

**DUTY HOUR EXTENSION DUE TO “UNUSUAL CIRCUMSTANCES”**

Resident/Fellow: \_\_\_\_\_

Program: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

The above noted resident/fellow on the above date remained on duty for \_\_\_\_\_ hours beyond duty hour standards.

Patient number: \_\_\_\_\_

Reason (check all that apply):

- Circumstance requiring additional time on service \_\_\_
- Severely ill or unstable patient \_\_\_
- Patient experience of academic importance \_\_\_
- Important patient events transpiring \_\_\_
- Attention to humanistic needs of patient/family \_\_\_

Hand-over of all other patients occurred prior to the duty hour limit \_\_\_

Comments:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Resident/Fellow Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Program Director Review

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

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