

TEXAS TECH UNIVERSITY HEALTH SCIENCES CENTER AT EL PASO
Paul L. Foster School of Medicine
GRADUATE MEDICAL EDUCATION
Standard Policy and/or Procedure

TITLE: Criminal Background Check Policy

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PURPOSE: The purpose of this policy is to delineate the requirements for criminal background checks.

POLICY STATEMENT: The policies and procedures pertaining to Criminal Background Check (CBC) are set forth in Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center at El Paso Operating Policy (HSCEP OP) 10.20.

In addition to HSCEP OP 10.20, the Graduate Medical Education office considers a CBC to be current as long as the physician in training maintains active status by staying enrolled in any GME program(s) without a leave of absence of more than ninety (90) days unless deemed necessary or required by the Associate Dean for Graduate Medical Education (ADGME), Designated Institutional Official (DIO), or Program Director.