

Absence: Resident to Staff Physician Transition Leave

What is a leave of absence?

The **Resident to Physician Transition Leave** is designed to provide benefit continuation to Residents who have completed their training but are taking a personal break before beginning their new Physician role.

If you are a Resident who has accepted a staff physician opportunity but are completing training outside of Geisinger prior to your transfer date, you must apply for an Educational Leave of Absence through New York Life.

How do I get on this leave?

Your recruitment team will process the leave of absence in Workday once your residency ends and your staff physician start dates are confirmed.

How do benefits work?

Your current benefits will continue for the duration of your leave.

How does system access work?

For the duration of your leave, you will not have access to Geisinger systems. Upon your return, all access will be reinstated.