

ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF CENTRAL MANAGEMENT SERVICES
CLASS SPECIFICATION

RESIDENT PHYSICIAN

POSITION CODE: 38270
Effective: 3-1-78

DISTINGUISHING FEATURES OF WORK:

Under general supervision of an Illinois licensed Physician, performs professional services in the field of medicine while undergoing formal residency training in a medical specialty in a hospital or medical school.

ILLUSTRATIVE EXAMPLES OF WORK:

1. Examines, diagnoses, treats and prescribes medication for patients and employees; selects and interprets laboratory tests.
2. Makes ward rounds; checks reports and charts; diagnoses and prescribes treatment on cases; prepares periodic progress notes and final discharge summaries.
3. Prepares for and assists in surgery; supervises postoperative care of patients.
4. Conducts individual, group and family therapy.
5. Consults with medical and professional personnel on the conduct and improvement of treatment methods and care.
6. Participates in lectures, seminars, case presentation, diagnostic discussions, assigned activities and staff conferences prescribed by the specialty residency curriculum.
7. Performs other duties as required or assigned which are reasonably within the scope of the duties enumerated above.

DESIRABLE REQUIREMENTS:

Education and Experience

Requires either an Illinois license to practice medicine, or an Illinois Temporary Certificate of Registration.

Knowledges, Skills and Abilities

Requires working knowledge of the principles and practices of general medicine or of the specialties, including the diagnosis and treatment of diseases and injuries.

Requires working knowledge of recent developments in the field of medicine.

Requires ability to examine patients, diagnose disease and to prescribe and administer necessary treatment.

Requires ability to assist in surgery.

Requires ability to select laboratory examinations and evaluate results to confirm clinical findings and to aid in the diagnosis of disease.

Requires ability to gain the confidence and cooperation of patients and to establish and maintain effective working relationships with facility personnel.