



REFERENCE FORM

Medical University of South Carolina  
T32-CA119945  
"Training in Cancer Therapeutics"

NAME OF APPLICANT (Last, first, middle initial)

RESPONDENT (name, title, department and institution)

TELEPHONE NUMBER

SIGNATURE

DATE

DATES ASSOCIATED WITH APPLICANT

CAPACITY AT THAT TIME

Compare the applicant with other individuals of similar training and experience with whom you have been associated. Use the following numerical scores. Mark every block; insert "X" if insufficient knowledge to rate and "NA" if not applicable.

**1- Outstanding** - comparable to the best individual in a current class or research laboratory (upper 5%)

**2- Excellent** - upper 6 to 20%

**3- Very Good (Above Average)** - upper 21 to 40%

**4 - Good (Average)** - middle 41 to 60%

**5 - Fair (Below Average)** - lower 40%

Use black ribbon or black ink.

\_\_\_\_\_ Research Ability and Potential

\_\_\_\_\_ Originality

\_\_\_\_\_ Written and Verbal Communications

\_\_\_\_\_ Accuracy

\_\_\_\_\_ Perseverance in Pursuing Goals

\_\_\_\_\_ Scientific Background

\_\_\_\_\_ Self-Reliance and Independence

\_\_\_\_\_ Familiarity with Research Literature

\_\_\_\_\_ Clinical Proficiency, if relevant

\_\_\_\_\_ Ability to Organize Scientific Data

\_\_\_\_\_ Laboratory Skills and Techniques, if relevant

Describe your association with the applicant. Comment on the above items, including other areas as appropriate, identifying strengths and weaknesses that should be considered in evaluating the applicants potential for a research career. (Use continuation pages as necessary.)

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**POSTDOCTORAL APPLICATION CHECKLIST**

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. Completed application form
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2. Cover letter from mentor
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3. Letter from candidate to include reasons for choosing mentor's laboratory and long-term professional goals
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. Curriculum vitae
- \_\_\_\_\_ 5. 3 letters of reference

**Return complete package to:**

**Dr. Kenneth D. Tew  
c/o Belinda Andersen  
Department of Pharmacology  
86 Jonathan Lucas Street  
HCC Room 612  
Charleston, SC 29425**

**Note to Mentors:**

For future competing renewals of CA119945 it is important that you keep a file or notations containing the following information:

- 1. All inquiries for postdoctoral training positions in your laboratory including U.S. and non-U.S.
- 2. Positions accepted by all postdoctoral trainees in your laboratory following completion of training period.