

# Surgical Neurosciences

Surgical Neurosciences (7 North) is part of the Institute for Brain Protection Sciences (IBPS), a center dedicated to treating brain disease, protecting brain health from infancy to adulthood and providing better outcomes.

Highly skilled practitioners in Neurology, Neurosurgery, Rehabilitative Medicine, Psychiatry, Psychology, Neuropsychology, Sports Medicine and Developmental Behavioral Medicine care for our patients. Our Children's Neurology & Neurosurgery Program was recognized as a Top 25 program by *U.S. News & World Report* for 2022-2023.

We are fortunate to work with many surgical teams as well. Our compliment of surgical services includes General Surgery, Trauma, ENT, Plastic, Urology, Nephrology, Orthopaedics, GI and Interventional Radiology.

Patients range in age from infants to teenagers who have been hospitalized with elective and emergency procedures or surgeries.

## Unit Overview

- Surgical Neurosciences is a 28-bed unit, serving patients of all acuity levels and all ages. Our typical nurse-patient ratio is 1:3-4.
- Unique to our unit are six designated beds that accommodate video EEG monitoring.
- The epilepsy monitoring unit has received accreditation as a Level IV epilepsy center by the National Association of Epilepsy Centers (NAEC) as well as ABRET Neurodiagnostic Credentialing and Accreditation.

## Meet Our Team

- We truly believe in a cohesive family environment. We have had numerous physicians and staff refer to our unit as "nurse heaven" as we respect and work seamlessly as a multidisciplinary team.
- 50% of our nurses have been here > 10 years
- 19% of our nurses have been here > 20 years
- 84% of our nurses have their BSN
- 35% of our nurses have a certification
- 7N dedicated 5,867 hours in 2021 to precepting new Johns Hopkins All Children's personnel from multiple areas.

## Recognitions

- 2019 Bronze award received for Patient and Family Centered Care from the Armstrong Institute for Patient Safety and Quality
- 2022-2023 *U.S. News & World Report* #1 Children's Hospital in Tampa Bay
- NAEC Accredited Level IV
- ANCC Practice Transition Accreditation Program® (PTAP) accreditation — RN Residency Program
- Magnet Designation

## What to Expect

- Customized 13-week orientation
- Specialized classes
- Brain series course
- PEARS certification
- PALS certification

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