

**Name of Policy:** Resident Call Rooms  
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**Approving Officer:** Dean, College of Medicine and Life Sciences  
**Responsible Agent:** Director, Graduate Medical Education  
**Scope:** UT College of Medicine Residents



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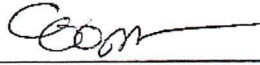
Residents on call must be provided with adequate and appropriate sleeping quarters that are safe, quiet, and private.

PURPOSE

To provide an adequate and secure sleeping area for those residents on call for 24 hours, and for those residents that are on “home call” and may require a place to sleep.

PROCEDURE

1. Call rooms will be provided to those residents who are scheduled to stay in the hospital overnight designated as “on call” and for those residents who are scheduled for “home call” and may require a room if called into the hospital.
2. Residents call rooms will be available in the basement of Mulford Library and in the Hospital on the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> floors for designated programs. Resident call rooms will be provided at affiliated sites for those residents who are designated as “on call.”
3. The call rooms are single use call rooms, designated by program at UTMC.
4. Residents are expected to maintain the call rooms in an orderly fashion.
5. Fatigue mitigation sleeping quarters are available in the Fatigue Mitigation Lounge located in the basement of Mulford Library for those residents who may need to rest to assure patient safety during his/her scheduled time in the hospital.
6. Additions or changes to the call rooms must be approved by the Graduate Medical Education office.

<p>Approved by:</p> <p>          Chair, Graduate Medical Education</p> <p>          Dean, College of Medicine and Life Sciences</p> <p>Review/Revision Completed by:          Graduate Medical Education Committee</p>	<p>Policies Superseded by This Policy:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• None</li> </ul> <p>Initial effective date: 06/2004</p> <p>Review/Revision Date: Reviewed 06/06          Revised 8/1/06, Revised 2/6/07, Reviewed 2/3/09, Revised 3/1/11, Revised 3/5/13, Reviewed 3/3/15, Revised 4/4/17</p> <p>Next review date: 4/2019</p>
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