

Intensive Care Unit and Intermediate Care Unit Mayo Clinic Hospital Phoenix Campus

Overview

This unit is comprised of a 20 bed Intensive Care Unit (ICU) and a 10 bed Intermediate Care Unit (INT).

The ICU is a closed model multi-specialty ICU with coverage by in-house intensivists 24 hours per day, 7 days per week. Patients who are ventilated and/or requiring intensive monitoring and interventions are placed in the ICU. Patient populations in the ICU include but are not limited to the following:

- Post operative CABG or Valvular surgery
- Liver transplantation (both deceased and living donors)
- Neurosurgical
- Congestive heart failure
- Ventricular assist devices
- Heart transplantation
- Kidney and/or pancreas transplantation
- Septic shock
- Abdominal and thoracic aortic aneurysm repairs
- Continuous Renal Replacement Therapy
- Intra-aortic Balloon Pump Therapy
- Intra-cranial monitoring

INT is a multi-specialty unit with patients who require more monitoring than is available on the medical/surgical floors but do not require care in the ICU. INT patients are managed by their primary service during their stay. INT patient populations can include:

- Cardiac catheterizations
- Carotid endarterectomies
- Fem-pop bypass
- Diabetic ketoacidosis
- Patients on vasoactive medications not requiring titration

- Stable heart failure patients with pulmonary artery catheters
- Flaps
- Microsurgical reconstruction

Unit Specifics

- All 30 rooms are private rooms that are hardwired with GE monitors – WiFi available
- All RN staff with nursing assistants are a part of the team
- **Critical Care Nurses** along with the **Intensivists** make up the code blue response team
- **Dedicated Unit Based Educator**
- **Team Leaders**, who do not take a patient assignment, as a staff nurse resource
- Critical Care Pharmacist available M-F day shift
- **Cardiovascular Therapists** are available 24 hours per day to assist with invasive line placement
- **RN Case Manager** and **Social Worker**, both specific to 2 West to assist with complex patients
- Electronic medical record-keeping – including PICIS, specific to Critical Care VS and I/O documentation

Shift Options

- 12 hour night shifts with every other weekend
- Full-time/Part-time/Supplemental/PRN
- Every other holiday based on assigned weekend

Requirements

- Compact State or current Arizona RN license required upon date of hire
- Experience in Critical Care preferred
- ACLS required for experienced RNs or within one year of graduating from a school of nursing
- BLS required

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