

University of South Alabama, College of Medicine Physicianship Praise Card

Please complete and submit this form to the Division of Medical Education when you wish to praise the professional behavior and/or performance of a medical student. This information will be conveyed to the student and noted in their file.

Name of Medical Student: _____ Date: _____

A. My praise about the performance of this medical student is based on his/her demonstration of exceptional ability in one or more of the following traits (please check):

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Altruism/responsiveness to patient needs that supersedes self-interest | <input type="checkbox"/> Accountability to patients, society, and the medical profession |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Honesty, integrity, and trustworthiness | <input type="checkbox"/> Leadership and cooperation with team |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Caring and compassion | <input type="checkbox"/> Communication and collaboration |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Respect for patients' and families' privacy, autonomy, and dignity | <input type="checkbox"/> Moral reasoning and ethical behavior |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Respect for superiors, colleagues, peers, and others | <input type="checkbox"/> Excellence and scholarship |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Ability to create and sustain therapeutic relationships with patients and families | <input type="checkbox"/> Self-improvement/Commitment to ongoing professional development |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Places patient needs and welfare first | |

B. Describe your observations.

C. Reported by _____ **Position** _____

Email: _____ Telephone: _____

D. I have discussed this with the student: Yes / No

Student's
signature: _____ Date: _____

Reporter's
signature: _____ Date: _____

Adapted from:

1. ACGME, Program Director Guide to the Common Program Requirements, Chicago, IL, 2009
2. University of Virginia School of Medicine. Praise Card and Early Concern Card. www.med-ed.virginia.edu
3. University of California, San Francisco School of Medicine. Professionalism Praise Card