TTD-4 Identifying and assessing unstable patients, providing initial management, and obtaining help

Transition to Discipline (TTD) constitutes your PGY1 (13 blocks). Residents should aim to log a minimum of 2 EPAs per week.

Criteria:
1. Residents are responsible for completing a minimum of 5 (-five) TTD4 EPA’s.
2. Residents should aim to complete 5 entrustable TTD4 over the course of the rotations listed below (mandatory minimum of 1 for Internal Medicine CTU, Emergency Medicine and General Surgery).
3. To be completed by faculty member, fellow, or senior resident.

Dimensions:
1. This EPA includes recognizing serious, life-threatening, or critical illness and providing initial investigation and management.
2. An important aspect of this EPA is the timely recognition of the need for additional assistance and/or notification to the attending physician.

Rotations to Complete this EPA include:
- Cardiology
- Emergency Medicine (1 required)
- General Surgery (1 required)
- Internal Medicine (1 required)
- Neurology
- Obstetrical Medicine & Gynecology
- Orthopedic Surgery
- Paediatrics
- Respirology
- Urology

How to Complete an EPA:
1. Login to Elentra, initiate the EPA and provide the assessment demographics. This can be done on your mobile phone or computer.
2. Complete the assessment scale for each dimension.
3. Using the global entrustment scale below, decide whether the resident can be entrustable (Competent and Proficient) overall to perform this activity with a similar case in the future. In general, residents are not expected to be entrustable early in a new stage of training.
4. Discuss feedback and attain coaching tips.

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Additional Resources:
- CBD Terminology
- Elentra User Guide
- Feedback and Coaching tips

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