

WEST JEFFERSON MEDICAL CENTER
Marrero, Louisiana
PRIVILEGES REQUEST FORM FOR FLEXIBLE SIGMOIDOSCOPY

Minimum Threshold Criteria

To be eligible to use this form to request clinical privileges, the following minimum threshold criteria must be met.

1. *Basic education:* M.D. or D.O.
2. *Minimal formal training:* Successful completion of an approved residency/fellowship training program in general surgery, gastroenterology, colon and rectal surgery, GI surgery, family practice, or internal medicine. If residency did not include training in flexible sigmoidoscopy the applicant must have completed 20 hours of Category I continuing medical education.
3. *Required previous experience:* The successful applicant must be able to demonstrate that he or she has had the following minimum FS experience:

15 supervised procedures using the 60-cm. sigmoidoscope or
5 supervised procedures using the 35-cm. sigmoidoscope.

Note: Supervision must have occurred during residency or a structured post-residency preceptorship. In addition, references must come from the individual responsible for formal FS training.

I understand that in making this request I am bound by West Jefferson Medical Center's applicable bylaws and policies. I hereby stipulate that I meet the threshold criteria for each request.

Physician's signature

Typed or printed name

Date

Approved: 6/97

"In general, core privileges consist of those areas listed above. The medical staff may modify or limit the privileges granted."