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# Housestaff Counselor

## Graduate Medical Education Committee — Policies and Procedures

In order to comply with the General Essentials of the Accreditation Council for Graduate Medical Education and to better serve our residents, access to confidential counseling and psychological support services shall be offered to all residents and their families. The Housestaff Counselor shall be available to the residents and families through flexible office hours and pager service. The University of Arizona is committed to retaining its valued residents and fellows who may have problems that affect their performance, whether related to emotional, physical or substance abuse issues. The College of Medicine has adopted guidelines to facilitate the reporting and investigation of substance abuse or other impairment issues.

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