University of South Florida Allergy/Immunology Fellowship Scope of Practice Director of Program Mark Ballow, MD

This document pertains to fellow rotations at Johns Hopkins All Children's Hospital. This program is part of the fellowship training program in Pediatric Allergy/Immunology/Rheumatology 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 All Children's Hospital provided by fellows will be provided under direct or indirect faculty supervision. Supervision must be documented in the medical record in accordance with Pediatric Allergy/Immunology/Rheumatology 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 4WITHOUT Direct Supervision

Residents Shall:

- 1) Do pertinent history and physical examination & develop diagnostic and therapeutic plans for:
 - a. Ambulatory
 - b. Hospitalized patients with unknown or newly diagnosed allergic, immunologic, and rheumatologic diseases.
- Provide ongoing care for ambulatory patients with allergic, immunologic, and rheumatologic diseases.
- 3) Take day and evening call.
- 4) Provide proper documentation on charts, dictation, discharge summaries, and legal consents
- 5) Participation in teaching and work rounds as scheduled by supervising physicians
- 6) Conduct triages and determine medical disposition for patient phone calls as received
- 7) Conduct IRB-approved research related to patients
- 8) Review laboratory and radiology test results
- 9) Learn proper techniques for performing

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- a) Chemotherapy and immunomodulatory therapy for immunodeficiency, allergy, and autoimmune diseases: IVIG, cyclophosphamide, glucocorticosteroids, omalizumab, cytokine and anti-cytokine infusions
- b) Pulmonary function tests
- c) Allergy skin testing, immediate and delayed
- d) Immunotherapy
- e) Physical urticaria testing
- f) Patch testing
- g) Drug challenge
- h) Drug desensitization
- i) Food challenge
- j) Exhaled nitric oxide tests
- K) Skin biopsy
- 10) Recognize and provide proper management for allergic, immunologic, rheumatologic emergencies
- 11) Recognize and manage anaphylaxis
- 12) Provide consults to physicians in other specialties, regarding allergic, immunologic, rheumatologic problems of their patients
- 13) Discuss diagnosis, prognosis, diagnostic testing, therapeutic considerations and alternatives, supportive care, end-of-life issues, and psychosocial issues with patients who have allergic, immunologic, and rheumatologic disorders
- 14) Prepare informal and formal educational seminars for medical students, residents, subspecialty fellows and faculty on allergic, immunologic, and rheumatologic topics
- 15) Develop a plan for a research project

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PGY 5

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Residents Shall:

- 1) Includes PGY4 above
- 2) Increase skills in:
 - a. diagnostic and therapeutic knowledge
 - b. procedural skills

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- c. consulting
- d. patient care supervisory skills
- e. teaching skills
- 3) Will also:
 - a. actively work on at least 1 research project
 - b. develop increasing levels of independence in carrying out clinical and educational responsibilities.

PGY 5

WITH Direct Supervision

Same as PGY 4.

PGY 6

WITHOUT Direct Supervision

Same as PGY 5.

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Signature: Director of Program