Simulation Program Operating Policy and Procedure Manual

SIM OP: 90.135 Educational Experiences Outside the Simulation Center (in-situ)

PURPOSE: This TTUHSC Simulation Program policy is to ensure that all skills, procedures, and simulations are demonstrated and conducted in an environment that replicates the actual clinical/practice setting as closely as possible.

REVIEW: The Simulation Program OP will be reviewed September 1 of each even-numbered year by the Executive Director of the Centers.

POLICY/PROCEDURE

1.0 Policy

All users are responsible for adhering to current evidence-based practice guidelines to promote transfer of knowledge and skills into the clinical environment to provide safe quality patient care.

2.0 Procedure

A valuable simulation-based experience takes place in an actual environment (in-situ). In-situ simulations can be used to:

- Identify underlying risks and inadequacies in the actual setting or work environment.
- Promote evidence-based practice guidelines and professional competencies distinct to the environment and interprofessional team.

The Simulation Program faculty and/or staff will collaborate with the setting’s facilitator to develop the objectives, and design, conduct and evaluate the experience. Individual needs of each experience will be determined at the initial planning session.

Fees for in-situ simulation may occur.

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