

Nurse Anesthesia Shadowing Documentation

Guidelines:

Shadowing a Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetist (CRNA) is recommended before applying to the UC Nurse Anesthesia Program. Please print this form and fill it out during your shadowing experience. Attach a brief statement describing what you observed during this experience and your impressions. Bring the completed form to your interview.

Applicants may shadow a CRNA practicing at any location. Applicants are encouraged to complete the shadowing experience at a facility where they are employed. A limited number of shadowing experiences are also available at UC Health University Hospital for those who have difficulty making other arrangements.

Experience (check all that apply, not all are required, each experience will be unique):

- Observe preoperative interview and preparation of patient
- Observe induction of general anesthesia
- Observe emergence from general anesthesia
- Observe PACU report
- Observe invasive line placement
- Observe regional techniques
- Discuss a typical day for a CRNA in the practice setting you are observing
- Discuss the roles and responsibilities of the CRNA you are shadowing
- Other unique experience _____

Participant Name: _____

Date: _____

Facility: _____

Practice Name: _____

CRNA Name: _____

CRNA Signature: _____

CRNA Comments: _____

Dear CRNA: Thank you for participating. Feel free to communicate any comments or concerns to Rachel Smith-Steinert, MSN, CRNA, by e-mail: srmr@ucmail.uc.edu