

8th Floor Operating Room

Basic Unit Description:

The 8th floor Perioperative Services Division provides comprehensive care to patients aged fourteen and older throughout all phases of surgical intervention. In addition to general surgery, surgical specialties offered include: cardiothoracic, neurosurgery, , orthopedics, gynecology, gyn oncology, otolaryngology, plastic surgery, and urology. A multidisciplinary approach, consistent with the hospital mission is employed to assure commitment to patient quality care, patient dignity, individuality, and confidentiality. Four teams including a Cardiothoracic Team, an Orthopedics Team, a General Vascular Team, and a Neurosurgery/ENT Team are dedicated to the care and operation of the OR.

Of Beds:

13 Suite OR

Equipment Used

State of the art equipment in all specialties including the da Vinci robot, Ventricular Assist Devices and MIS (minimally invasive surgery).

Support/Structure of the Unit:

Director, Day and Evening Operations Managers, 4 team-dedicated Clinical Service Line Managers, RNs, Surgical Techs, and orderlies support the unit. Training includes an individualized orientation by unit staff and 8-12 week Preceptorship that will provide education in your designated area of service.

Shift(s):

A variety of 8, 10 or 12-hour shifts are available EXCLUDING 7p-7a and 11p-7a. The schedule is done in 6-week blocks.

Rotation:

All staff rotate shifts. Rotation occurs approximately one week out of 6-12 weeks.

Call:

Full time employees take approximately ten 8 hour shifts of call per 6 week schedule. Call is prorated for part time employees (additional compensation for on-call hours).

Qualifications/Experience Necessary:

- PA RN license REQUIRED
- 1 year of previous OR experience REQUIRED or completion of a Perioperative course

Miscellaneous: Why is this best unit in the hospital to work?

- Opportunity to work closely within a designated service: Cardiothoracic Team, Orthopedics Team, General Vascular Team, Neurosurgery/ENT Team.
- Great opportunity for advancement into front line management
- Level I Trauma Center
- Teaching hospital on the forefront of new procedural techniques and state of the art technology.