PATHOLOGY AND LABORATORY MEDICINE

SCOPE OF PRACTICE
PGY-1 – PGY-4

PGY-1

- Develops a broad understanding of anatomic and clinical pathology including surgical pathology, autopsy pathology and the fundamentals of laboratory medicine
- Practices under the Scope of Privileges applicable to each service
- Performs the duties pertaining to each individual service
- Develop technical skills necessary to perform and interpret examination of gross specimens and frozen section specimens under supervision of attending physician
- Dictate and signout surgical and hematopathology pathology reports under supervision of attending physician
- Develop technical skills necessary to perform bone marrow biopsies under supervision of attending physician
- Develop technical skills necessary to perform and interpret autopsy examination under supervision of attending physician
- Develop competency in basic transfusion medicine and provide consultations for the transfusion medicine service
- Participate in all teaching conferences and medical student teaching (2nd year seminar tutorial, 3rd year selective, and 4th year elective)

PGY-2 & PGY-3

- Develops a more detailed understanding of anatomic and clinical pathology appropriate for the second and third year of post graduate training
- Practices under the Scope of Privileges applicable to each service
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SCOPE OF PRACTICE
PGY-1 – PGY-4

- Performs the duties pertaining to each individual service
- Refine technical skills necessary to perform and interpret examination of gross specimens, frozen section specimens, autopsy examinations under supervision of attending physician
- Dictate and signout surgical, autopsy, hematopathology, molecular, cytogenetic, transfusion medicine, immunopathology, and chemistry pathology reports under supervision of attending physician
- Develop competency in all areas of laboratory medicine and provide consultations for all services
- Participate in all teaching conferences and medical student teaching (2nd year seminar tutorial, 3rd year selective, and 4th year elective)
- Develop competency in principles of practice based learning and improvement by participation in departmental QA/QI initiatives

PGY-4

- Develops a more detailed understanding of anatomic and clinical pathology appropriate for the fourth year of post graduate training including mastering of the various subspecialties
- Practices under the Scope of Privileges applicable to each service
- Performs the duties pertaining to each individual service
- Supervise junior residents during daily work and have a major role in the training of the first year residents
- Develop competency in systems based practice by directing the work-up of clinical problems efficiently, economically and expeditiously

For information regarding this scope of practice, please contact:
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Updated on 01/17/2018
Assume responsibility for interdepartmental conferences (tumor boards)

Participate in all teaching conferences and medical student teaching (2nd year seminar tutorial, 3rd year selective, and 4th year elective)