2017 BLS & ACLS Certification Course Reimbursement Guidelines for Programs

Eligible programs that sponsor certification training for new PGY-1 residents are eligible for a one-time reimbursement subject to the guidelines described below.

**Guidelines:**
- Reimbursement may only be sought for PGY1 residents.
- Reimbursement is for initial resident certification only; recertification is not reimbursable.
- In any academic year, eligible programs must offer certification courses during the period beginning on the first day of Incoming Resident Week and ending on December 31st.
- Requests for reimbursement must be submitted to the GME office on or before December 31, 2017;
- Requests for reimbursement should be directed to the Office of Graduate Medical Education, Finance Department and must include:
  - an original invoice
  - proof of payment
  - roster showing the names of residents who participated, PGY level, and results of the course.
  - Copy of the BLS or ACLS certification card for each participant

**Basic Life Support (BLS) up to $50/resident not to exceed actual course cost:**

**Eligible programs:** All programs with the exception of Pathology

**Advanced Cardiac Life Support (ACLS) up to $150/resident not to exceed actual course cost:**

**Eligible Programs:**
- Anesthesiology
- Child Neurology
- Child Psychiatry
- Emergency Medicine
- Family Medicine RURAL
- Family Medicine SUNY
- Internal Medicine Catholic Health*
- Internal Medicine SUNY*
- Medicine/Pediatrics
- Neurology
- Neurosurgery
- OB/GYN (Catholic Health)
- Oral & Maxillofacial Surgery
- Orthopaedic Surgery
- Osteopathic Family Medicine
- Otolaryngology
- Psychiatry
- Surgery*
- Vascular Surgery Integrated

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