<u>APPENDIX A – Teaching Site of the Year Essential and Desired Criteria</u>

The teaching site is required to meet the four essential criteria in order to be eligible.

Criteria 1

Demonstration of excellence in education, scholarship and clinical services.

Criteria 2

Innovative practice(s) in one or more of the following areas: education, scholarship and clinical services.

Criteria 3

Sharing of innovations and best practices across the DFM sites.

Criteria 4

Contributions advance the mission, vision and strategic goals of the DFM.

Desirable criteria for teaching sites.

Criteria 5

Site demonstrates ability in engaging and inspiring learners, allowing learners to engage with patients, working in a health work environment promotion collaboration and discussions. Interacting easily with others and forming relationships.

Criteria 6

Showing leadership and mentorship, engaging in discussions. Invested in learners' growth. Site is teacher friendly and learning focused.

Criteria 7

Site is engaged with the community and region and promotes healthy collaboration with key stakeholders, promoting strong working relationships and addressing change.