

Holidays for Religious Reasons

It is the policy of the Undergraduate Medical Program to arrange reasonable accommodation of the needs of students who observe religious holy days. Students have a responsibility to alert members of the teaching staff in a timely fashion to upcoming religious observances and anticipated absences as well as arrange for how the time will be made up. Students must still meet all the requirements of the program. Staff will make every reasonable effort to avoid scheduling compulsory activities at these times.

The McMaster University Human Rights Office publishes, on an annual basis, information concerning the anticipated dates of a number of holy days.

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