Online Appendix 1: Inclusion and Exclusion Criteria

**Included**

- 218,591 total encounters of patients enrolled in the Hospitalist Project
- 51,171 relevant admissions (23.4% of encounters)
- 31,592 admissions with Length of Stay (LOS) ≤ 5 (61.7% of relevant admissions)
- 28,489 admissions with standard Attending of record (90.1% of relevant admissions with LOS ≤ 5)
- 6,153 admissions to GMS Attendings

**Excluded**

- 167,420 encounters not relevant to our research question (outpatient, PT, dialysis) (76.6% of encounters)
- 19,579 admissions with Length of Stay (LOS) > 5 (38.3% of relevant admissions)
- 3,103 admissions where Attending of record was non-standard (e.g. NP) (10.9% of relevant admissions with LOS ≤ 5)
- 22,336 admissions to other services