

UNITED NATIONS EXAMINING PHYSICIANS

1. The nomination of United Nations Examining Physicians (UNEPs) is usually made by the UNDP Resident Representative/UN Resident Coordinator and normally confirmed by the WHO Country Representative. After a medical assessment of the curriculum vitae of the candidate along with the supporting documents, the United Nations Medical Director may appoint that candidate as UN Examining Physician. If appointed, the name of the physician will be added to the official international list of UNEPs. If, due to some circumstances, physicians are no longer available, the UN Medical Director should be informed accordingly.
2. No contract is given to UN Examining Physicians. They are simply informed when the UN Medical Director has added their names to the official international list of UNEPs.
3. Up to five UN Examining Physicians can be appointed in a duty station where the United Nations and its agencies function, or where recruitment of staff for the United Nations and the specialized agencies takes place.
4. UN Examining Physicians are appointed for the purpose of performing pre-employment and periodic medical examinations when requested. They can advise heads of agencies on the availability of medical facilities and the need for medical evacuation.
5. Appointments are reviewed and revised as required at the annual meeting of the Standing Committee of the Medical Directors of the UN System.
6. These appointments can be terminated by the UN Medical Director in consultation with the UNDP Resident Representative/UN Resident Coordinator.