

ER Handoffs

- 1) Don't forget the basics (who you are, etc...)
- 2) Start with patient basics:
 - name
 - age
 - dx
 - your proposed plan (admission/obs/phone consult)
- 3) If it's a social admit, please say so upfront.
- 4) Flexibility in patient's care plan is appreciated if the hospitalist finds information in EPIC initially unknown to the ER. The triage physician may be more familiar with clinic and specialty physician names, allowing them to navigate through EPIC more quickly to look up pertinent information.