

Leave Policies

Pregnancy-Related Absences

CAHC and the University of Connecticut School of Medicine will not discriminate against any housestaff who requests an excused absence for medical disabilities associated with a pregnancy. Such leave requests will be made and evaluated in accordance with the medical leave policy provisions outlined above and in accordance with all applicable federal and state laws. Any resident may take this leave for as long as she is disabled due to the pregnancy, even if she has exhausted medical leave.

**J-1 Visa Holders: Extended leave cannot be taken if it will violate the regulations governing the J status.*