ALLERGY/IMMUNOLOGY CLINICAL PRIVILEGES

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☐ Initial Appointment
☐ Reappointment

All new applicants must meet the following requirements as approved by the governing body effective: 8/5/2015.

Applicant: Check off the “Requested” box for each privilege requested. Applicants have the burden of producing information deemed adequate by the Hospital for a proper evaluation of current competence, current clinical activity, and other qualifications and for resolving any doubts related to qualifications for requested privileges.

Department Chair: Check the appropriate box for recommendation on the last page of this form. If recommended with conditions or not recommended, provide condition or explanation on the last page of this form.

Other Requirements

- Note that privileges granted may only be exercised at the site(s) and/or setting(s) that have the appropriate equipment, license, beds, staff and other support required to provide the services defined in this document. Site-specific services may be defined in hospital and/or department policy.
- This document is focused on defining qualifications related to competency to exercise clinical privileges. The applicant must also adhere to any additional governance (MS Bylaws, Rules and Regulations) organizational, regulatory, or accreditation requirements that the organization is obligated to meet.

QUALIFICATIONS FOR ALLERGY/IMMUNOLOGY

To be eligible to apply for core privileges in allergy/immunology, the initial applicant must meet the following criteria:

Current specialty certification in allergy and immunology by the American Board of Allergy and Immunology or subspecialty certification in allergy and immunology by the American Osteopathic Board of Internal Medicine.

OR

Successful completion of an Accreditation Council for Graduate Medical Education (ACGME) or American Osteopathic Association (AOA) accredited residency in internal medicine or pediatrics followed by an accredited residency in allergy and immunology and active participation in the examination process with achievement of certification within 5 years of completion of formal training leading to specialty certification in allergy and immunology by the American Board of Allergy and Immunology or subspecialty certification in allergy and immunology by the American Osteopathic Board of Internal Medicine.

Required Previous Experience: Applicants for initial appointment must be able to demonstrate provision of inpatient, outpatient, or consultative allergy/immunology services to a sufficient volume of patients, reflective of the scope of privileges requested, during the past 24 months or demonstrate successful completion of an ACGME or AOA accredited residency, clinical fellowship, or research in a clinical setting within the past 12 months.
Reappointment Requirements: To be eligible to renew core privileges in allergy/immunology, the applicant must meet the following maintenance of privilege criteria:

Current demonstrated competence and a sufficient volume of experience, with acceptable results, reflective of the scope of privileges requested, for the past 24 months based on results of ongoing professional practice evaluation and outcomes. Evidence of current ability to perform privileges requested is required of all applicants for renewal of privileges. Medical Staff members whose board certificates in allergy and immunology bear an expiration date shall successfully complete recertification no later than three (3) years following such date. For members whose certifying board requires maintenance of certification in lieu of renewal, maintenance of certification requirements must be met, with a lapse in continuous maintenance of no greater than three (3) years.

Core Privileges

Allergy/Immunology Core Privileges

☑ Requested Admit, evaluate, diagnose, consult and manage patients of all ages, presenting with conditions or disorders involving the immune system, both acquired and congenital. Selected examples of such conditions include asthma, anaphylaxis, rhinitis, eczema, urticaria, and adverse reactions to drugs, foods, and insect stings as well as immune deficiency diseases (both acquired and congenital), defects in host defense, and problems related to autoimmune disease, organ transplantation or malignancies of the immune system. May provide care to patients in the intensive care setting in conformance with unit policies. Assess, stabilize, and determine disposition of patients with emergent conditions consistent with medical staff policy regarding emergency and consultative call services. The core privileges in this specialty include the procedures on the attached procedure list.

Special Non-Core Privileges (See Specific Criteria)

If desired, Non-Core Privileges are requested individually in addition to requesting the Core. Each individual requesting Non-Core Privileges must meet the specific threshold criteria governing the exercise of the privilege requested including training, required previous experience, and for maintenance of clinical competence.

Ultrasound-Guided Central Line Insertion

☑ Requested See Medical Staff Policy for Ultrasound-Guided Central Line Insertion for additional information.

Initial Privileging:

As for core privileges plus:

- Completion of a UMMC ultrasound-guided central line insertion Healthstream learning module; and
- Completion of ultrasound-guided central line insertion simulation training in the UMMC Simulation and Interprofessional Education Center; and
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- Focused professional practice evaluation to include proctoring of the ultrasound-guided insertion of at least 5 central lines (femoral or internal jugular) within the first 6 months of appointment

Reprivileging:
- As for core privileges plus:
  - Completion of a UMMC ultrasound-guided central line insertion Healthstream learning module; and
  - Performance of at least 10 ultrasound-guided central line insertions in the past 24 months;

If volume requirements are not met, the following may substitute:
- Completion of ultrasound-guided central line insertion simulation training in the UMMC Simulation and Interprofessional Education Center; and
- Focused professional practice evaluation to include proctoring of the ultrasound-guided insertion of at least 5 central lines (femoral or internal jugular) within the first 6 months of re-appointment

CHECK HERE TO REQUEST INTERNAL MEDICINE PRIVILEGES FORM

☐ Requested

CHECK HERE TO REQUEST PEDIATRIC PRIVILEGES FORM

☐ Requested
CORE PROCEDURE LIST

To the applicant: If you wish to exclude any procedures, please strike through those procedures which you do not wish to request, initial, and date.

- Allergen immunotherapy
- Allergy testing
- Delayed hypersensitivity skin testing
- Drug desensitization and challenge
- Drug testing
- Food challenge testing
- Immediate hypersensitivity skin testing
- IVIG and SQIG treatment and administration
- Nasal cytology
- Order respiratory services
- Order rehab services
- Patch testing
- Perform routine medical procedures (including: arthrocentesis and joint injections; excision of skin and subcutaneous tumors, nodules, and lesions; I & D abscess; insertion and management of arterial lines; local anesthetic techniques; lumbar puncture; marrow aspiration and biopsy; peripheral nerve blocks; placement of anterior and posterior nasal hemostatic packing; interpretation of electrocardiograms; remove non-penetrating corneal foreign body, nasal foreign body; synovial fluid crystal analysis; and thoracentesis)
- Performance of history and physical exam
- Perform waived laboratory testing not requiring an instrument, including but not limited to fecal occult blood, urine dipstick, and vaginal pH by paper methods
- Physical urticaria testing
- Provocation testing for hyper-reactive airways
- Pulmonary function tests
- Rapid desensitization
- Rhinolaryngoscopy
- Skin biopsy
- Telehealth
- Vaccine skin testing and challenge
UNIVERSITY HOSPITAL AND HEALTH SYSTEM
UNIVERSITY OF MISSISSIPPI MEDICAL CENTER
2500 North State Street, Jackson MS 39216

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ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF PRACTITIONER

I have requested only those privileges for which by education, training, current experience, and demonstrated performance I am qualified to perform and for which I wish to exercise at University Hospital and Health System, University of Mississippi Medical Center, and I understand that:

a. In exercising any clinical privileges granted, I am constrained by Hospital and Medical Staff policies and rules applicable generally and any applicable to the particular situation.

b. Any restriction on the clinical privileges granted to me is waived in an emergency situation and in such situation my actions are governed by the applicable section of the Medical Staff Bylaws or related documents.

Signed ___________________________  Date __________________

DIVISION CHIEF’S RECOMMENDATION (AS APPLICABLE)

I have reviewed the requested clinical privileges and supporting documentation for the above-named applicant. To the best of my knowledge, this practitioner’s health status is such that he/she may fully perform with safety the clinical activities for which he/she is being recommended. I make the following recommendation(s):

☐ Recommend all requested privileges.
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Division Chief Signature ___________________________  Date _________________
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