GLOSSARY OF TERMS

Clear space — area that must separate the WMed logo from surrounding type or graphic elements.

Four-color process — the method of separating color and or photos with filters into the four process colors: cyan, magenta, yellow, and black.

Fonts — a type face or a collection of all characters comprising the entire character set of a typeface. Grayscale — an image printed in black and one or more shades of gray.

JPEG — a compressed bitmap format, developed by the Joint Photographic Experts Group of the International Standards Organization. JPEG is generally used to create files of photographic images.

Logo — a graphic representation comprising the WMed logomark, logotype, rule line, and in some cases, a subordinate area for the campus units.

Logomark — a graphic representation of the WMU “W” with the rod of Asclepius

Logotype — a graphic representation of “Western Michigan University School of Medicine.”

Pantone — industry-standard matching system for specifying and matching precise ink colors.

PMS — Pantone Matching System

Primacy area — area of the logo that lies above the signature rule.

Primary colors — primary palette includes two Pantone colors: PMS 7562 (tan) and PMS 4625 (brown). See page 7 for more information.

Process colors — colors used in 4-color process, or CMYK (cyan, magenta, yellow, and black).

Promotional Mark — the WMed logomark used with the shortened “ Medicine” name listed below. Usage of this mark must be approved by WMed Office of Communication.

Registered trademark — a trademark that has been registered with the federal government at the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office or the secretary of state for the state of Michigan.

Subordinate area — area of the logo that falls below the signature rule.