I. PURPOSE

Medical students are covered by liability insurance while acting within the scope of their studies.

II. STATEMENT

a. Western University carries professional liability insurance (also referred to as “malpractice” insurance for the purpose of clinical placements) and, subject to the terms of the policy, medical students are considered additional insured parties, with certain exclusions*, while acting within the scope of their studies as prescribed by the University.

*for example, coverage may not apply if a student was deemed to be in contravention of the requirements of the Program.