


Title: Graduate Medical Education - Resident Reporting of Arrest - Policy

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I. Policy Statement

- a. The purpose of this policy is to set forth the procedure residents must follow in the event he or she is arrested.
- b. This policy is important because it is essential that the Office of Graduate Medical Education (GME) and the program director be aware of the incident and the circumstances which caused the incident. This is for patient safety and to safeguard the accreditation of the institution and the program.

II. Definitions

- a. Not Applicable.

III. Process/Content

- a. In the event a resident is arrested, for any reason, he/she shall report the arrest to their program director or the Designated Institution Official (DIO) as soon as reasonably possible, but no later than five (5) days after the arrest.
- b. Failure to report the incident in a timely manner may result in disciplinary action including, but not limited to, termination of employment.

IV. Attachments

- a. Not Applicable.

V. References, Regulatory References, Related Documents, or Links

- a. Not Applicable.