

Policy: Admission of Transfer Students or Students with Advanced Standing

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POLICY STATEMENT

Due to the unique structure of its MD degree program curriculum, Herbert Wertheim College of Medicine does not admit transfer students and does not admit students with advanced standing.

SCOPE

This policy applies to students for all Academic Years in the program.

REASON FOR POLICY

This policy covers the admission of transfer student or student with advanced standing.

DEFINITIONS			
TERM	DEFINITIONS		
Transfer	• HWCOM adopts the Liaison Committee on Medical Education definition of "transfer": the permanent withdrawal by a medical student from one medical school followed by his or her enrollment (typically in the second or third year of the medical curriculum) in another medical school.		
Admission with advanced standing	• HWCOM adopts the Liaison Committee on Medical Education definition of "admission with advanced standing": the acceptance by a medical school and enrollment in the medical curriculum of an applicant (e.g., a doctoral student), typically as a second- or third-year medical student, when that applicant had not previously been enrolled in a medical education program.		



RESPONSIBLE PARTIES

Associate Dean for Curriculum and Medical Education

RELATED RESOURCES

LCME Element 10.7

CONTACTS

Questions about this procedure should be directed towards the Associate Dean for Curriculum and Medical Education, Office of Medical Education

POLICY HISTORY

Initial Effective Date: February 2007 Review Dates (*review performed, no updates*): May 2025 Revision Dates (*updates made to document*): October 2017 Comments on Revision (*if applicable*):

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