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ACCME Transparency Statement Support

Pfizer supports the transparency and reporting policies that the ACCME has recently adopted as an aid in our mutual interest of supporting the highest standards of quality and independence that focus on improved patient care. To that end, in addition to previously announced eligibility criteria, Pfizer will not knowingly provide independent educational grants, either directly or indirectly, to any organization found to be out of good standing with ACCME or other accrediting bodies, including those on probation or who appear in any data sources indicating poor standing (e.g., the forthcoming list of providers who have developed biased activities). Such organizations may become eligible for grant support in the future when they are reinstated in good standing with their accrediting body.