


Name of Policy: <u>General Consent</u> Policy Number: 3364-87-28 Approving Officer: Chief of Staff Medical Director Responsible Agent: Medical Director Scope: All University of Toledo Campuses	 Effective date: 11/14/01
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(A) Policy statement

It is the policy of the University Medical Center that a general consent form signed by or on behalf of every patient admitted to the Hospital must be obtained at the time of admission. The admitting officer shall notify the attending physician whenever such consent has not been obtained. When so notified, it shall be, except in an emergency, the attending physician's obligation to obtain proper consent before the patient is treated in the hospital.

(B) Purpose of policy

To ensure consent for treatment for patients presenting to University Medical Center for admission.

(C) Procedure

See above.

Approved by: _____ Christopher K. Lynn, M.D. Chief of Staff _____ Ronald McGinnis, M.D. Medical Director _____ Date <i>Review/Revision Completed by:</i> <i>Medical Executive Committee</i>	Policies Superseded by This Policy: • <i>MS-028 General Consent</i> Review/Revision Date: 01/21/04 08/09/06 Next review date: 08/09/09
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