

WEST JEFFERSON MEDICAL CENTER
Marrero, Louisiana
PRIVILEGES REQUEST FORM FOR INFECTIOUS DISEASE

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 any approved residency training program in internal medicine and completed fellowship in infectious disease.
3. *Required previous experience:* The successful applicant must be able to demonstrate that he or she has provided inpatient or consultative services for at least 24 patients during the past 12 months.

Privileges include being able to admit, work up, diagnose and provide treatment or consultative services to patients presenting with infectious or immunologic diseases. Privileges include: management of an unusually severe infection, such as tuberculosis meningitis, disseminated tuberculosis, system mycosis and unusual infections in the immune-compromised host, lumbar puncture; aspiration of superficial abscess; an incision and drainage of superficial abscess; arthrocentesis; and interpretation of gram stain.

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: 3/97

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