VALLEYCARE OLIVE VIEW-UCLA MEDICAL CENTER/HEALTH CENTERS ANGIOGRAPHY SUITE/CARDIOLOGY DIVISION POLICY & PROCEDURE PACEMAKER/AICD IMPLANTATION

NUMBER: 1928 VERSION: 1

SUBJECT/TITLE: UNAUTHORIZED PERSONNEL – CARDIOLOGY ANGIOGRAPHY SUITE

PURPOSE: To keep unauthorized personnel from entering the operating room suites.

DEPARTMENTS: All

POLICY: The Cardiology Angiography Suite is 'OFF LIMITS' during pacemaker implantation to all except <u>authorized personnel</u>.

Authorization to enter the Cardiology Angiography Suite during pacemaker implantation must be with the expressed consent of the Chief of Cardiology, the Medical Director, or the Nurse Manager.

All personnel authorized to enter the Cardiology Angiography Suite during pacemaker implantation must adhere strictly to the dress code and other policy and procedures effective in that area.

Under no circumstances is anyone in the Cardiology Suite (unrestricted area) during pacemaker implantation allowed into the semi-restricted area (patient preparation and recovery rooms) without proper authorization.

References:	
2008 AORN Standards and Recommended Practices	
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