



House Staff desires to Externally Moonlight.

House Staff completes the **Moonlighting Approval Form** then submits to their Program Director.

Program Director approves house staff officer for External Moonlighting opportunity and signs the **Moonlighting Approval Form** 

House Staff or Program submits <u>PD-signed</u> **Moonlighting Approval Form** to GME for review and approval.

GME Finance/DIO reviews and approves moonlighting opportunity and communicates to all parties.

GME Finance uploads approval documents to MedHub and turns on Moonlighting for the House Staff Officer. If indicated, GME produces a Certificate of Insurance for the House Staff Officer.

Program Director monitors impact of this activity on training (including compliance with duty hours).

May withdraw permission, if indicated.

KEY
Resident = Blue
Program (PC/PD) = Green
GME/GMEC = Yellow
Other = Purple

## **Moonlighting FAQ**

- Q. What is the difference between Internal and External moonlighting?
- A. Internal occurs within the Institution (i.e. UK/Good Samaritan) and External occurs at another institution (i.e. Baptist Health, VA).
- Q. How does my program get a new internal moonlighting offering approved for house staff participation?
- A. In MedHub PC/PD Resources/Moonlighting Policy and Documents, complete the Moonlighting Request form template and Overload form, and collect Letters of Support from applicable Program Directors. All documents are submitted to GME office for review and approval. Current moonlighting policy can be found at this address: http://gme.med.uky.edu/sites/default/files/FinalMoonlightingPolicy2014.pdf
- Q. What forms do house staff complete to get permission to participate in internal moonlighting?
- A. In MedHub Announcements, select a Moonlighting Opportunity and complete the attached Request form, Approval form, and Overload.
- Q. Do I have to log duty hours when I do internal or external moonlighting?
- A. Yes
- Q. How do I get paid when I internally moonlight?
- A. The Requesting Department offering the internal moonlighting opportunity processes the Overload form, house staff receive payment on their monthly paycheck.
- Q. How do I get a certificate of Insurance needed to externally moonlight?
- A. Indicate that you need one on the Approval form, you will receive the COI in your confirmation email.
- Q. Who covers my malpractice insurance when I am internally or externally moonlighting?
- A. Internal moonlighting is covered by UK malpractice insurance. House staff are responsible for obtaining malpractice insurance for external moonlighting.
- Q. Can I moonlight if I am not in good academic standing with my program?
- A. No
- Q. Can I internally or externally moonlight if I am training under a Visa status?
- A. J1 and HB1 visa status are not permitted to moonlight.
- Q. Can I moonlight when I am on call?
- A. No. Moonlighting, either internal or external can only be done during times when you have no program required activities.
- Q. Am I allowed to internally moonlight during any rotation?
- A. You are not allowed to participate in an internal moonlighting activity that takes place on the same service or unit in which you are currently rotating as part of your training program.

  Additional restrictions may be applied by individual programs.
- Q. What type of license do I need to moonlight?
- A. Medical Residents must have a Resident Training or Full / Regular License to participate in moonlighting.