

# Summary of Modifications/Changes in this Update

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## DATE OF THIS VERSION:

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Surgical and Endovascular Services Design Guide

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## SUMMARY OF CHANGES IN THIS VERSION:

The narrative portion of the Surgical and Endovascular Design Standards has been updated throughout the entire document to resolve/clarify disconnects and discrepancies in the initial 2016 design standard rollout.

- The terminology of Cardiac catheterization laboratory as well as electrophysiology laboratory has been changed to procedure room.
- A sterile field graphic has been included to clearly define its parameters.
- Heading Identifiers have been more clearly emphasized.
- Clinical personal definitions has been inserted.
  - Interventional Cardiologist
  - Electrophysiologist
  - Vascular Surgeon
- Orthopedic surgery definition has been clarified
- Urology/Cystoscopy Operating Room has been clarified.
- The term hybrid OR is now known as a "Universal" OR has it can be utilized for numerous procedures
- Graphics inserted to identify multiple Universal and Endovascular OR/Procedure Rooms.

- Graphics inserted to identify the clean core and OR configuration about same.
- Reference to VHA Directive 1043 included to emphasize changes in clinical programs.