



Delineation Of Privileges
Neurosurgery

Provider Name:

Privilege	Requested	Deferred	Approved
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NEUROSURGERY PRIVILEGES:

Criteria - New Applicants or Current Staff Members: Board Certification or current participation in examination process leading to certification by the American Board of Neurosurgery.

Criteria - Current Staff Members Only: Successful completion of an ACGME or AOA approved training program OR demonstration of acceptable practice in the privileges being requested for a minimum of five (5) years.

Proctoring Requirements: A minimum of eight (8) cases in accordance with the Medical Staff Proctoring Protocol.

GENERAL PRIVILEGES:

Admit patients ___

Consultation **ONLY** Privileges ___

Surgical Assist **ONLY** ___

Sedation analgesia ___

Criteria: Requires successful completion of the Sedation Assessment Test.

Additional criteria effective April 1, 2015: a) Evidence of current ACLS and/or PALS certification from the American Heart Association; AND b) Evidence of completion of an Airway Management Course.

a) Adult Sedation ___

b) Pediatric Sedation (17 years and under) ___

Restraint and Seclusion ___

Criteria: Requires successful completion of the Restraint and Seclusion Assessment Test.

CATEGORY 1 - NEUROSURGERY PRIVILEGES:

Includes the management and coordination of care, treatment and services, including: Medical history and physical examination, consultations and prescribing medications in accordance with the DEA certificate.

(* Denotes including but not limited to)

CRANIAL/SKULL BASE:

Scalp/skull procedures ___



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Stereotactic/percutaneous procedures (*ablation, biopsy, stimulator, depth electrodes, image guidance)	—	—	—
Burr holes	—	—	—
Craniotomy/craniectomy (*tumor, trauma, clot, vascular, transphenoidal procedures)	—	—	—
CSF diversion (*ventriculostomy, ventriculoperitoneal shunt)	—	—	—
<u>SKIN/MUSCLE:</u>			
Repair, incision & drainage, biopsy	—	—	—
<u>VASCULAR:</u>			
Extracranial cervical vascular procedures (*carotid and vertebral artery, exposure, ligation, repair, endarterectomy)	—	—	—
Harvesting vein or artery grafts	—	—	—
<u>SPINE (Cervical, Thoracic, Lumbar, and Sacral):</u>			
Traction/halo vest	—	—	—
Percutaneous procedures (*lumbar puncture, cerebrospinal fluid drainage, therapeutic injection, bone biopsy)	—	—	—
Vertebroplasty/Kyphoplasty	—	—	—
Laminectomy	—	—	—
Discectomy	—	—	—
Vertebrectomy	—	—	—
Fusion	—	—	—
Instrumentation	—	—	—



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Dura, spinal cord, and spinal nerve root procedures	—	—	—
Pain pumps, neurostimulators, bone growth stimulators	—	—	—
<u>PERIPHERAL NERVE:</u>			
Repair (*harvesting, grafting)	—	—	—
Injection	—	—	—
Biopsy	—	—	—
Decompression (*median nerve, ulnar nerve)	—	—	—
Tumor excision	—	—	—
Stimulator (*vagal nerve stimulator)	—	—	—

CATEGORY 2 - ADVANCED NEURO-ENDOVASCULAR PRIVILEGES:

Criteria: Applicants must have completed an ACGME approved residency program in Neurosurgery; AND either a two-year ACGME approved fellowship program in Interventional Neuro-Endovascular training OR equivalent training and experience. Fellowship training must include at least six (6) months of cognitive neuroscience training AND experience in performance of the procedures listed below on the privilege sheet.

Proctoring Requirements: Proctoring is required for a minimum of ten (10) cases as the primary surgeon. Must be proctored by a member of the HH Medical Staff with privileges in Neuroendovascular surgery.

Competency Requirements: The practitioner must have performed at least ten (10) neuroendovascular procedures per year. The cases may have been performed at another facility and the ten (10) cases may include any one of the procedures listed below on the privilege sheet.

CATEGORY 2 - ADVANCED NEURO-ENDOVASCULAR PRIVILEGES:

Carotid artery balloon test occlusion	—	—	—
Endovascular therapy of aneurysms	—	—	—
External carotid artery (ECA) embolization	—	—	—
Cerebral arteriovenous malformations (AVMS)	—	—	—



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Head, neck, and brain tumor embolization	___	___	___
Intra-arterial thrombolysis and mechanical thrombectomy	___	___	___
Mechanical and pharmacologic Rx of vasospasm	___	___	___
Arteriovenous fistula (AVF) of the central nervous system (CNS)	___	___	___
Brachiocephalic angiography and stenting	___	___	___

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF THE PRACTITIONER:

I have requested only those privileges for which my education, training, current experience, and demonstrated performance I am qualified to perform, and that I wish to exercise at Huntington Hospital, and I understand that: a) in exercising my clinical privileges granted, I am constrained by hospital and medical staff policies and rules applicable generally and any applicable to the particular situation; b) any restriction on the clinical privileges granted to me is waived in an emergency situation and in such a situation my actions are governed by the applicable section of the Medical Staff Bylaws or related documents.

Signature of Applicant: _____ **Date:** _____

DEPARTMENT CHAIR RECOMMENDATIONS

I have reviewed the requested clinical privileges and supportive documentation for the above named applicant and recommend action on the privileges as noted above.

Applicant may perform privileges and procedures as indicated: ___ YES ___ NO

Exceptions/Limitations (Please specify): _____

APPROVALS:

Section Chair: _____ **Date:** _____

Department Chair: _____ **Date:** _____

Credential Committee Date: _____

Medical Executive Committee Date: _____

Board of Directors Approved on: _____

Revised: 10/25/2012; 02/08/2013; 05/23/2013; 10/30/2014