

AC Research Effort and Involvement Policy

Effective January 1, 2021

Background

AC faculty play large roles in clinical research and particularly clinical trials. Given that there remains a need to retain a distinction between the research activities of AC and CE faculty, effective 12/1/2020, the following applies to AC faculty related to research effort and involvement:

- AC Faculty may serve as PI/co-PI/sub-investigator and accept role specific support for non- federally sponsored clinical research and non-federally sponsored cooperative group trials.
- Generally, AC Faculty may not be PI or have a leadership role on federally sponsored research.
- Total research activity on NIH awards or their equivalent is limited to 10% effort unless serving in a support role for clinical research, clinical trials or informatics.

The academic plan will reflect this definition as follows:

_____ Clinical

_____ Teaching and other activities not to exceed a total of 10% combined effort unless funding is available for specific roles and responsibilities.

_____ Teaching (minimum 5%)

_____ Other (includes referring patients for clinical trials, committee work, any other function assigned by chair etc.)

_____ Administrative Role(s)

_____ Research activity (must satisfy the following conditions):

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- Generally, may not be PI or have a leadership role on federally sponsored research;
- Total research activity on NIH awards or their equivalent is limited to 10% unless serving in a support role for clinical research, clinical trials or informatics (ex: enrolling and monitoring patients in a clinical trial).