

Policy 1.140 Graduate Medical Education Committee
Section Educational Administration
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Purpose

To address interactions between vendor representatives/corporations, residents/fellows, and each of the Sponsoring Institution's (SI) Accreditation Council for Graduate Medical Education (ACGME)-accredited programs.

Policy

The Graduate Medical Education Committee (GMEC) has adopted the University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences (UAMS) Administrative Guide policies for gifts and conflicts of interest as they apply to vendors. UAMS Graduate Medical Education utilizes these three UAMS Administrative Guide policies to address vendor interactions:

- 1) Ethical Conduct/Gift policy, number 4.4.09
- 2) Conflict of Interest for Academic Staff policy, number 4.4.10
- 3) Industry Interaction policy, number 4.4.12

For questions related to outside vendor interactions, please contact the Office of Institutional Compliance at 501-686-6447 or 501-686-6556.