



**BAPTIST MEMORIAL HOSPITAL - JONESBORO**  
**Baptist Memorial Medical Education**  
**NEA Baptist Internal Medicine Program**

**INTERNAL MEDICINE RESIDENCY PROGRAM POLICY AND PROCEDURE MANUAL**

Effective Date: July 2016	<b>Resident Visa Policy</b> <b>Baptist-employed Residents</b>
Last Review/Revision: January 2020	
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**PURPOSE:** To establish a policy for resident visas that complies with the Accreditation Council for Graduate Medical Education guidelines

**POLICY:** Resident Visa Policy

**PROCEDURE:**

Baptist will not petition for visas with rare exception considered under extraordinary circumstances and approval of CEO must be obtained.

International graduates must have ECFMG certificate and be a US citizen.