

## **ORTHOPAEDICS**

### **SCOPE OF PRACTICE PGY-1 – PGY-5**

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#### **PGY-1**

- Complete history and physical on each patient admitted as assigned by the attending surgeon.
- Participate in daily ward rounds.
- Assist operating surgeons and senior residents in the operating room in performing surgery under the supervision of the attending surgeon.
- Order laboratory and radiological studies on patients admitted to the inpatient service when indicated as discussed with the attending staff and senior residents on daily rounds.
- Make consultations as appropriate to the nutrition, therapy and social services for total patient care needs under the direction of the attending and senior resident housestaff.
- Establish daily treatment plans for patients on the inpatient service including the Intensive Care Units (ICU) where appropriate under the supervision of the senior residents and attending surgeons.
- Perform daily evaluation on inpatients with physical examination, review of laboratory tests and nursing records.
- Perform specific procedures under supervision as listed in the e-value list of privileges.
- Dictate discharge summaries.
- Dictate operative notes when the operating surgeon under the supervision of the attending staff.
- Communicate effectively with faculty and residents for care transitions.
- Document accurately and timely in Electronic Medical Record (EMR).

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#### **PGY-2**

- Perform daily ward work including evaluation of inpatients, including ICU patients, and assist in the operating room when required.
  - Make diagnostic and treatment plans for ICU and ward patients under the supervision of the senior residents and the attending staff.
  - Perform specific operations under the supervision of the attending surgical staff as deemed appropriate by the attending surgical staff.
  - Perform emergency department assessment and consultation services for Orthopaedic problems.
  - Perform specific procedures under supervision as listed in the e-value list of privileges.
  - Additional specific duties for each Service are listed in the Departmental Goals and Objectives.
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#### **PGY-3**

- Continue to perform Emergency and consultative services as indicated.
- Make diagnostic and treatment plans for ICU and ward patients under the supervision of the senior residents and the attending staff.
- Supervise student activities.
- Perform specific procedures under supervision as listed in the e-value list of privileges.
- Perform specific operations under the supervision of the attending surgical staff as deemed appropriate by the attending surgical staff.
- Assume responsibility for entire service when no senior resident is assigned to the service.

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#### **PGY-4**

- Establish and coordinate diagnosis and treatment plans for all patients under the supervision of the attending surgeon.
  - Lead or perform individually daily ward rounds.
  - Supervise student activities and junior housestaff.
  - Perform specific procedures under supervision as listed in the e-value list of privileges.
  - Perform specific operations under the supervision of the attending surgical staff as deemed appropriate by the attending surgical staff.
  - Additional specific duties for each Service are listed in the Departmental Goals and Objectives.
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#### **PGY-5**

- Establish and coordinate diagnosis and treatment plans for all patients under the supervision of the attending surgeon.
- Lead daily ward rounds.
- Supervise student activities and junior housestaff.
- Perform specific procedures under supervision as listed in the e-value list of privileges.
- Function as administrative chief resident when indicated.

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- Perform specific operations under the supervision of the attending surgical staff as deemed appropriate by the attending surgical staff.
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