



CNM supervision and attestation of procedures with residents

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Per UNM Bylaws and Rules and Regulations documents and 2020 GME supervision document (attached with excerpts below), CNMs are allowed to supervise resident physicians participating in procedures that fall within CNM scope of practice.

- *Within the teaching hospitals of UNM HSC, an appropriately credentialed and privileged clinical faculty member on the UNM Hospitals medical staff, shall be ultimately responsible for the supervision of the Houseofficer. The faculty/medical staff member must be privileged for the specialty care and diagnostic and therapeutic procedures he/she is supervising. It is expected that the faculty member/medical staff member will maintain active personal involvement in the care of each patient under his/her direct or consultative care and will document the patient's medical care in accordance with UNM HSC and hospital policies. (page 3)*
- *Supervision of Houseofficers in the Inpatient Setting: All inpatient care delivered by inpatient ward or ICU teams will be directed to an appropriately-credentialed and privileged UNM Hospitals medical staff member (or licensed independent practitioner to the extent permitted by the applicable Review Committee and applicable site's medical staff bylaws). The medical staff member has the primary responsibility for the medical diagnosis and treatment of the patient. (page 4)*

This document serves as an agreement between the residency directors for OBGYN and Family and Community Medicine (FCM) and the Midwifery Division Chief, Department of OBGYN that CNMs can supervise residents in above stated capacity.

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