

Surgical Progress Notes

Date, time **Cardiac/Thoracic Surgery**

O/N: 24h significant events

Pain, ambulation, feeding, nausea/emasis

Exam: Vital signs including 24h T_{max} (VSS not acceptable)

Give ranges of VSS if highly variable

Total I/O, CT output (+/- air leak), NGT, drains

Urine Output for 24h/Avg per hour if in ICU/TCU

Ventilator settings if applicable

Days that chest tubes/central line/epidural/foleys/drains/ have been in place

General appearance

Cardiovascular

Pulmonary

Incisions

Abdomen (soft, NT/TTP Loc, ND/Distended, +/- BS)

Extremities (edema, pulses)

Labs (If not available in am, note needs addendum)

Radiology

A/P: HD#____ /POD#____ s/p ____

Overall status (Doing well, improving, etc.)

A/P by organ system in the ICU

Specific issues (Hgb, XR findings, GI status, Air leaks)

CT management

Medication changes

Pt Goals for today

Address consultant recommendations