

## Buffalo General Medical Center (BGMC)

### 16<sup>th</sup> Floor (N/S) Adult Medical Surgical

Charge Nurse	1 without assignment 24/7, (when both sides of the floor are open and the census reaches 36 patients there will be a 2 <sup>nd</sup> charge RN)
Registered Nurse	1:4 day shift / 1:5 night shift
Patient Care Assistant	1:6-8
Unit Secretary	1 Day Shift 12 or 13 hours Monday-Friday

### 15 North Adult Medical Surgical

Charge Nurse	1 without assignment 24/7
Registered Nurse	1:5
Patient Care Assistant	1:6-8
Unit Secretary	1 Day Shift 12 or 13 hours Monday-Friday

### 15 South Adult Telemetry

Charge Nurse	1 without assignment 24/7
Registered Nurse	1:4
Patient Care Assistant	1:6-8
Unit Secretary	1 Day Shift 12 or 13 hours Monday-Friday

### 14 North Adult Telemetry

Charge Nurse	1 per side without assignment 24/7
Registered Nurse	1:4
Patient Care Assistant	1:6-8
Unit Secretary	1 per side Day Shift 12 or 13 hours Monday-Friday

### 14 South Adult Telemetry

Charge Nurse	1 per side without assignment 24/7
Registered Nurse	1:4
Patient Care Assistant	1:6-8
Unit Secretary	1 per side Day Shift 12 or 13 hours Monday-Friday

### 13 North Adult Telemetry

Charge Nurse	1 without assignment 24/7
Registered Nurse	1:4
PCA/Monitor Tech	1:6-8
Unit Secretary	1 Day Shift 12 or 13 hours Monday-Friday

### 13 South Adult Telemetry

Charge Nurse	1 without assignment 24/7
Registered Nurse	1:4

Patient Care Assistant 1:6-8  
Unit Secretary 1 Day Shift 12 or 13 hours Monday-Friday

12 South Adult Telemetry

Charge Nurse 1 without assignment 24/7  
Registered Nurse 1:4  
\*1:1 if a patient is receiving an active infusion of chemotherapy

Patient Care Assistant 1:6-8  
Unit Secretary 1 Day Shift 12 or 13 hours Monday-Friday

10 North Adult Telemetry

Charge Nurse 1 per side without assignment 24/7  
Registered Nurse 1:4  
CMA/MA 1:6-8  
Unit Secretary 1 per side Day Shift 12 or 13 hours Monday-Friday

10 South Adult Telemetry

Charge Nurse 1 per side without assignment 24/7  
Registered Nurse 1:4  
CMA/MA 1:6-8  
Unit Secretary 1 per side Day Shift 12 or 13 hours Monday-Friday

9<sup>th</sup> Floor Adult Telemetry

Charge Nurse 1 per side without assignment 24/7  
Registered Nurse 1:3 or 1:4 dependent on therapies ordered  
Patient Care Assistant 1:6-8  
Unit Secretary 1 per side Day Shift 12 or 13 hours Monday-Friday

8 North Adult Intermediate Care

Charge Nurse 1 without assignment 24/7  
Registered Nurse 1:3  
CMA/MA 1:5-6  
Unit Secretary 1 Day Shift, 12 or 13 hours, 7 days per week

4 North Adult Intermediate Care

Charge Nurse 1 without assignment 24/7  
Registered Nurse 1:3  
Patient Care Assistant 1:5-6  
Unit Secretary 1 Day Shift, 12 or 13 hours, 7 days per week

Medical Intensive Care Unit

Charge Nurse 1 without assignment 24/7

Registered Nurse	1:1 or 1:2 depending on acuity
CMA/MA	1:5-6
Unit Secretary	1 per side Day Shift 12 or 13 hours 7 days per week

#### Cardiovascular Intensive Care Unit

Charge Nurse	1 without assignment 24/7
Registered Nurse	1:1 or 1:2 depending on acuity
CMA/MA	1:5-6
Unit Secretary	1 Day Shift 12 or 13 hours 7 days per week

#### Neurosurgical Intensive Care Unit

Charge Nurse	1 without assignment 24/7
Registered Nurse	1:1 or 1:2 depending on acuity
Patient Care Assistant	1:5-6
Unit Secretary	1 Day Shift 12 or 13 hours 7 days per week

#### Surgical Intensive Care Unit

Charge Nurse	1 without assignment 24/7
Registered Nurse	1:1 or 1:2 depending on acuity
CMA/MA	1:5-6
Unit Secretary	1 Day Shift 12 or 13 hours 7 days per week

#### Emergency Department

Charge Nurse	1, 24/7 without assignment
Front Triage	1 RN and 1 CMA 24/7
RN Rover	1, 12 hours per day on mid-shift
Green Pod RN	1:1 to 1:3 depending on acuity
Purple Pod RN	5, 24/7
Blue pod RN	1:1 to 1:5 depending on acuity
Orange Pod RN	1:4, during hours of operation
RN EMS Triage	1, 24/7
Greeter/CMA	1, 24/7
PIT RN	1, during hours of operation
PIT CMA	1, during hours of operation
CMA	4 total for Green, Purple and AWR
CMA Blue	1, 24/7
CMA Orange	1, during hours of operation
CMA Rovers	1, 12 hours per day on mid-shift
Medical Secretary	1, Midnight to 10am 2, 10am to 12 noon 3, 12 noon to 10pm 2, 10pm to midnight

#### Operating Rooms

Charge Nurse	2 RNs (1 for GVI and 1 for BGH)
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Registered Nurse	1:1 (2:1 for patients who cannot tolerate general anesthesia)
	Laser Cases 2:1 (Can be RN or ST)
Surgical Technologist	1:1
	Laser Cases 2:1 (Can be RN or ST)
Post Anesthesia Care Unit/ASU	
Charge Nurse	1 without an assignment 7a-11p M-F
	1 7a-3p Saturday
Registered Nurse	Ratios range from 2:1, 1:1, 1:2, 1:3, 1:4, and 1:5 depending on phase of recovery and patient condition. ASPAN Guidelines are followed.
Nurse Assistants	4 FTEs
VIS Orange Pod Adult Inpatients	
Charge Nurse	1 with limited assignment on Saturday/Sunday, no assignment Monday-Friday
Registered Nurse	1:4
CMA/MA	1:6-8

### **Oishei Children's Hospital (OCH)**

#### **Pediatric Intensive Care Unit**

Charge Nurse	1 RN without an assignment 24/7
Registered Nurse	1:1 to 1:2 depending on acuity
	1:3 if all three patients are designated as an intermediate and/or are designated as transfer level of care which requires a provider order
Medical Assistant	1:9

#### **Neonatal Intensive Care Unit**

Charge Nurse	2 without an assignment 24/7
Registered Nurse	1:1 or 1:2 depending on acuity
	1:3 if all three patients are designated as an intermediate care/feeders and growers
Medical Assistant	1 census of 0 – 24
	2 census of 25 – 49
	3 census of 50 – 64
	4 census greater than 64
Unit Secretary	1, 24/7

#### **Labor and Delivery**

Registered Nurse	Ratios Range from 1:1, 1:2, or 1:3 depending on phase of labor. AWHONN Standards are followed
Medical Assistant	2, 24/7
OB Technician	3, Day Shift M-F
	2, Day Shift Sa-Su

	2, Night Shift M-F
	2, Night Shift Sa-Su
Unit Secretary	1, 11a-11:30p, 7 days a week
Mother Baby Unit	
Charge Nurse	1 without assignment 24/7
Registered Nurse	1:1 Newborn Undergoing Circumcision 1:3 (Mom and Baby (s) counted as one)
Medical Assistant	1:12 (Mom and Baby (s) counted as one)
Unit Secretary	1, 7a-7p, 7 days a week
Operating Rooms	
Charge Nurse	1 without assignment 24/7
Registered Nurse	1:1 (2:1 for patients who cannot tolerate general anesthesia)
Surgical Technologist	1:1
Emergency Department	
Unit Secretary	1, 24/7
Medical Assistant	3, 24/7
	4, if Kids Express is Open (11a- 11:00p)
Charge Nurse	1 without assignment 24/7
Registered Nurse	7:00 am 6 RNs
(Totals include charge)	11:00 am 12 RNs
	3:00 pm 12 RNs
	7:00 pm 12 RNs
	11:00 pm 9 RNs
	3:00 am 6 RNs
Electronic Monitoring Unit (EMU)/Long Term Monitoring Unit +	
Registered Nurse	1:4 EMU Patients 1:5 Observation/Ambulatory Patients
Unit Secretary	1, 9a-5p Monday through Friday
Pediatric Hematology/Oncology Unit	
Charge Nurse	1, 24/7
Registered Nurse	1:1 during BMT infusion 1:2 bone marrow transplant or dinutuximab (immunotherapy), Compath, ATG (biological modifiers) 1:3 (includes charge nurse with assignment) 1:4 Pediatric Medical
Unit Secretary	1 Day Shift 9:00a to 5:00p M-F
J10 (Pediatric Medical – Surgical)	
Charge Nurse	1 RN, may take no more than one patient, no assignment when census is greater than 20

Registered Nurse	1:3 Acute Tracheostomy Vent, High Flow greater than 1.5 liters per kilo 1:4 General Pediatric Patients 1:5 If all patients in OBS/AMB status in proximate geography inclusive of the following diagnosis: cellulitis, asthmatic on q4, social admit, broken limb (except femur), T&A Bleed, GT Placement, Suicide with sitter, new onset diabetic (not on a drip)
Medical Assistant	2, 24/7 3, 11:00a - 11:00p if the census is 17 and above
Unit Secretary	1, 7:00a to 7:30p M – F
<b>J 11 (Pediatric Medical – Surgical)</b>	
Charge Nurse	1 RN, 2 patient assignment with census up to 20, if above 20 patients charge nurse has no assignment
Registered Nurse	1:3 Acute Tracheostomy Vent, High Flow greater than 1.5 liters per kilo 1:4 General Pediatric Patients 1:5 If all patients in OBS/AMB status in proximate geography inclusive of the following diagnosis: cellulitis, asthmatic on q4, social admit, broken limb (except femur), T&A Bleed, GT Placement, Suicide with sitter, new onset diabetic (not on a drip)
Medical Assistant	2, 24/7 3, 11:00a - 11:00p if the census is 17 and above
Unit Secretary	1, 7:00a to 7:30p M – F
<b>Post Anesthesia Care Unit</b>	
Charge Nurse	2 without an assignment on J2, 1 on J3 (based on hours of operations)
Registered Nurse	Ratios range from 2:1, 1:1, 1:2, 1:3, 1:4, and 1:5 depending on phase of recovery and patient condition. ASPAN Guidelines are followed.
Medical Assistant	2, starting at 5:30a 3, in house by 8a 4, in house by 11a 2, in house at 1:30p 1, in house from 4p-7:30a
Unit Secretary	1, 5:30 am to 1:30 pm 1, 11:00 am to 5:00 pm

**Section 4. Millard Fillmore Suburban Hospital/DeGraff Medical Park (MFSH/DMP)**

### Intensive Care Unit

Charge Nurse 1 without assignment 24/7  
Registered Nurse 1:1 or 1:2 depending on acuity  
\*1:1 if a patient is receiving an active infusion of chemotherapy  
PCA/MOA 1:5

### MFSH Emergency Department

Charge Nurse 1 without an assignment 24/7  
Triage Nurse 1, 24/7 with 2<sup>nd</sup> Triage for 12 hours every day  
Registered Nurse 1 to 4 depending on acuity  
1 circulator 12 hours every day  
Patient Care Assistant 1 Greeter 24/7  
1 Triage 24/7  
1:6-8  
Unit Secretary 1, 24/7

### DMP Emergency Department

Charge Nurse 1 with a two patient assignment 24/7  
Registered Nurse 1 to 4 depending on acuity  
Patient Care Assistant 1:6-8

### 2 North Adult Telemetry

Charge Nurse 1 without assignment 24/7  
Registered Nurse 1:4  
\*1:2 if a tracheostomy is 96 hours or less  
\*1:1 if a patient is receiving an active infusion of chemotherapy  
Patient Care Assistant 1:6-8  
Unit Secretary 1 Day Shift 13 hours Monday-Friday

### 2 Southwest Adult Telemetry

Charge Nurse 1 without assignment 24/7  
Registered Nurse 1:4  
\*no more than one 1 CAPD in an assignment  
\*1:1 if a patient is receiving an active infusion of chemotherapy  
Patient Care Assistant 1:6-8  
Unit Secretary 1 Day Shift 13 hours Monday-Friday

### 2 Southeast Adult Medical Surgical

Charge Nurse 1 without assignment 24/7  
Registered Nurse 1:5  
\*1:1 if a patient is receiving an active infusion of chemotherapy

Patient Care Assistant 1:6-8  
Unit Secretary 1 Day Shift 13 hours Monday-Friday

### 2 East Adult Medical Surgical

Charge Nurse 1 without assignment 24/7  
Registered Nurse 1:5  
\*1:1 if a patient is receiving an active infusion of chemotherapy

Patient Care Assistant 1:6-8  
Unit Secretary 1 Day Shift 13 hours Monday-Friday

### 3 East Adult Medical Surgical

Charge Nurse 1 without assignment 24/7  
Registered Nurse 1:5  
\*1:1 if a patient is receiving an active infusion of chemotherapy

Patient Care Assistant 1:6-8  
Unit Secretary 1 Day Shift 13 hours Monday-Friday

### 3 West Adult Medical Surgical

Charge Nurse 1 without assignment 24/7  
Registered Nurse 1:5  
\*1:1 if a patient is receiving an active infusion of chemotherapy

Patient Care Assistant 1:6-8  
Unit Secretary 1 Day Shift 13 hours Monday-Friday

### Labor and Delivery

Registered Nurse Ratios Range from 1:1, 1:2, or 1:3 depending on phase of labor. AWHONN Standards are followed  
OB Technician/ST 1, 24/7 with additional 7.5 hours M-F  
Unit Secretary 1, 24/7

### Mother Baby Unit

Charge Nurse 1 without assignment 24/7  
Registered Nurse 1:1 Newborn Undergoing Circumcision  
1:3 (Mom and Baby (s) count as 1)  
PCA 1:10 (Mom and Baby (s) count as 1)  
Unit Secretary 1, 7a-7p, 7 days a week

### Neonatal Intensive Care Unit

Charge Nurse 1 without an assignment 24/7  
Registered Nurse 1:1 or 1:2 depending on acuity  
1:3 if all three patients are designated as an intermediate care/feeders and growers  
MOA 1, 8 am to 4pm every day for 4 and above babies



Operating Rooms	
Charge Nurse	1 RN without an assignment 6a-2p and 1:30p-9:30p
Registered Nurse	1:1 (2:1 for patients who cannot tolerate general anesthesia)
	Laser Cases 2:1 (Can be RN or ST)
Surgical Technologist	1:1
	Laser Cases 2:1 (Can be RN or ST)
Pre-Operative Care	
Charge Nurse	1, 6a-4p M - F
Registered Nurse	1:1
Patient Care Assistant	2, 6a-2p M - F
	3, 8a-4p M - F
	2, 10a-6p M - F
	1, 11a-7p M - F
	2, 2p-10p M - F
Patient Care Assistant	1, 5:30a-1:30p Saturday
	1, 9a-5p Saturday
Unit Secretary	1, 6a-2p M - F
Post Anesthesia Care Unit	
Charge Nurse	1 without an assignment 6a - 10p
Registered Nurse	Ratios range from 2:1, 1:1, 1:2, 1:3, 1:4, and 1:5 depending on phase of recovery and patient condition. ASPAN Guidelines are followed.