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POLICY:

The School of Medicine in concert with the other medical schools in the state has formally stated its commitment to accept as its most fundamental responsibility the care of all patients seen in its facilities, including those who are positive for the human immune deficiency virus (HIV). This commitment extends to all faculty, residents, and students. We are equally committed to the education and counseling of all health care professionals including medical students, to eliminate misperceptions concerning the risks of caring for AIDS as well as the appropriate precautions for prevention of transmission of HIV, Hepatitis-B virus, and other blood-borne infections.