

**UTHSC - General Surgery Clinical Rotation G&O**

**Sponsoring Institution: VAMC – MEMPHIS**

**Site: VA**

**Rotations: CT Surgery PGY 2**

**Rotation Objectives**

By the end of the Vascular/Thoracic Surgery rotation at VAMC PGY 2 residents are expected to achieve the following objectives based on the six general competencies. The resident should exhibit an increasing level of responsibility and independency as he or she progresses throughout the year. Since competencies learned or mastered in the first year of residency are competencies required for a successful surgeon, the second year resident will demonstrate achieved objectives in previous years with expanded knowledge, more efficiency in performance of procedures, and additional knowledge in pathophysiology encompassing more complex disorders.

| Competency        | Required Skill(s)   | Teaching Method(s)   | Formative Evaluation Method(s)                                       | Frequency of Evaluation                 |
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| Patient Care      | <b>SPECIALTY SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES</b>  |  |  |   |
|                   | Participation in multidisciplinary care for patients with thoracic malignancy   | Clinical Teaching<br>Conferences/Didactics<br>Self Directed Learning               | Focused Observation<br>Global Rating<br>360 Degree<br>Mock Oral Exam | Daily<br>Monthly<br>Monthly<br>Annually |
|                   | Placement of thoracostomy tube  | Clinical Teaching<br>Conferences/Didactics<br>Self Directed Learning               | Focused Observation<br>Global Rating<br>360 Degree<br>Mock Oral Exam | Daily<br>Monthly<br>Monthly<br>Annually |
|                   | Chest decompression for tension pneumothorax  | Clinical Teaching<br>Conferences/Didactics<br>Self Directed Learning               | Focused Observation<br>Global Rating<br>360 Degree<br>Mock Oral Exam | Daily<br>Monthly<br>Monthly<br>Annually |
|                   | Perform thoracotomy   | Clinical Teaching<br>Conferences/Didactics<br>Self Directed Learning               | Focused Observation<br>Global Rating<br>360 Degree<br>Mock Oral Exam | Daily<br>Monthly<br>Monthly<br>Annually |
|                   | Post-op care of thoracotomy patient   | Clinical Teaching<br>Conferences/Didactics<br>Self Directed Learning               | Focused Observation<br>Global Rating<br>360 Degree<br>Mock Oral Exam | Daily<br>Monthly<br>Monthly<br>Annually |
| Medical Knowledge | <b>SPECIALTY SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES</b>  |  |  |   |
|                   | Develop an understanding to diagnose and treat patients with thoracic disease: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• malignancy</li> <li>• pneumothorax, hemothorax</li> </ul> | Clinical Teaching<br>Conferences/Didactics<br>Self Directed Learning<br>Simulators | Focused Observation<br>Global Rating<br>360 Degree<br>Mock Oral Exam | Daily<br>Monthly<br>Monthly<br>Annually |

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|   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>infectious disease</li> <li>chest trauma</li> </ul>  | Journal Club  | ABSITE  | Annually                                 |
| Practice Based Learning and Improvement | <b>SPECIALTY SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES</b>  |   |   |  |
|   | See General Surgery Objectives for a comprehensive list.  |   |   |  |
|   | Develop a personal program of self-study and professional growth with guidance from the teaching staff and faculty advisor.   | Journal Club<br>Research Project<br>M & M Conference                          | Focused Observation<br>Global Rating<br>360 Degree<br>Procedure Log | Daily<br>Monthly<br>Monthly<br>Quarterly |
|   | Participate in teaching and organization of the educational conferences and activities of the Department of Surgery and assume responsibility for teaching and supervision of subordinate surgical housestaff and medical students. | Journal Club<br>Research Project<br>M & M Conference                          | Focused Observation<br>Global Rating<br>360 Degree<br>Procedure Log | Daily<br>Monthly<br>Monthly<br>Quarterly |
| Interpersonal and Communication Skills  | <b>SPECIALTY SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES</b>  |   |   |  |
|   | See General Surgery Objectives for a comprehensive list.  |   |   |  |
|   | Create and sustain a therapeutic and ethically sound relationship with patients.  | Clinical Teaching<br>Role Modeling<br>Didactics/Presentations<br>Grand Rounds | Focused Observation<br>Global Rating<br>360 Degree<br>Record Review | Daily<br>Monthly<br>Monthly<br>Quarterly |
|   | Work effectively with other members of the medical team including fellow residents and medical students.  | Clinical Teaching<br>Role Modeling<br>Didactics/Presentations<br>Grand Rounds | Focused Observation<br>Global Rating<br>360 Degree<br>Record Review | Daily<br>Monthly<br>Monthly<br>Quarterly |
|   | Maintain professional interactions with other health care providers and hospital staff.   | Clinical Teaching<br>Role Modeling<br>Didactics/Presentations<br>Grand Rounds | Focused Observation<br>Global Rating<br>360 Degree<br>Record Review | Daily<br>Monthly<br>Monthly<br>Quarterly |
| Professionalism                         | <b>SPECIALTY SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES</b>  |   |   |  |
|   | See General Surgery Objectives for a comprehensive list.  |   |   |  |
|   | Participate in compassionate patient care maintaining the highest moral and ethical values with a professional attitude.  | Clinical Teaching<br>Role Modeling<br>Ethics Lectures<br>Grand Rounds         | Focused Observation<br>Global Rating<br>360 Degree<br>Record Review | Daily<br>Monthly<br>Monthly<br>Quarterly |
|   | The resident should be sensitive to the needs and feelings of others, including the patient's family members, allied health care personnel, fellow residents, and medical students.   | Clinical Teaching<br>Role Modeling<br>Ethics Lectures<br>Grand Rounds         | Focused Observation<br>Global Rating<br>360 Degree<br>Record Review | Daily<br>Monthly<br>Monthly<br>Quarterly |
|   | Demonstrate respect, compassion, integrity in the care of   | Clinical Teaching   | Focused Observation   | Daily                                    |

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|                        | patients on a daily basis and sensitivity to patients' culture, age, and gender.     | Role Modeling<br>Ethics Lectures<br>Grand Rounds                | Global Rating<br>360 Degree<br>Record Review       | Monthly<br>Monthly<br>Quarterly |
| Systems-Based Practice | <b>SPECIALTY SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES</b>   |   |  |                                 |
|                        | See General Surgery Objectives for a comprehensive list.                             |   |  |                                 |
|                        | Understand how the health care organization affects surgical practice.               | M & M Conference<br>Multidisciplinary Conf<br>Clinical Teaching | Focused Observation<br>Global Rating<br>360 Degree | Daily<br>Monthly<br>Monthly     |
|                        | Demonstrates cost effective health care.   | M & M Conference<br>Multidisciplinary Conf<br>Clinical Teaching | Focused Observation<br>Global Rating<br>360 Degree | Daily<br>Monthly<br>Monthly     |
|                        | Partner with health care managers and allied health personnel to improve health care | M & M Conference<br>Multidisciplinary Conf<br>Clinical Teaching | Focused Observation<br>Global Rating<br>360 Degree | Daily<br>Monthly<br>Monthly     |