

Medicina en libertad, digna y responsable

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## **DOCTORS' RIGHTS**

The medical service rendered to society, the ethical guidelines of the profession and the health legislation with its penalties for infringement of the relevant rules and obligations, as well as the patients' rights, generate corresponding rights for physicians.



## GENERAL RIGHTS OF PHYSICIANS

- 1. To be freely chosen by their patients as a repository for their health and confidence.
- 2. Receive dignity and respect.
- 3. Have access to continuing medical education and be considered on equal opportunities for professional development.
- 4. Have the availability and timely human and material resources necessary for the proper performance of his career.

- 5. To receive protection and compensation for health damage and harm that they cause, arising and / or resulting from acts proper to the practice of their profession.
- 6. To receive extra compensation for professional risks.
- 7. Receive compensation for their professional obligation to assist anyone in any situation anywhere in the world.
- 8. To receive a fair fee or salary, commensurate with their dignity, responsibility and preparation, regardless of the outcome of their work.
- 9. Protection, preservation and restoration of their professional standing.
- 10. Getting associated for the defense of their professional interests and not receive differential or discriminatory treatment.
- 11. Autonomy of practice.
- 12. Participate freely in patient care.
- 13. Access to research and teaching in the field of their profession.
- 14. Get evaluation of their practice in all areas by doctors with equal or superior knowledge.
- 15. To participate on equal terms in commissions on development and establishment of budgets, rates and scales of their health care.
- 16. To participate on equal terms in the planning, development and management of health systems.

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