

LOYOLA MEDICINE
RESIDENT HANDBOOK
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F.1. Introduction

1. Loyola residents must meet the qualifications for resident eligibility as outlined in the Essentials of Accredited Residencies in Graduate Medical Education published in the American Medical Association's *Graduate Medical Education Directory*.
2. As the position of resident involves a combination of supervised, progressively more complex and independent patient evaluation and management functions and formal educational activities, the competency of the resident is evaluated on a regular basis.
3. The position of the resident entails the provision of care commensurate with the level of advancement and competence, under the general supervision of appropriately privileged attending teaching staff.

F.2. General Statement of Resident Duties

1. To initiate and follow a personal program of professional growth in conjunction with the formal educational and training of the post graduate program sponsored by Loyola by participating in compassionate, appropriate and cost effective patient care. Skills demonstrated should be commensurate with the level of training and responsibility.
2. Participation in the educational activities of the program and, as required, assume responsibility for teaching and supervising other residents and medical students by making daily rounds.

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GENERAL RESIDENT PRIVILEGES**

Within the scope of the training program, all residents without exception will function under the supervision of a staff practitioner. The training program will be structured to encourage and permit residents to assume increasing levels of responsibility commensurate with their individual progress in experience, skill, knowledge, and judgment. Each service must adhere to current accreditation requirements set forth by the ACGME or other corresponding accrediting bodies, for all matters pertaining to the training program. Resident advancement indicates the ability to perform procedures appropriate to that PGY level. Documentation of a resident's ability by way of evaluations will be filled in the resident's record or folder, maintained in the office of the relevant service chief or posted on the intranet where possible. * Assignment to Limited or Full Privileges in Surgery is based on information submitted by the departments to the operating room on an annual basis.

RESIDENT PRIVILEGES	PGY I	PGY II	PGY III	PGY IV	PGY V
	<p>HOSPITAL</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 'All residents may place patient classification orders for admission to a supervising attending physicians service. 'Responsible for history and physical, assessment, problem list, formulation of a diagnostic plan. 'Responsible for admission notes. 'Responsible for clinical and lab studies of his/her patients. 'Responsible for progress reports on patients. 'Responsible for initial clinical and lab studies of patients. <p>EMERG ROOM</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 'Initial eval of ER patients not seriously ill. <p>SURGERY</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 'Knowledge of anatomy and literature related to procedure being performed. 'Limited privileges for invasive procedures in ER, OR, ICU, Floor with Attending present in OR. 	<p>HOSPITAL</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 'Supervision of interns & medical students. 'Responsible for specific details of patient care. 'Develops expertise in general hospital consultation service. 'Responsible for wider spectrum of patients. 'Organization of attending rounds. 'Conducts P.M. chart rounds. <p>EMERG ROOM</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 'Initial eval and follow up care of all ER patients. 'Treatment of minor injuries. <p>SURGERY*</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 'Limited privileges. 'Develop surgical skill in soft tissue dissection and wound closure. 'Limited privileges for invasive procedures with Attending present in OR. 	<p>HOSPITAL</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 'Responsible for overall organization of service. 'Primary decision-maker with faculty supervision on continuity clinics. 'Leads work rounds with team. 'Responsible for counter signing of medical records by junior residents. 'Instructs procedural techniques during daily activities. <p>EMERG ROOM</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 'Responsible for review and disposition of ER patients. <p>SURGERY*</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 'Limited privileges. 'Invasive procedures with Attending present in OR. 	<p>HOSPITAL</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 'Senior resident serve as professional role model and instructor for residents and students in all phases of clinical activity. 'Ultimate responsibility for maintaining the organization and function of the service. 'Ability to appraise the professional and scientific literature. <p>EMERG ROOM</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 'Conducts and assessment of an ER situation and utilizes appropriate crisis intervention. <p>SURGERY*</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 'Limited privileges. 'Develop surgical skill in aspect of related field. 'To assist at all surgical procedures and will be either 2nd or 1st assist with Attending present in OR. 	<p>HOSPITAL</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 'Responsible for direct patient care of all patients. 'Responsibility to notify on-call attending of all invasive procedures. 'Responsible for diagnosis and treatment in areas of subspecialization. 'Develops own continuity patients to follow. <p>EMERG ROOM</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 'Supervises and provides preliminary interpretation for cases. <p>SURGERY*</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 'Full/limited privileges with Attending present in OR. 'Functions as a teaching assistance.

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