

## MONTEFIORE MEDICAL CENTER ADMINISTRATIVE POLICY AND PROCEDURE

SUBJECT: EDUCATIONAL RESOURCE ALLOWANCE NUMBER: JH24.2

FOR HOUSE STAFF

OWNER: House Staff Office

EFFECTIVE: REVIEW/REVISED: SUPERSEDES:

08/02 06/13 07/13 05/13, 08/10, 09/06, 6/05,

10/03, 08/02

## Purpose:

To provide educational resource allowance of up to a maximum of \$500.00 to Montefiore Medical Center House Staff Officers each academic year for the following items:

- 1. Purchase of academic textbooks, journal subscriptions
- 2. Payment of professional society membership dues
- 3. Purchase of educational software
- 4. Purchase of personal digital assistant (PDA) capable devices (for example: PDA wireless telephones, PDA touch, PDA devices, I-Touch, I-Phone, I-Pad, e-readers, and lap tops
- 5. Payment for approved Board Review Courses
- 6. Medical Equipment stethoscopes, digital cameras, loops
- 7. For ACLS, BLS, PALS, and ATLS
- 8. Educational Courses (Spanish, etc.)
- 9. Payment for Licensure Fees
- 10. Payment of USMLE"s and Boards.

## Scope:

All House Staff on the Montefiore Medical Center payroll.

## Procedure:

- 1. Each clinical department Chairperson/Program Director will administer the educational resource allowance policy.
- 2. No House Staff Officer will be reimbursed for expenses that exceed the maximum \$500.00 per person per academic year.
- 3. Unused educational resource allowance cannot be carried over from academic year to academic year and cannot be transferred to another House Staff Officer.

- 4. Reimbursement for purchases/expenses will be made via check and mailed to the home address of House Staff Officer.
- 5. A House Staff Officer requesting reimbursement under the educational resource allowance policy must complete an "Employee Business Expense & Travel Reimbursement Form", and attach original receipts for purchases/expenses.
- 6. The Chairperson/Program Director will approve and sign all reimbursement forms completed for purchases/expenses as first signature and forward them to the House Staff Office for review, tracking, and approval by the Associate Director of the House Staff Office as second signature.
- 7. Employee Business Expense & Travel Reimbursement Forms can be obtained from the department or House Staff Office.