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**Ochsner Medical Center – North Shore**

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**Clinical Site Coordinator:**

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**Orientation to Clinical Site**

When you get assigned to this clinical site, call or email **Lance Olivier, CRNA** to introduce yourself and let him know your start date. Print all forms in the Clinical Site Handbook for the Ochsner North Shore rotation. Have all forms filled out and present them to **Lance Olivier, CRNA** on your first day. Call **Lance Olivier, CRNA** the week before your rotation starts to confirm that you will bring all forms and ask if there is anything else needed.

* Directions (from New Orleans) – I-10 East to Gause Boulevard. Take a right after exiting, and go down approximately 1 ½ blocks. The hospital will be on the left.
* Directions (from I-12 and Hwy 190) – Take I-12 east to Slidell for 23 miles, take exit 85A toward I-10 W/New Orleans, Take the Gause Blvd exit, take a left at the light on Gause Blvd. Hospital is 0.4 miles on the left.
* Parking – SRNAs should park behind outpatient registration which is on the right side of the hospital, next to the ER.
* There are 7 ORs and a cystoscopy suite, located on the 2nd floor.
* Upon entering the hospital, go past the Information Desk, staying to the right (you will actually be in the back of Radiology.)  Continue on through the double doors and stay to the right.  Follow the yellow and red strips on the floor to get to the first set of elevators
* Upon exiting the elevator, go towards the right to the double doors.  The Code to enter is, “1-0-0-4\*”.  The OR/pre-op holding area will be on your left, and the OR desk will be straight ahead.  Go right at the OR desk, and the Anesthesia office will be the first door on the right.
* **Note:**  The surgery schedule/assignment board is directly across from the OR desk.
* Equipment Needed – Earpiece, ID, stethoscope, and lab coat
* There is a cafeteria on the 1st floor.  Look for the main elevators, and there will be signs to the cafeteria from there.
* **Codes:** OR entrance 1004\*

Anesthesia workroom: 0123

**Experiences Available to the SRNA**

* Some thoracotomy cases (DLT & fiber optics), vascular, GYN, neuro (mainly spine, limited intracranial cases), urology, pediatrics (many opportunities across the street in Ambulatory Surgery Center), orthopedics, and regional (only Bier blocks and subarachnoid blocks).

**Patient Assignments**

* Day 1: the SRNA should arrive at 0615 to meet the CRNAs working that day, and to familiarize themselves with their surroundings.  **The shift ends when your preceptor or clinical coordinator dismisses you.**
* The schedule for the day will already be posted on the OR board.
* SRNAs are offered the opportunity to view the surgery schedule for the following day and sign up for whatever cases they would like to do.

**Clinical Rotations**

**0630-1430 Shift**

* The SRNA should get to the hospital by 0630.  Your shift ends when your preceptor or clinical coordinator dismisses you.
* Once your assignment is chosen, write your name on the OR board then go set up your room for the day.
* The controlled substances are now obtained by preceptors only from an Omni cell machine. Students do not have access to the Pyxis and must obtain controlled substances from preceptors. However, there are medication boxes located in the workroom which contain needed non-controlled anesthesia drugs, to include Propofol and Etomidate.
* Proceed to pre-op holding which is to the left of the OR desk behind the double glass doors.
* Most patients are pre-oped and consented by the MDA, however, the SRNA should check that all the appropriate paperwork is in order, and that the OR nurse has completed his/her interview.
* **Note:** Any patient that you administer Versed to, ***must*** be placed on pulse oximetry.

**Additional Information**

LSUHSC Student Services will send all attestation forms needed for you to start your rotation to **Linda Lambert** at Ochsner main campus. Her contact information is below. Contact Linda Lambert if there are any issues with paperwork being sent to Ochsner North Shore for your rotation.

***Linda Lambert***

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Laura Martin {(985) 646-5851} is the Director of Education at Ochsner North Shore but she does not handle the attestation forms or student rotations.

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