**Arterial Line Insertion Procedure**

Date: <\_\_\_\_>

Time: <\_\_\_\_>

Indication: Hemodynamic monitoring and blood draws

Resident performing procedure: <\_\_\_\_>

Supervising attending: <\_\_\_\_>

A time-out was completed verifying correct patient, procedure, site, positioning, and special equipment if applicable. Allen’s test was performed to ensure adequate perfusion. The patient’s <right/left> wrist was prepped and draped in sterile fashion. 1% Lidocaine was used to anesthetize the area. A <18G/20G Arrow> arterial line was introduced into the <radial/femoral> artery. The catheter was threaded over the guide wire and the needle was removed with appropriate pulsatile blood return. The catheter was then secured in place to the skin using a Stat-Lock and a sterile dressing was applied. Perfusion to the extremity distal to the point of catheter insertion was checked and found to be adequate.

<Attending> was present for the entire procedure.

Estimated Blood Loss: <\_\_\_\_>

The patient tolerated the procedure well and there were no complications.

Resident Name, PGY-#

Pager Number: