

Applicant Name: _____

**Louisiana Medical Center & Heart Hospital
Medicine Department
Critical Care Privileges**

Core Privilege Request Form

Practitioners applying for these privileges are qualified to perform procedures (including related admission, consultation, work-up, pre- and post-operative care, histories and physicals) to correct or treat various conditions, illnesses and injuries appropriate to the privileges.

Having reviewed the requirements for each set of privileges in the following pages, I would request the following privileges:

The following privileges are for administering care to Critical Care patients and require additional documentation of training and experience.

OR

Applicants must meet the criteria of one of the following specialties:
Emergency Medicine, Pulmonary Medicine, or Cardiac Electrophysiology

Privilege	Procedures	Requested	Not Requested
PRIVILEGES			
Patient Care in the critical care units			
Critical Care unit with consultation			
Pulmonary Artery Catherization			
Temporary Pacemaker Placement			
Emergency Tracheostomy/Criothyrotomy			
Management of Patient on Ventilator			
Peritoneal Dialysis Catheter placement			
Placement of arterial, central venous, pulmonary artery balloon flotation catheters			
Chest Tube insertion			
Endotracheal intubation			
ADDITIONAL REQUESTED PRIVILEGES-Documentation of training must accompany any additional privileges requested			

I attest by signature that I have met the minimum criteria of procedures/diagnoses management within my clinical practice for the procedures requested above, and I agree to provide documentation of said procedures/diagnoses management if requested.

Applicant Signature Date

The Department Chairperson accepts this applicant's attestation that he/she meets the minimum criteria for privileges requested.

___Yes ___No _____
Department Chief Signature Date

Dear Physician:

Every physician seeking appointment/reappointment/advancement to Louisiana Heart Hospital & Medical Center is required to obtain annually 20 hours of AMA PRA Category 1 credit unless exempted. Physicians falling within any of the following categories are exempt from the 20 hour AMA PRA Category 1 requirement.

-  Initially licensed less than 1 year on the basis of examination;
-  Engaged in military service longer than one year's duration outside of Louisiana;
-  Certified or recertified within the past year by a member board of the American Board of Medical Specialties;
-  Currently in a residency training or fellowship.

Please submit copies of your CMEs that you have completed for the past two years.

Thank you,

Medical Staff Coordinator,
Louisiana Medical Center and Heart Hospital