
Department of Medicine-Hospice and Palliative Medicine

- CAT 1 Basic Privileges: Patient management, including H & Ps and diagnostic and therapeutic treatments, procedures and interventions encompassing the areas described below and similar activities. Requiring a level of training generally associated with persons who have completed the residency program prescribed by the American Board of Internal Medicine, and a level of skill and ability generally associated with persons who are diplomates of the board.**
- A Basic privileges in general medicine**
 - B Thoracocentesis**
 - C Abdominal paracentesis**
 - D Bone marrow aspiration**
 - E Bone marrow biopsy**
 - F Liver biopsy**
 - G Sigmoidoscopy, proctoscopy with biopsy**
 - H Aspiration of joints & subcutaneous lesions**
 - I Lumbar puncture**
 - J Arterial puncture**
 - K Skin Biopsy**
 - L Central Line Placement & Removal**
 Criteria: Documented Completion of the Central Venous Catheter Procedure Education and Training Module AND Documentation of at least one of the following: 1. Board Eligibility/Board Certification in specialties that include CVC Insertion and/or removal procedure as part of the basic delineated competencies (ie. Anesthesia, Cardiology, Emergency Medicine, General Surgery, Interventional Radiology and Nephrology). 2. Completion of one-month experience/rotation in Interventional Radiology. 3. Attestation or certification by Service Chief or Program Directors. 4. Documented supervised insertion procedures (5 internal jugular, 5 femoral, 5 PICC, 5 subclavian). Documented supervised removal procedures (2 non-tunneled lines)
 - M Muscle Biopsy**
- CAT 2 Subspecialty Privileges: Patient management at this level encompasses Category 1 patient management, the items marked below and similar activities. Requiring a level of training generally associated with persons who are Diplomates of the American Board of Internal Medicine and of the subspecialty board(s) designated below:**
- A Hospice and Palliative Medicine (HPM)**
 - 01 Basic privileges in Hospice and Palliative Medicine**
 Requiring a level of training generally associated with persons who are Diplomates of the American Board of Medical Specialties, Hospice and Palliative

Medicine and as defined by the ACGME core competencies for fellowship in HPM. Requires board certification in HPM or board eligibility in HPM for those who are within two (2) years of completion of fellowship. Primary board certification can be in any specialty that has HPM as a subspecialty board – (Internal Medicine, Family Medicine, Ob/Gyn, Emergency Medicine, Psychiatry/Neurology, Surgery, Anesthesia, Pediatrics, Radiology, Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation.)

02 Palliative Sedation – (limited to Adult Palliative Care Attending)

03 Intravenous Ketamine Infusion

04 Methadone prescription (valid DEA certificate required)

CAT 3 Special Privileges

A Acupuncture

B Fluoroscopy
(CA State Certification required)

C Provider performed microscopy (Annual competency module required)
Please circle the privilege(s) being requested

1 Urine

2 KOH

3 WetPrep

4 Fern

5 Pinworm

D Waived Point-of-Care Testing
Please circle the privilege(s) being requested

1 IM Confirms® Urine Pregnancy Test

2 Urine Multistix® or Uristix®

3 pH testing using pH paper

4 Coloscreen®

5 Gastrocult®

6 Quickview Influenza

7 Signify Strep A

8 Binax Now ® RSV

9 OraQuick Advance ® Rapid HIV 1/2 Antibody

CAT 4 Limited Privileges in Medicine: Patient management limited to the areas specified

A Podiatric practice only (Parnassus only)

B Clinical psychology only

C Metabolic privileges only

D Consultation only

E EKG reading only

