EXAMPLES OF CLINICAL PROMOTION PATHWAY ADVANCEMENT CRITERIA

Focal Areas (1-2 areas per candidate)	Assistant Clinician	Associate Clinician	Master Clinician
Clinical Impact and Recognition	 Consistent, high-quality contributions to clinical care, including quality projects Positive productivity data Participates in development of clinical protocols and guidelines Suggests approaches to improving patient flow and outcome 	 Outstanding contributions to clinical activity and group productivity Develops and effectively leads implementation of protocols and guidelines Develops new clinical programs 	 Major, indispensable contribution to Hospital's clinical activities External recognition for clinical expertise and contribution Significant advance in approaches to clinical care
Teaching and Education	 Participates in teaching of medical students and trainees Contributes to educational activities at Hospital and University Participates in student/house staff recruitment and selection Participates in educating nurses, respiratory therapists, etc. Develops educational materials 	 Leads and/or develops new educational programs for medical students and trainees Oversees programs for trainee recruiting and development Ongoing responsibilities in courses, FIRM rounds, etc. Outstanding Teacher awards Develops major new materials 	 National presentations and invited lectures Recognition as an outstanding educator by trainees, peers and others Leadership and mentoring role in the development of trainees and faculty
Leadership/ Administration	 Demonstrates responsibility for shifts or for activities in the clinical setting Helps establish work schedules Participation on committees 	 Directs a clinical program Leadership role in residency program or clinical clerkship Significant Department or Hospital leadership role 	 Major role in Department or Hospital Major impact of contribution to the Department or Hospital
	 Volunteers in service-oriented organization Gives occasional talks to community groups e.g., safety awareness 	 Recognized for activities in community Impact of this recognition on Department and Hospital 	 Major contribution to the community with programs Demonstrable impact of programs on the community
Quality/Research/ Dissemination	 Participates in and enhances quality projects Participates in research activities in the clinical setting Contributes to textbook chapters and case reports 	 Leadership role in quality initiative(s), including written report Extensive development of teaching curriculum Abstracts at national meeting Collaborative publications Media for public consumption 	Director and developer of quality initiatives for Department or Hospital