

## Policy on faculty appointments for physicians supervising medical students

Office of Accountability:	Dean, Faculty of Medicine & Dentistry
Office of Administrative Responsibility:	MD Program
Approver:	MD Curriculum & Program Committee
Scope:	Compliance with this MD Program policy extends to all members of the Undergraduate Medical Education community.

### Overview

The CACMS accreditation element 9.2 requires all physicians who supervise medical students in required learning experiences to hold a faculty appointment in the FoMD. This does not apply to residents who supervise, teach and assess medical students as part of their position.

### Policy:

All physicians who have direct supervision of medical students in required clinical learning experiences must have a faculty appointment (clinical or academic) in the FoMD. This does not apply to residents who supervise, teach and assess medical students as part of their position.

### DEFINITIONS

Any definitions listed in the following table apply to this document only with no implied or intended institution-wide use.	
CACMS	Committee on Accreditation of Canadian Medical Schools
Required clinical learning experiences	A subset of required learning experiences that take place in a health care setting involving patient care that are required of a student in order to complete the medical education program. These required clinical learning experiences may occur any time during the medical educational program.



## APPROVAL HISTORY

APPROVER	STATUS	DATE
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