

Policy on Gender-Affirming Care for Minors

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Audience

This policy statement applies to all members of the Northwestern University Feinberg School of Medicine community.

Policy Statement

Northwestern University and the Feinberg School of Medicine do not provide direct clinical care in any capacity, and consequently, do not perform hormonal therapies or gender-affirming surgeries including but not limited to mastectomies, phalloplasties, vaginoplasties, and/or any other procedure intended to alter an individual's sex characteristics on minors under the *age of 18*.

Relevant References

- I. <https://www.northwestern.edu/president/docs/resolution-agreement-united-states-northwestern.pdf>