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**BJU On Call Guide**

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**Background:** On call duties is an essential part of the BJU FM inpatient (FIM) curriculum. This gives fellows additional opportunities to learn various aspects of patient care.

To maintain continuity of care, the FIM service will have a fellow on call at all times possible. This fellow may be a FM fellow or other specialties pre-approved to rotate in FIM service. Below is a guide of who gets which calls but training program staff may change schedule based on program and patient needs. Call schedules are posted on [www.amion.com](http://www.amion.com). Access = ufhfellows.

**Specialty Inpatient Call:** Admit same service patients only

Who gets these calls: Fellows on the following rotations

- Inpatient OB/Gyn
- Inpatient Surgery
- Inpatient Pediatrics

Hours/Frequency

- Similar to those set for FIM call (see below)

**FIM Call:** Will hold the on call cell phone = 138-1140-6339

Who gets these calls: All fellows except those on Spic call and those on ER rotations

What will on call FIM fellow do:

- Help handle after hour family medicine clinic issues if needed
- Admit patients to the inpatient medicine service or ICU service (will be notified by hospitalist)
- Admit or assist with patients to other services upon request of that service's attending (eg. help with cardiology patients with appropriate cardiologist attending supervision)

Frequency: Average every 4 night for those on the FIM service.

Hours

- Weeknights: 6pm-8am. This overlaps with the day time shift of 7am-7pm to allow adequate face to face sign off and wrap up. This will be staffed by fellow on the FM inpatient service and those not on service used for short call. To insure adequate rest, the following is suggested but may be modified depending on the service load
- Holidays and weekends: 7am to 8am the next day. This means the fellow listed on call will be on for 25 hours.
- Family Medicine fellows will not have continuity clinics post-call and may be off by 3pm the following day post call. It is the fellow's responsibility to insure that their clinics are scheduled accordingly whenever the clinic schedules are posted.
- If the fellow had a very busy night and feels that he/she needs to take the entire post-call

day off, he/she will notify the following persons by text and email

- Program director or his/her designee: gives final approval
- FM Training Manager or his/her designee
- On call hospitalist of the day
- Teaching attending of the day (if any)