

CCU Rotation Guide

Rotation Specific In-Patient Clinical Responsibilities:

- Residents are expected to report to the CCU work area (central room on T1/HLU) for sign-out (@1800) on the day prior to the start of their rotation unless their assigned schedule does not allow (eg. vacation, post-call, off-site, etc.)
 - if unable to attend it is the responsibility of the resident to obtain sign-out from the prior team
- CCU (HLU TS) patients will be covered by the resident team up to the team limit (5 per intern)
- If team limit is reached PRIOR to rounds, the list should be cut in discussion with the teaching attending
 - Patient's beyond the team limit that are cut from the teaching list will be seen by the clinical fellow who is responsible for writing notes, placing orders, and rounding on these patients with the teaching attending
- Residents may be asked to see a non-teaching patient in an emergent scenario and they should communicate with the fellow or attending regarding that patient to staff

Rotation Specific Scenarios and Duties:

- Senior residents and interns will rotate daytime call responsibility (holding the pager) and respond to:
 - CODE STEMI – in the hospital and ED
 - CODE BLUE – in the ICU tower
- For NSTEMI, a GRACE score should be calculated and documented in the notes. P2Y12 inhibitors should not be given before cath unless they are already on one, are not a candidate for CT surgery, or the attending has specifically requested it be given
- Cardiology Conference attendance is expected every Friday 0700-0800 in Pods DEF

To Complete Prior to Rotation:

- Verify other academic responsibilities (MKSAP, CSA, SIM, etc.)
- Confirm that you are not scheduled to cover another resident's in-basket
- Any vacations or obligations that will result in days away from rotation should be communicated to the contact person for the rotation (unforeseen absences should be communicated to the clinical fellow in addition to the IM chief resident)

Rotation Contact(s) and Location:

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Daily Schedule:

- 0600-1830 is the typical daily schedule
- Residents are not to leave from their clinical responsibilities until the end of their scheduled shift and cannot be dismissed by other residents
- 1800-0630 is the typical night coverage schedule