

Solutions

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Which solutions?

Independence

Transparency

Education

Conflict of interest Policies



Health professionals' groups



Læger uden sponsor



Students' groups



AMSA Scorecard 2016

Scorecard About Methodology Executive Summary Policy Updates

Conflict of Interest Policies at Medical Schools

MODEL
 GOOD
 POOR/ABSENT

Institution	Grade	Gifts	Meals	Speaking relationships	CME	Promotional events	Scholarships and awards	Ghostwriting	Consulting	Sales reps	Device reps	Disclosure	COI curriculum	COI policy extension	Enforcement
Indiana University School of Medicine Indianapolis, IN	A	●	●	●	◐	●	◐	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Florida International University Herbert Wertheim College of Medicine Miami, FL	A	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	◐	●	●	●	◐	●
Jacobs School of Medicine and Biomedical Sciences at the University at Buffalo Buffalo, NY	A	◐	◐	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
University of Chicago Division of the Biological Sciences The Pritzker School of Medicine Chicago, IL	A	●	●	◐	●	●	◐	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Edward Via College of Osteopathic Medicine (Alabama, South Carolina, and Virginia)	A	●	◐	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	●	●	COI Policy Extension: 3	

Some positive examples...



*All teachers must **disclose conflicts of interest to learners** in the Faculty of Medicine before beginning the educational interaction.*



*It is strongly advised that **no form of personal gift** from Industry be accepted under any circumstances.*

***Free drug samples** are considered gifts under this policy and may not be accepted. **Sales and marketing representatives** are not permitted in any patient care areas except to provide in-service training on devices and other equipment and then only by appointment.*

Institutional environment




BMJ 2013;346:f264 doi: 10.1136/bmj.f264 (Published 31 January 2013)

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RESEARCH


Medical school gift restriction policies and physician prescribing of newly marketed psychotropic medications: difference-in-differences analysis

 OPEN ACCESS

Marissa King *assistant professor of organizational behavior*¹, Connor Essick *research assistant*¹, Peter Bearman *Jonathan Cole professor of the social sciences*², Joseph S Ross *assistant professor of medicine*³

Studies on COI policies in other countries....

Too Few, Too Weak: Conflict of Interest Policies at Canadian Medical Schools

Adrienne Shnier, Joel Lexchin , Barbara Mintzes, Annemarie Jutel, Kelly Holloway

RESEARCH


Conflicts of interest: a review of institutional policy in Australian medical schools

Paul R Mason and Martin H N Tattersall

BMJ Open Quantity and quality of conflict of interest policies at German medical schools: a cross-sectional study and survey






Peter Grabitz ^{1,2}, Zoe Friedmann,¹ Sophie Gepp,¹ Leonard Hess,¹ Lisa Specht,¹ Maja Struck,¹ Sophie Kira Tragert,¹ Tobias Walther,¹ David Klemperer³

Conflict of Interest Policies at French Medical Schools: Starting from the Bottom

Paul Scheffer , Christian Guy-Coichard, David Outh-Gauer, Zoéline Calet-Froissart, Mathilde Boursier, Barbara Mintzes, Jean-Sébastien Borde

Published: January 9, 2017 • <https://doi.org/10.1371/journal.pone.0168258>

Conflict of interest policies at Belgian medical faculties: Cross-sectional study indicates little oversight

Lucas Bechoux , Oriane De Vleeschouwer, Cécile Vanheuverzwijn , Florence Verhegghen , Alizée Detiffe , Fabian Colle , Catherine Fallon, François Thoreau

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Policy Document

Pharmaceutical Sponsorship and Relationship with Industry



**Policy Statement
Conflitto d'Interessi
nella Pratica medica.**



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IFMSA Policy Document

Integrity and transparency in medical education

Proposed by ANEMF - France and IFMSA-Egypt.

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Policy Statement

Conclusion

Students are uniquely positioned to push for change!