DIAGNOSTIC RADIOLOGY ROTATION PLAN

NAME OF ROTATION: Cardiology

FOCUS OF THIS ROTATION

• The purpose of this rotation is to equip first year trainees with the knowledge and clinical experience to effectively recognize and stabilize patients with acute cardiac disorders. During this rotation, residents will be responsible for the management of patients admitted to the in-patient cardiology service. In addition to on-call responsibilities, residents will carry-out consultations in the emergency department. Residents may be given the opportunity to participate in outpatient cardiology clinics.

CBD stage(s) for this rotation:

TTD

Length of this rotation:

• 1 block

PGY Level(s) for this rotation:

PGY1

Locations for rotation:

- MSH
- SHSC
- SMH
- UHN-TWH

Required clinical training experiences included in this rotation (From RTE document)

- TTD 1.2 Clinical medicine
 - o TTD 1.2.5.7 Other medical subspecialty

Other training experiences that may be included in this rotation

- TTD 2.1 & 2.3 Orientation and formal instruction during AHD
- RadPrimer PGY1 TTD Cardiology readings

	EPAs Mapped to this rotation:	Total # of Entrustments expected, or encouraged, on this rotation	Total # entrustments expected in TTD stage (opportunities in 10 blocks)
1.	TTD 4 Identifying and assessing unstable patients, providing initial management, and obtaining help	0-1	5
2.	TTD 5 Assessing patients with common medical or surgical presentations	1-2	7
3.	TTD 6 Working effectively as a member of the interprofessional team	0-1	3

	Other assessments during this rotation: Tool Location / Platform (e.g. POWER, Entrada):	
1.	ITAR	POWER
2.	Radprimer Quizzes	RadPrimer

	Key Objectives for this Rotation:	CanMEDS Role(s):
	By the end of the rotation the resident should be able to	
1.	Perform an accurate and detailed history and physical examination to elicit	Medical Expert
	details of common cardiac disorders.	
2.	Correlate relevant pathophysiology to the ordering and interpretation of	Medical Expert
	laboratory and imaging investigations commonly used in the assessment of	
	cardiac disorders.	
3.	Demonstrate an understanding of the indications for and limitations of	Medical Expert
	echocardiography, cardiac stress testing and cardiac catheterization.	
4.	Interpret electrocardiograms accurately.	Medical Expert
5.	Effectively manage acute cardiac disorders.	Medical Expert
6.	Demonstrate a patient-centered approach to and evidence-informed rationale	Medical Expert
	for the management of common chronic cardiac disorders.	·
7.	Engage patients and their families in developing plans that reflect the patient's	Communicator
	health care needs and goals of care.	
8.	Effectively collaborate with other health care professionals and medical staff	Collaborator
	to coordinate the patient's care.	