

Title: PROSTATIC RADIOACTIVE SEED IMPLANTING PRIVILEGE CRITERIA

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POLICY:

1. Education: MD or DO
2. Training:
 - A. Satisfactory completion of clinical post-graduate education in Urology, of which 12 months must be in surgery, in an ACGME or AOA approved program, or
 - B. Satisfactory completion of clinical post-graduate education in radiation oncology in an ACGME or AOA-approved program.

AND

3. Completion of a two-day course in ultrasound-guided permanent prostate implants at an accredited course, or residency training in this area with specific mention made by residency chairman regarding competency in this area.
4. These procedures must be performed by a radiation oncologist and/or an urologist, one of who must have extensive experience using transrectal ultrasonography.

References/Standards:

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