICANT INFORMATION CHECKLIST August 2022

The following information is available on the www.umassmed.edu/gme website. Please review, check off each document and sign below to indicate that you have received the information. Let us know if you prefer hard copies. Be sure to keep a copy of the Applicant Information Checklist for your records.

UMASS CHAN MEDICAL SCHOOL REQUIREMENTS FOR APPOINTMENT

A list of eligibility requirements is provided on the UMass Chan Graduate Medical Education website. All applicants to ACGME accredited programs must meet ACGME Common Program Requirements for eligibility

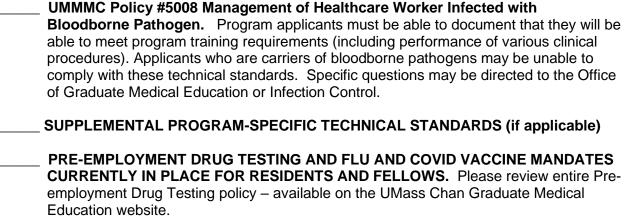
Key points are provided below:

- Graduates of medical schools approved by the Liaison Committee for Medical Education (LCME) or the American Osteopathic Association (AOA) may be eligible for appointment to the UMass Chan Medical School Residency and Fellowship programs although some specialties may have additional prerequisites.
- Foreign medical graduates must be certified by the ECFMG and have appropriate visa and work permits. <u>UMass Chan accepts J1 visas sponsored by the ECFMG and will assist</u> with H1B transfers ONLY for residents currently enrolled in another clinical training <u>program on an H1B visa</u>. <u>F1-OPT is also accepted for Residency Programs</u>. <u>H1B's</u> <u>may be considered for US medial graduates in F1 status who have completed their</u> year of F1-OPT.
 - We do not routinely provide H1B transfers for people in Research Positions.
- All residents and fellows must be eligible for Massachusetts licensure and MUST
 OBTAIN a license prior to the start of training. (Some programs may require Full rather
 than Limited licensure). Delay in license approval means delay in residency hire date
 and benefits. Requirements for Full or Limited licensure for US and international
 medical graduates are listed on the Board of Registration Web Site at:
 http://www.mass.gov/eohhs/gov/departments/borim/physicians/licensing/
 Navigate to information for Physicians Frequently Asked Questions.

All applicants are required to pass USMLE Step 1 and Step 2 CK (DO applicants must pass two levels of COMLEX) to be eligible for licensure. All PGY3s and above must pass USMLE or COMLEX Step 3 for appointment.

 SUPPLEMENTAL PROGRAM SPECIFIC APPOINTMENT REQUIREMENTS (if applicable)
 TECHNICAL STANDARDS FOR GRADUATE MEDICAL EDUCATION (available on the UMass Chan Graduate Medical Education website)
 RESIDENTS AND FELLOWS WITH BLOODBORNE PATHOGEN INFECTION POLICY. Please review entire policy – available on the UMass Chan Graduate Medical Education website. Prior to beginning residency, all applicants are required to undergo HBV immunization as a condition of employment unless they are a) already known to be seropositive (HBV surface antigen or antibody positive) or b) can provide proof of prior effective immunization with adequate HBV surface antibody titers.

- If a resident has undergone immunization and remains seronegative, the resident will be required to receive a single booster dose of HBV vaccine and will be retested no sooner than six weeks after immunization.
- If the resident is still HBV surface antibody negative, then testing for HBV surface antigen will be performed.
- If a resident is HBV surface antigen positive, additional follow-up testing will be performed according to UMass Memorial Health Employee Health Service protocols, and the resident will be referred to the BPAC to determine if accommodations are reasonable and appropriate.
- If the resident is found to be HBV surface Ag negative, they will be cleared by UMass Memorial Health Employee Health.
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ADDITIONAL GME INFORMATION:

 GRADUATE MEDICAL EDUCATION PERSONNEL POLICIES. Full document is available on the UMass Chan Graduate Medical Education website
 BENEFITS AND STIPEND INFORMATION. Information is available on the UMass Chan Graduate Medical Education website.
 UMASS CHAN MEDICAL SCHOOL GRADUATE MEDICAL EDUCATION APPOINTMENT AGREEMENT (sample copy provided).

Please note that all applicants must authorize and successfully complete the Medical Center resident physician credentialing process. This process requires complete answers to all questions on the Massachusetts Board of Registration in Medicine application for all limited and full licensure applicants, as well as criminal background checks, and whatever additional documentation the credentials committee sees fit. Receipt of a license by the Mass BORM does not guarantee approval by the Office of Graduate Medical Education credentialing committee. Questions about the credentialing process should be directed to the GME.

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The UMass Worcester Department of Public Safety prepares an Annual Security Report to comply with the Jeanne Clery Disclosure of Campus Security Policy and Crimes Statistics Act. This report can be accessed here Crime Awareness & Campus Security Report .				
Areas addressed in this report include:				
For additional information about the Clery Act, please visit the Clery Center website at https://clerycenter.org/ .				
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