

Commander's Letter of Recommendation

This is a requirement for active duty staff physicians who are not currently in training and it is in addition to the two "personal" letters of recommendation. The Commander's Recommendation Letter must be written by the Commander who holds UCMJ authority over you at the time of application. Flight Commanders who hold UCMJ authority and are on G-Series Orders may write the letter in the absence of the Squadron Commander. This is an opportunity for the Commander to make specific recommendations for further training for the applicant. The Commander's letter should include information about leadership potential, officership, and potential for success. This letter is also the forum for the Commander to address any pending UCMJ actions, adverse credentialing actions, or UIF actions.

The letter must be signed by the applicant's Squadron Commander and endorsed by the Medical Group Commander where the applicant is credentialed. If neither the Squadron Commander nor the Medical Group Commander are physicians, the letter must be endorsed by the Chief of the Medical Staff (SGH).