



10.1.13 Annual Review of the Relationship with Affiliated Institutions

Chapter 10 - Ethics, Standards of Conduct, and Relationships with External Entities	Original Effective Date: April 2000
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I. Purpose

To comply with the annual review requirements of the relationship between UT Health San Antonio and its affiliated institutions.

II. Scope

The Office of Legal Affairs is responsible for the execution of this policy.

III. Policy

- A. The Office of Legal Affairs shall conduct an annual review of the relationship with affiliated institutions in which:
 - 1. UT Health San Antonio (UTHSA) students or medical or dental residents, fellows, or trainees receive training as part of their academic program; and,
 - 2. For which full-time UTHSA faculty and staff serve as either a consultant or employee, and UTHSA or its employees receive compensation for such services shall be conducted by the Dean in whose School the program functions to determine that the relationship does not violate the standards of conduct provided for in Chapter 572 of the Texas Government Code (Conflict of Interest).
- B. This policy does not apply:
 - 1. If the affiliated institution is an agency of the United States government;
 - 2. If the only compensation received is payment for professional services assigned by UTHSA faculty to a faculty practice plan of UTHSA; or,
 - 3. If the relationship between UTHSA and affiliated institution is the subject of annual public reports required by Section 51.912 of the Texas Education Code or is reviewed pursuant to procedures required by 60 FR 35810, Part III.

IV. Definitions

There are no defined terms used in this Policy.

V. Related References

There are no related documents associated with this Policy.

VI. Review and Approval History

- A. The approving authority of this policy is the University Executive Committee.
- B. The review frequency cycle is set for three years following the last review date, a time period that is not mandated by regulatory, accreditation, or other authority.

Effective Date	Action Taken	Approved By	Date Approved
04/2000	Policy Origination		
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