

Memorial Hospital Miramar
Medical Staff Bylaws
Amendment 3

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Section 5.3.E (7) Patient Encounters

The following physicians shall be exempted from the patient encounter requirements of this Section: (a) physicians with current effective contracts with the hospital to provide services; (b) dermatologists; (c) oral and maxillofacial surgeons; (d) allergists; (e) rheumatologists; (f) ophthalmologists; (g) members of the courtesy medical, dental and podiatry staffs, **and reproductive endocrinologists**. For purposes of the Joe DiMaggio Children's Hospital, pediatricians, general internists, and family practitioners are exempt. Other exemptions may be granted, upon request, by the Executive Committee, upon a demonstration that the physician could not fulfill the requirement due to good cause. For purposes of this section, good cause is limited to illness and voluntary limitation of practice.

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