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**Anesthesia Office: (504) 349-2323**

**Orientation to Clinical Site**

* Because SRNAS are commuting from various cities and states, it is recommended that the SRNA visit a map site for directions from their home to the hospital.
* Parking- Park in the parking garage in visitors parking on the 4th floor or park in the rock parking lot behind Rite Aid.
* Upon arriving and parking proceed to the 1st floor of the garage and go through double doors into hospital and on to the main elevators (by the flower shop) and go up to the 2nd floor.
* There are 10 ORS located on the 2nd floor.
* You need to call Suzanne before you start your clinical rotation and let her know you are coming.
* On your first day you will proceed to the Anesthesia Office where you will get a brief orientation and then jump in and start doing cases.
* Required equipment: ID, Stethoscope, and a blank student evaluation form. All other equipment is provided by the hospital (nerve stimulator, laryngoscope, and blades). You may also want to bring any reference books you feel may be helpful for those unusual cases you have not experienced before.

**Experience Available to the SRNA**

* There are a variety of cases available to the SRNA including OB, and big vascular cases with many neurologic cases available.
* Neuro surgical cases are available for the students.
* Regional is available along with central lines and arterial lines.
* Pre-ops are usually not required of the SRNA.

 **Patient Assignments**

* Please pick your assignment for the next day based on what you need and/or want, then let Suzanne (or whoever is at the desk) know before you leave.
* Please be prepared for all cases, especially for cases you select the day before.

**Daily Clinical Routines**

**0630-1500**

* You are expected to arrive at 0630 Monday through Friday.
* If you are unable to attend for any reason, you should notify the Anesthesia Office (504-349-2323) or text the Chief CRNA at least 2 hours before the start of your shift.
* You will not be expected to perform pre-ops.
* You get a 30-minute lunch break.
* You usually get a morning break, but they are given at your preceptor’s discretion.
* Your shift ends when your preceptor dismisses you, and you are expected to give a full report to the oncoming anesthetist prior to leaving.

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