Data Supplement S2. Suggested reading list for observation medicine curriculum

PGY-1:
Core references:


Graff, LG. *Observation MEDICINE* The Healthcare System's Tincture of Time. (online textbook)


PGY-2:
Chest Pain:


**Asthma:**


**Transient ischemic attack:**


**Atrial Fibrillation:**

**Syncope:**


**Congestive Heart Failure:**


**Pediatrics:**


**Geriatrics:**


**PGY-3/4:**

**Health Policy:**


**Financial Issues:**

**Unit Management:**


**National Policy Issues:**

Ventatesh AK, Suter LG. Observation “services” and observation “care” – one word can mean a world of difference. *Health Serv Res* 2014;49:1083-7.

Feng Z, Wright B, Mor V. Sharp rise in medicare enrollees being held in hospitals for observation raises concerns about causes and consequences. *Health Aff* 2012;31:1251-9.

Baugh CW, Venkatesh AK, Hilton JA, Samuel PA, Schuur JD, Bohan JS. Making greater use of dedicated hospital observation units for many short-stay patients could save $3.1 billion a year. *Health Aff* 2012;31:2314-23.

**Web-based Resources**
www.obsprotocols.org - wiki site with sample protocols
www.acep.org/observationsection/ - ACEP observation medicine section with an online textbook and sample protocols