

**RADIOLOGY DEPARTMENT
STATEMENT OF RADIOLOGY TRAINEES RESPONSIBILITIES**

The Radiology Department trainees will provide initial radiologic medical care to assigned patients in ambulatory, outpatient or inpatient settings appropriate to the trainee's experience and ability.

Radiologic patient care responsibilities assigned to trainees will be commensurate with their level of training, according to ACGME Special Requirements for the radiology training program, and the judgment of the Radiology Residency Program Director and Radiology Department Faculty.

- Where appropriate, formulate a diagnosis based on radiologic image interpretation, based on a thorough assessment of the patient's history, current condition, and needs.
- Write orders for the implementation of special radiologic procedures.
- Provide written reports and suggest consultations or other radiologic testing with physicians and other members of the multi- disciplinary health team.
- Facilitate communications regarding the diagnosis, differential, and plan of care with the patient, family, attending physician(s), and any other involved member(s) of the health team.
- Perform and/or assist in procedures according to the level appropriate to the trainee's experience and ability.
- Adhere to the duty hour regulations and policies of the School of Medicine and submit hours worked as mandated by the School and/or program.
- Participate in education, research, and patient care experiences required by the Radiology Residency Training program within which he/she is a trainee.
- Supervise and teach other trainees and medical students as appropriate.
- Adhere to the affiliated hospitals' policies and procedures for the medical staffs including the "Bylaws, Rules, and Regulations for the Medical Staff" of each hospital and the School of Medicine "Personal Information for House Staff."
- Before rotating to another assignment, complete and sign all records, reports and evaluations assigned to him/her in a timely fashion.
- Participate in institutional orientations, relevant committees, projects, and other leadership assignments and activities involving the clinical staff.
- Demonstrate the knowledge and skills necessary to provide care, based on physical, socioeconomic, psychosocial, educational, safety and related criteria, appropriate to the age of patients served in the assigned service area.
- Reflect a fundamental concern with and respect for patients' rights.
- Develop an understanding of ethical and medical/legal issues surrounding patient care, hospitals' policies governing these issues, and structures available to support ethical decision making.
- Sensitive to and apply cost containment strategies while caring for patients.
- Conduct him/herself professionally, ethically, and personally in a manner consistent with the standards and aims of the medical staff of the affiliated hospitals and the School of Medicine.
- Develop and participate in a personal program of self-study and professional growth with guidance from the teaching staff.
- Participate in the evaluation of the program and its faculty.