UD Pre-med Students Information Sheet

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On the morning of your observation experience at Miami Valley Hospital, stop at the Information Desk. Inform the receptionist that you are a UD student here to observe and are expected in department “xyz”. Ask the receptionist to please call the department to announce your arrival. You may then proceed to the department once you have been given directions. See “MVH Locations” for specifics.

MVH Locations:

1. Main Entrance Lobby - 1st floor
2. Bathrooms - 1st floor
3. Food - 1st floor & Ground level
4. Library - 3rd floor
5. Endoscopy - 1st floor. Contact is Elizabeth Eickman 208-4230
6. Heart/Vascular Procedures - 2nd floor- SouthEast Addition. Contact is Lou Walker 208-7817 or Ann Burnett 208-8550
7. Interventional Radiology - 2nd floor-Main Hospital. Contact is Heather Vocke 208-3936 & Cindy Carroll 208- 4508
8. Emergency and Trauma -1st floor. Directions: Go to the Green Station and check in with the shift manager. Contact is Julie Hamilton 208-7896.

Parking:

Park in the main parking garage. Parking is $3.

Tips for success:

1. Meet in MVH Main entrance & go to front desk for directions to clinical areas.
2. Be sure to dress in compliance with the information in the Orientation Brochure.
3. It is important that you eat a substantial breakfast or lunch and have had plenty of fluids as you may be standing for a long time or garbed up in specific clinical attire in which you could become overheated.

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4. If you begin to feel unwell at any time, sit down immediately and notify your preceptor. If the only place to sit, is on the floor, then sit on the floor until you feel better.

5. If you are unable to attend due to illness or an emergency, notify Yolanda as soon as possible by text message (937-344-0012).

6. Communicate any feedback to Yolanda & Dr. Simon so that your clinical experience can be meaningful.

7. Remember that this is an observation experience only. Patients always come first during your experience at MVH. Please ask questions between patients or when appropriate.

8. Patients may decline having you in the room when they are being examined or a procedure is being done. If this happens to you, politely excuse yourself and wait where your preceptor tells you to.

9. Wash your hands before and after exiting a patient room.

Student Observation goals:

1. To observe physicians, nurses, and techs for Interventional Procedures which include comprehensive diagnostic and therapeutic procedures including neuro and vascular angiography. Interventions such as stent placement, embolization, angioplasty, nephrostomy, biliary drainage and related urinary & biliary interventional procedures. Brain aneurysm coiling, vertebroplasty, lumbar puncture under fluoroscopy, myelograms and interventional oncology procedures along with other interventional invasive procedures.

2. To observe physicians, nurses, and techs for Endoscopic Procedures which include comprehensive diagnostic and therapeutic procedures. Examples of these procedures include EGD, Colonoscopy, ERCP, EUS, EBUS (Ultrasound-guided Bronchoscope), Motility, Bronchoscopy, Liver Biopsy, Thoracentesis, pH studies, PEG, paracentesis and other interventional/diagnostic services.

3. To observe physicians, nurses, and techs for Heart Vascular Procedures (Cardiac Cath Lab) that include comprehensive diagnostic and therapeutic procedures.

4. To observe the physicians, nurses and others in the Emergency and Trauma department who are providing care to patients requiring emergency care due to trauma or illness.