

**TEXAS SPINE & JOINT HOSPITAL  
INFECTIOUS DISEASE CLINICAL PRIVILEGES**

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

- Initial appointment  
 Reappointment

**All new applicants must meet the following requirements as approved by the governing body.  
 To be eligible to apply for core privileges in infectious disease, the initial applicant must meet the following criteria:**

Successful completion of an ACGME or AOA accredited residency in internal medicine and successful completion of a fellowship in infectious disease.

**Required previous experience:** Applicants for initial appointment must be able to demonstrate provision of inpatient or consultative services, reflective of the scope of privileges requested, for at least 24 patients during the past 12 months or demonstrate successful completion of an ACGME or AOA accredited residency or clinical fellowship with the past 12 months.

**Reappointment requirements: To be eligible to renew core privileges in infectious disease, the applicant must meet the following maintenance of privilege criteria:**

Current demonstrated competence and an adequate volume of experience with inpatients or consultative services with acceptable results, reflective of the scope of privileges requested, for the past 24 months based on results of ongoing professional practice evaluation and outcomes. Evidence of current ability to perform privileges requested is required of all applicants for renewal of privileges.

**Requested Admit** evaluate, diagnose, consult, and provide care to patients of all ages with acute and chronic infectious or suspected infectious or immunologic diseases. Assess, stabilize and determine disposition of patients with emergent conditions consistent with medical staff policy regarding emergency and consultative call services. The core privileges in the specialty include the procedures on the attached procedure list and such other procedures that are extensions of the same techniques and skills.

REQUESTED	PRIVILEGE	APPROVED	DENIED
	Administration of antimicrobial and biological products via all routes		
	Application and interpretation of diagnostic tests		
	Aspiration of superficial abscess		
	Interpretation of Gram's stain		
	Management, maintenance, and removal of indwelling venous access catheters		
	Perform history and physical exam		

I have requested only those privileges for which by education, training, current experience, and demonstrated performance I am qualified to perform.

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