

Fitness for Duty

Policy Statement

A student may be required to undergo a fitness for duty evaluation at the discretion of the School of Medicine. The evaluator of the student's fitness for duty will be designated by and paid for by the School and will have no direct role in the student's education, assessment, or progression.

Findings of the fitness for duty evaluation may result in consequences including but not limited to a mandatory leave of absence, probation, special placement, and dismissal from school. Failure to comply with the fitness for duty process will result in a recommendation for dismissal from the School of Medicine.

Until a decision is made regarding the outcome of the fitness for duty, the student may be prohibited from participating in all class and clinical work.

Related Policies/Procedures

Advancement, Graduation, and Dismissal

Technical Standards: Essential Requirements for Admission

History

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