

**STONY BROOK UNIVERSITY HOSPITAL  
GRADUATE MEDICAL EDUCATION  
POLICIES AND PROCEDURES**

**POLICY: RESIDENT RESPONSIBILITY FOR PATIENTS IN NON-TEACHING SERVICES**

**PURPOSE**

To define resident responsibilities for patients in “non-teaching” services

**POLICY**

Unless a patient refuses, the attending refuses or the individual department policy dictates, the residents participate in the care of all patients admitted to SBUH and all participating institutions. There are some services that have no residents assigned to the patients, but residents always respond to all emergency/urgent situations.

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