

**UPMC
Delineation of Privileges Request
Criteria Summary Sheet**

Facility: Childrens Hospital of Pittsburgh of UPMC

Specialty: EMERGENCY MEDICINE

KNOWLEDGE	MD or DO or equivalent international degree
TRAINING	The applicant must demonstrate successful completion of a three-year pediatric or family medicine residency program approved by the Accreditation Council for Graduate Medical Education (ACGME) or the American Osteopathic Association (AOA) or equivalent foreign training.
CERTIFICATION	Must be American Board certified in the area of their specialty by the appropriate ACGME or AOA accredited Board within five (5) years of becoming eligible to sit for the examination. Exceptions may be considered in unusual circumstances with approval of the division chief, department head and credentials and Medical Executive committees.
OTHER	<p>For Procedural Sedation Privileges: Must show PALS, ATLS, or ACLS Certification</p> <p><u>INITIAL APPOINTMENT</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ GENERAL PEDIATRICS CORE: Minimal formal training: The applicant must demonstrate successful completion of a three-year pediatric or family medicine residency program approved by the Accreditation Council for Graduate Medical Education (ACGME) or the American Osteopathic Association (AOA) or equivalent foreign training. In addition, they must be American Board certified in the area of their specialty by the appropriate ACGME or AOA accredited Board within five (5) years of becoming eligible to sit for the examination. Exceptions may be considered in unusual circumstances with approval of the division chief, department head and credentials and Medical Executive committees. ▪ GENERAL EMERGENCY MEDICINE CORE: The applicant must demonstrate successful completion of an emergency medicine residency program approved by the Accreditation Council for Graduate Medical Education (ACGME) or equivalent international training. Candidates must be American Board certified (ABMS accredited Board) in Emergency Medicine within five (5) years of becoming eligible to sit for the exam. Exceptions may be considered in unusual circumstances with approval of the Pediatric Emergency

Medicine Division Chief, CHP Physician-in-Chief and CHP Credentials and Medical Executive committees. Must be ATLS, ACLS, and PALS or APLS certified.

- **PEDIATRIC EMERGENCY MEDICINE CORE:** The applicant must be Board certified/qualified in pediatrics and pediatric emergency medicine or Board certified/qualified in emergency medicine and Pediatric Emergency Medicine. Must be ATLS and ACLS certified.
- **SPECIFIC/SPECIAL PEDIATRIC EMERGENCY MEDICINE PRIVILEGES:** Individuals who provide a specific area of expertise such as Toxicology may qualify for appointment with the approval of the Chief, Division of Pediatric Emergency Medicine, and the Physician-in-Chief.
- **REFERENCES:** Reference letters from **two** physicians familiar with the applicant's Pediatric Experience or "Specific/Special Expertise experience" and **one** Pediatric Emergency Medicine physician with whom the applicant has worked during the preceding two years are required.

REAPPOINTMENT TO ACTIVE OR AFFILIATE STAFF:

- Reappointment shall be based on objective results of care according to existing quality of care mechanisms; activity must comply with the Medical Staff Development Policy.
- Applicants for the general pediatrics medical core must demonstrate that they have maintained competence by verifying to the satisfaction of the division chief that they have managed at least 24 pediatric and/or newborn cases in the past 24 months – either inpatient or outpatient/office.
- Applicants for the pediatric emergency medicine core must demonstrate that they have maintained competence by verifying to the satisfaction of the division chief that they have been closely involved in the consultation on or management of at least 360 pediatric emergency medicine cases during the past 24 months.
- Must have current ATLS and ACLS certification.
- Individuals applying to be re-appointed for "Specific/Special Pediatric Emergency Medicine Privileges" must verify to the satisfaction of the division chief their adult or pediatric specific clinical practice involvement in at least 12 cases during the past 24 months.
- There must be documented (listing of course, date, CMEs awarded) evidence of a minimum of 30 Category I continuing medical education hours related to pediatric emergency medicine during the preceding 24 months. (NOTE: Full-time appointees must complete

	<p>48 hours of CME dedicated to trauma over the course of three years, half of which must be obtained outside of CHP. These trauma credit hours can also be applied to Division CME requirement of 30 category 1 CME credits.) <u>Note: Five (5) of these credits must be patient safety/risk management credits and should be clearly marked</u></p>
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