

## Scope of Practice

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### UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH FLORIDA INTERVENTIONAL CARDIOLOGY FELLOWSHIP SCOPE OF PRACTICE DIRECTOR OF PROGRAM JOHN THOMPSON SULLEBARGER, M.D.

This document pertains to interventional fellow rotations at Tampa General Hospital and the James A Haley Veteran's Hospital. This program is part of the Interventional Cardiology training program in the Cardiology Program at the University of South Florida. All ACGME and JCAHO guidelines pertaining to graduate medical education apply to this rotation.

In keeping with ACGME and JCAHO guidelines, the faculty and program director are responsible for providing fellows with direct experience in progressive responsibility for patient management. All patient care at TGH provided by fellows will be provided under direct or indirect faculty supervision. Supervision must be documented in the medical record in accordance with Interventional Cardiology at the University of South Florida compliance guidelines.

Activities performed *without direct supervision* require access to the supervisory physician for communication and physical access *within 30 minutes*. Activities performed with direct supervision require presence of the supervisory physician. Residents are authorized to perform any activity assigned while under direct supervision. **Final interpretation of all diagnostic and therapeutic studies requires direct supervision.** Fellows at each postgraduate year of training, while not limited to the following activities, are specifically allowed to do these without direct supervision. This document may be modified by the program director based on additions to the training program.

#### **PGY 7**

##### *WITHOUT Direct Supervision*

###### *Residents Shall:*

- 1) *Do pertinent history and physical examination and develop diagnostic and therapeutic plans for:*
  - a. *Ambulatory*
  - b. *Hospitalized patients with unknown or newly diagnosed cardiologic disorders*
- 2) *Provide ongoing care for ambulatory patients with cardiac disease*
- 3) *Recognize and provide proper management for cardiac emergencies*
- 4) *Provide post procedure care to patients who have undergone interventional procedures*
- 5) *Recognize and provide proper management for any post procedure complications*
- 6) *Discuss diagnosis, prognosis, diagnostic testing, therapeutic considerations and alternatives, supportive care, end-of life issues, and psychosocial issues with patients who have cardiac disorders, and with their family members or significant others where appropriate*
- 7) *Provide consults to physicians in other specialties, regarding cardiac problems of their patients*
- 8) *Prepare informal and formal educational presentations for residents, subspecialty fellows and faculty on cardiology topics*
- 9) *Develop a plan for a research project*

#### **PGY 7**

##### *WITH Direct Supervision*

###### *Residents Shall:*

- 1) *Learn proper techniques for performing*
  - a. *Coronary Interventions*
  - b. *Interventions for Valvular Disease*
  - c. *Interventions for Congenital and Structural Heart Disease*

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- d. *Interventions for Peripheral Vascular Disease*
- 2) *Learn proper interpretation of cardiac diagnostic studies, including*
  - a. *Cardiac fluoroscopy and angiography*
  - b. *Cardiac, intracardiac and intravascular ultrasound examination*
  - c. *Vascular pressure wire and fractional flow reserve measurements*
  - d. *Introductory understanding of cardiac CT Angiographic and Magnetic Resonance Angiography*
- 3) *Participate in at least one research project which will result in submission of a scholarly abstract, manuscript or case report*

Signature:

Director of Program

