

WEST JEFFERSON MEDICAL CENTER
Marrero, Louisiana
PRIVILEGE REQUEST FORM FOR INTERNAL MEDICINE

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. *Minimum formal training:* Successful completion of an approved residency training program in internal medicine.
3. *Required previous experience:* The successful applicant must be able to demonstrate provision of inpatient service to at least 30 patients in the past 12 months.

Note: A letter of reference must come from the residency director or chief of medicine from another hospital where applicant has been affiliated for the last two years. Two other must come from primary care physicians who have known the applicant at least two years and are acquainted with the applicant's current professional status, medical practice, and involvement in the field of internal medicine.

Core Privileges

Privileges include admission, work up, diagnosis, and provision of nonsurgical treatment including consultation for patients 18 years of age or older admitted or in need of care to treat general medical problems. These privileges do not include any of the following special requests.

Special Requests

Please check any requests desired. You must be able to meet minimum threshold criteria for each request.

I hereby request the following special privileges:

- fiberoptic flexible sigmoidoscopy, with biopsy
- pulmonary artery catheterization (Swan-Ganz)
- temporary venous pacemaker placement
- percutaneous liver biopsy

In addition to or instead of special requests, I also request additional privileges in the subspecialty of

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: 1/97
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"In general, core privileges consist of those areas listed above. The medical staff may modify or limit the privileges granted."