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Article _____: EDUCATIONAL FUND AND SCHOLARLY PURSUIT

Discretionary Endeavors

Beginning July 1, 2020, the University shall reimburse Residents for authorized expenses in recognition of educational objectives incurred for events or equipment that are not required but may further the Resident's professional development.

Eligibility for each academic year:

- 1. Interns are eligible for \$500/year.
- 2. Residents, and Fellows are eligible for reimbursement for up to \$1,000/year.

3) Funds that are not used can be rolled over for use only in the following year.

- 4. Activities include but are not limited to:
 - Annual education conference(s) including registration, travel, lodging, food
 - Textbooks, journals
 - Exam review materials/courses
 - Board fees
 - Medical equipment
 - Professional association membership/fees
 - Computer equipment/software only purchased through the UCLA Health Sciences store via departmental purchase order in compliance with UCLA's procurement requirements.

Required Events

For scholarly activities on behalf of UCLA, including a presentation at a conference, i.e., abstract/publication or poster as first author,

1) The Resident shall request approval from the program director to submit an abstract or article to a professional association or journal or other organization;

2) If approval is granted by the program director, The Resident shall request approval from the Resident's program director to attend the conference, at least three months prior to the conference;

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3)The Resident shall submit proposed expenses for travel, materials, registration fees, lodging and food for the day before, day of and day after the presentation, subject to the University's travel guidelines at least SIXTY DAYS prior to the conference. The Resident will be notified of approval or denial within 30 days of the conference.

4) Following the conference, the Resident shall submit receipts in accordance with the UCLA Travel Regulations.