

## ELLIOT HOSPITAL

### CRITERIA FOR KYPHOPLASTY (INCLUDES SACROPLASTY AND VERTEBROPLASTY)

Basic Education: MD or DO

Minimum Formal Training: Applicants must have completed an ACGME/ AOA-accredited residency program in orthopedic surgery, neuroradiology, interventional radiology, neurosurgery, or pain medicine that included training in balloon kyphoplasty, or completed an approved training course in balloon kyphoplasty that included proctoring. Applicants must also have completed a device manufacturer's training course on the use of kyphoplasty devices.

AND:

Previous Experience: Candidate may provide documentation of at least ten (10) successful procedures from another facility where the applicant maintained appropriate credentials. Documentation must include outcomes from those cases as well as the facility information so verifications can be made with the appropriate Department Chair.

OR:

No Previous Experience: Candidate must request provisional privileges and be proctored by a physician with the same privileges for five (5) successful procedures. Candidate must provide documentation utilizing the appropriate proctoring form.

Approved by:

BOT: 05/17/05; 06/20/06; \*10/20/16; \*9/19/19; 12/17/20

*\*Italicized date above indicates review only (no changes)*