

PERFORMANCE RATING FOR EXCISIONAL BIOPSY (skin, soft tissue, breast)

Resident _____ Faculty _____ Date _____

Circle the number corresponding to the resident's performance regardless of the level of training.

Planning of incision

1	2	3	4	5
Poor incision planning		Understands most principles in planning & drawing incision		Excellent planning of incision & drew incision with marking pen

Margins of excision

1	2	3	4	5
Inappropriate margins and/or lesion entered during dissection		Adequate margins of excision		Excellent technique in assuring appropriate margins of excision

Handling of instruments

1	2	3	4	5
Repeatedly makes tentative or awkward moves with instruments through inappropriate use		Competent use of instruments but occasionally appeared stiff or awkward		Fluid movements with instruments & no stiffness or awkwardness

Suturing technique

1	2	3	4	5
Poor placement of sutures & knot tying technique		Satisfactory placement of sutures with only occasional failures in providing square knots		Excellent suture placement with appropriate tension & consistently square knots

Utilization of pathology

1	2	3	4	5
Poor understanding of when to use pathology & how to utilize results in workup & intraoperative management		Moderate understanding of when to use pathology & how to utilize results in workup & intraoperative management		Excellent understanding of when to use pathology & how to use the information provided

Prevention of complications (wound dehiscence, wound infection, poor cosmesis)

1	2	3	4	5
Poor knowledge of techniques to prevent complications		Aware of most techniques to prevent complications utilized somewhat inefficiently		Excellent awareness of techniques to prevent complications intraperitoneal contamination

Respect for Tissue

1	2	3	4	5
Frequently used unnecessary force on tissue or caused damage by inappropriate use of instruments		Careful handling of tissue but occasionally caused inadvertent damage		Consistently handled tissue appropriately with minimal damage to tissue

Time and motion

1	2	3	4	5
Many unnecessary moves		Efficient time/motion but some unnecessary moves		Clear economy of movement & maximum efficiency

Flow of operation

1	2	3	4	5
Frequently stopped operating & seemed unsure of next move		Demonstrated some forward planning with reasonable progression of procedure		Obviously planned course of operation with effortless flow from one move to the next

OVERALL PERFORMANCE

1	2	3	4	5
Very poor		Competent		Clearly superior