

Responsible University Official:

Associate Dean of Admissions

Responsible Office: Office of Admissions **Most Recent Revision:** March 28, 2023

POLICY ON ASSIGNMENT TO A CLINICAL YEARS REGIONAL MEDICAL CAMPUS

Policy Statement

Students are placed at a clinical years Regional Medical Campus (RMC) based on their expressed interest in attending the RMC. Existing students may choose the RMC in the second year of medical school. If student interest exceeds the number of available RMC positions, a lottery of interested students will take place.

New students shall indicate preference for the main campus or the RMC upon application to GW SMHS. They will be offered a position as a main campus or an RMC campus student prior to matriculation and are expected to complete medical school based upon the campus to which they were initially accepted and assigned.

After matriculation, students may petition the School to move from one campus to another if they have a compelling reason. Petitions to change campus will be evaluated and approved by a committee consisting of the main campus Senior Associate Dean for MD Programs, a main campus Student Affairs Dean, the main campus Associate Dean for Clinical Education, the Associate Dean of Admissions, the RMC Dean and a Student Affairs Dean from the RMC. All reassignments of campus are subject to the availability of positions at either campus.

Reason for Policy/Purpose

To allow students to petition for an alternative campus due to a substantive personal hardship with the original site assignment.

Who Needs to Know This Policy

All students, faculty, and staff of the GW School of Medicine and Health Sciences

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Who Approved This Policy

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