

PROGRAM GOALS

- A) The resident will develop the ability to rapidly evaluate the emergent and non-emergent patient and initiate and organize a treatment plan.
- B) The resident will organize and record data (e.g., history, physical examination, diagnostic techniques, procedures, and appropriate therapy).
- C) The resident will know the principles of continuity of care as they apply to Emergency treatment.
- D) The resident will understand modalities of treatment under controlled conditions in the medical intensive care, coronary intensive care, and surgical intensive care units.
- E) The resident will understand expected risks involved arising from therapy as well as the condition being treated with an understanding of associated ethical and legal principles.
- F) The resident will understand the principles of preventive medicine.
- G) The resident will incorporate the application of osteopathic diagnostic and therapeutic principles as they relate to the management of Emergency patients, recognizing a holistic approach.
- H) The resident will understand Emergency Medical Services (EMS) system management including:
 - (1) Emergency Department organization, administration, academics, research, and quality improvement
 - (2) Forensic medicine and medicolegal problems
 - (3) Community relations, including dealing with the news media
 - (4) Community ground and air services.
 - (5) Mass casualty management and coordination for the hospital and community
 - (6) Education and training of allied health personnel.
- I) The resident will develop professional leadership and management skills.
- J) The resident will be able to locate, appraise, and utilize scientific evidence related to their patient's health problems and the larger population from which

they are drawn and to apply knowledge of study design and statistical methods to critically appraise the medical literature.

- K) The resident will exercise ethical decision making on a daily basis.
- L) The resident will demonstrate proficiency in the psychomotor skills required of a competent Emergency physician.
- M) The resident will develop interpersonal and communications skills that result in effective information exchange and learning with patients, their families, and other health professionals.
- N) The resident will have a sensitivity and responsiveness to a diverse patient population and will be responsive to his/her patients' culture, age, gender, or disabilities.
- O) The resident will perform those procedures and practices germane to a modern, progressive Emergency physician.
- P) The resident will have a broad understanding of the role of Emergency Medicine as it relates to other medical specialties.
- Q) The resident will have an awareness of the healthcare system and be able to effectively mobilize system resources to provide optimal care to Emergency patients.
- R) The resident will develop the skills necessary to promote lifelong learning in medical education.
- S) The resident will know methods and practices which will promote longevity in the field of Emergency Medicine and a healthy personal and professional lifestyle.
- T) The resident, upon completion of the program, will be prepared to meet the certification requirements of the AOA through AOBEM.