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*These training requirements apply to those who begin training on or after July 1<sup>st</sup>, 2010.*

*As the Objectives of Training in Surgical Foundations are felt to be basic to all surgical specialties, it is felt that most if not all of the knowledge and skills can be achieved on many different rotations. It is expected that the resident experience a diversity of rotations.*

## **MINIMUM TRAINING REQUIREMENTS**

1. Twenty-six (26) blocks of approved residency in foundational training, a maximum of one (1) year of which may be undertaken in their parent specialty. This period must include the following training that will be counted as part of the parent specialty training if provided by that specialty:
  - 1.1. A minimum of one (1) block of critical care
  - 1.2. A minimum of one (1) block on a service that provides initial trauma management (such as Emergency Medicine, General Surgery, trauma team, Orthopedic Surgery, or Plastic Surgery)

### **NOTES:**

It is expected that the Surgical Foundations program director and the parent program director will collaboratively develop the series of rotations that will allow the trainee to meet the Objectives of Training in Surgical Foundations.

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