

ORAL & MAXILLOFACIAL SURGERY ROTATION

STUDENT EXPECTATIONS

1. NAME BADGES:

- To be worn while on rotation so that we can get to know you on a first name basis. White coats are to be worn on rounds and throughout the hospital.

2. TRIAGE:

- Students are expected to perform focused H&Ps on walk-in patients (See Attached)
- Students are expected to follow each patient they triage from H&P to extraction to maintain continuity of care
- Patients with an outstanding balance need to pay their balance in full before they are treated
- Patients with an infection are to be seen by a resident regardless of their outstanding balance

3. PATIENT MANAGEMENT:

- Students are expected to present their patient to either a resident or faculty member (H&P Format)
- Students are expected to inform the resident or faculty member about how many extractions they have done
- Students are expected to attempt extraction for a reasonable period of time (10min) prior to asking for resident help
- Students are expected to set up and clean their rooms when finished
- Students are expected to inform a resident or faculty member after tooth extraction
- Students are expected to counsel the patient with respect to post-operative instructions
- Students are expected to write an Operative Note after extractions (See Attached)

4. STUDENT EDUCATION:

- Students are expected to attend their regular dental school classes and engagements
- Students are expected to attend any OMFS lectures that they are available for
- Students are expected to observe residents and faculty both in clinic and the OR

5. PRE-SURGICAL EVALUATIONS:

- Students are expected to have an updated H&P with their assessments and plans to patient management
- Students are expected to provide any pertinent information with respect to the surgery (models, x-rays, etc.)
- Students are encouraged to perform evaluations when patients are at the dental school (student clinic or OMFS clinic) to save time for the patient

6. IMMEDIATE DENTURE PLACEMENT:

- Students are expected to place the denture and have restorative faculty coverage
- Students are expected to show up 15 minutes prior to surgery to setup the room