## HACKETTSTOWN REGIONAL MEDICAL CENTER CENTER FOR SLEEP RELATED DISORDERS POLICY AND PROCEDURES STAFFING SCHEDULING

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**PURPOSE:** To ensure adequate staffing and to provide the staff with advance notice of their schedule.

**POLICY:** All employees of the Sleep Center will follow a predetermined schedule which shall be posted 4 weeks in advance of said schedule taking effect.

## **PROCEDURE:**

- 1. Requests for vacation PTO may be submitted in writing to the Manager of Cardio Pulmonary Services.
- 2. A permanent schedule will be posted at least 4 weeks in advance of the effective schedule.
- 3. Schedules are the result of hour and patterns agreed upon at the time of hire.
- 4. Once a schedule is posted, no changes will be made unless the staff member finds his/her own coverage. Changes in a posted schedule are made by the Manager of Cardio Pulmonary Services
- 5. Scheduled overtime may, at times, be necessary to provide adequate coverage.
- 6. Staff may be flexed off if work units indicate too many staff members are scheduled for a given day.
- 7. Staff wishing to exchange shifts with a co-worker must do it within the same pay period so that overtime is not generated in writing.