

Clinician Investigator (CI) Academic Position Description

Recommended timeframes: 10% time = one half day = four - five hours = 0.5 ER shifts

Characteristics:

Academic Focus (Excellence in)	Research and related creative professional activity (CPA) <i>OR</i> CPA and related research
Percent time spent in clinical care	30-50%
Formal Teaching (teaching outside of clinical care)*	15-30 hours per year;
	supervision of trainee projects
* Informal Teaching; teaching in the context of clinical care is expected of all faculty members.	
Examples of formal teaching activities appropriate to CI	All types of graduate teaching; member graduate thesis committee; Undergraduate and MD seminars, lectures and examinations; supervision of resident research projects
Percent time protected for scholarly activities (CPA and Research, not the time involved in clinical activities or teaching)	~ 50%
Examples of scholarship appropriate to CI	At least one first- or senior-authored peer reviewed paper per year over a three-year period and other CPA showing evidence of impact outside local setting
Administrative Service (hospital, department, university)	Prior to Continuing Faculty Appointment Review (CFAR): not required and not recommended, except when directly relevant to scholarly or teaching interests. Post CFAR: clinical faculty members are expected to contribute five to 10% of their time to service to the hospital, department and/or University. Service to the University includes activities such as serving on grant review panels, work with national societies or the Royal College, etc.) that does not directly benefit the individual.