Daily Overview (April 8, 2020)

Intense work is underway preparing for predicted volume surges related to COVID-19.

Safety:

• We are clarifying the recommended approaches to N95 mask sterilization versus alternation of masks in areas of heavy use.

Methods:

 We are working towards increased (remote) imaging workflow specialist (IWS) coverage to best route communication at EHC sites and Grady during this time of shifting staffing needs and remote imaging interpretation.

Equipment:

 A team in Microsoft Teams has been created for clinical faculty with home workstations to improve communication related to technical issues including VPN problems. For EHC home workstations, placing a ticket is the fastest route to resolution.

Supplies:

 We continue to closely monitor levels of cleaning supplies and PPE as additional shipments arrive.

Staffing:

 We are finalizing metrics and staffing contingencies for anticipated volumes surge conditions. Check out today's Grand Rounds and Town Hall Update here.





Your Wellness Committee:

Free talks and meditations for coping with Coronvirus from Ten Percent Happier

Radiology COVID Command Center Web Page

The Department of Radiology and Imaging Sciences is closely monitoring the COVID-19 outbreak; and has developed a website to provide additional information and resources to the department's faculty, trainees, and staff.





