



CONFLICTS OF COMMITMENT AND INTEREST CERTIFICATION

In accordance with Texas A&M Health Science Center (TAMHSC) Internal Policy 12.01.99.Z1.04, Conflicts of Commitment and Interest, each TAMHSC faculty member, staff member, and trainee are asked to certify to their component dean/director or designee their compliance with the TAMHSC policy related to conflicts of commitment and interest. ***Certification needs to be provided at the point of hire for all new faculty members, staff members and trainees.*** Faculty members, staff members and trainees must disclose information about their (and immediate family members) interests in the areas noted below:

1. Limitations on Outside Professional Activities;
2. Appropriate Use of University Resources, Including Facilities, Personnel, Equipment, and Information;
3. Disclosure and Ownership of Intellectual Property;
4. Faculty, Staff and Trainee Involvement in Transactions Between Outside Entities and TAMHSC;
5. Situations Raising Questions of Scientific Objectivity;
6. Interactions with Industry Unrelated to Employment, including:
 - 6.1 Site Visits and Educational Workshops Provided by Industry;
 - 6.2 Funding of Events by Industry;
 - 6.3 Non-Monetary Gifts from Industry (including pharmaceutical samples, food, and other in-kind forms of gifts);
 - 6.4 Gifts from Industry in Support of Research or Education; and
 - 6.5 Participation in Education by Industry Representatives.

Each faculty member, staff member and trainee must disclose to their component dean/director or designee (with a copy to the department chair) current, proposed or pending situations that may raise questions of conflict of commitment or interest, as soon as the faculty member, staff member or trainee knows of such situations.

I, _____ hereby certify to the best of my knowledge that I am in
(Printed First Name and Last Name)

compliance with TAMHSC Internal Policy 12.01.99.Z1.04, Conflicts of Commitment and Interest, and further certify my compliance as follows (please check the applicable box below):

- I have no conflicts of interest and no outside employment.
- I have conflict(s) of interest and/or outside employment and have disclosed them to the appropriate dean/director or designee.

I further certify to the best of my knowledge that I have disclosed to my component dean/ director or designee (with a copy to the department chair) current, proposed or pending situations that may raise questions of conflict of commitment or interest in accordance with TAMHSC Internal Policy 12.01.09.Z1.04, Conflicts of Commitment and Interest.

(Signature of Faculty, Staff or Trainee)

Date Signed

(Signature of Component dean/director or designee)

Date Signed