RESIDENT SUPPORT SERVICES

HEALTH AND WELLNESS

University Health Services

University Health offers a number of services to support all employees including housestaff. UHS is committed to providing a healthy and safe work environment for employees and students through education, prevention, and treatment programs. Some of the services of UHS include:

- Immunizations and other preventative services to protect against work-related exposures.
- Routine screening for exposure to workplace hazards.
- Evaluation and treatment of work-related illness or injury.
- Facilitation of proper reporting and documentation of work-related illness or injury.

Aid for Impaired Residents Program (AIRS) (See GME Policy #260)

Other Mental Health Services

Counseling services and evaluation are also available in collaboration with the faculty of the University’s Department of Psychiatry. Confidential counseling or referral will be provided and is covered by the residents’ health insurance program.

UTHSC Campus Recreation

The Fitness and Wellness Program of Campus Recreation offers many opportunities that are available to residents. Programs offered include nutritional counseling, fitness assessments, exercise prescriptions, personal training, and various exercise programs including cardiovascular, strength, weight, stress, and aerobic programs.

The Fitness Center is located in the Student Alumni Center located at 800 Madison Avenue. For complete information regarding the services, fees, facilities, and hours of operation visit the Campus Recreation Website at http://www.uthsc.edu/campusrec.

ACADEMIC SUPPORT SERVICES

Student Academic and Support Services and Inclusion

Residents may utilize the services of the Student Academic Support Services and Inclusion (SASSI). The staff of the SASSI provides assistance in the areas of time management, test taking, reading efficiency, note information retention, organization for learning and board preparation. There may be charges for certain services provided at the SASSI. Residents interested in the SASSI should contact the GME Office at 448-5364.

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Student Academic and Support Services and Inclusion (SASSI)
Employee Assistance Program (EAP)
The Employee Assistance Program (EAP) is administered through the GME health insurance carrier. For information regarding the program, contact the GME vendor or insurance carrier.

Instructional Facilities and Support Services
Services provided by the Instructional Facilities and Support Services include audio-visual equipment, laboratory preparation and microscope check-out. IFSS is located in A106 of the General Education Building.

UT Library
The Health Sciences Library and Biocommunications Center is available to residents. Please contact the library to get an access code for use with all on-line services of the library. The website is: http://library.uthsc.edu. The phone number is 448-5634.

CAMPUS SECURITY
The University of Tennessee provides campus-wide security 24 hours a day, seven days a week. The campus security officers are commissioned by the Memphis Police Department and have full police powers on the University campus. Call boxes linked directly to Campus Police are located throughout the campus. In addition, each participating training hospital maintains a security department responsible for hospital security.

The parking garage on N. Pauline St. provides secure night parking with 24/7 police presence and on-demand transportation that will transport and/or retrieve a resident to/from any teaching hospital when schedules or call responsibilities require travel between hospitals.