



CORE SURGICAL PRIVILEGES LIST / PEDIATRIC SURGERY

General Procedures	Type of Facility		
	Hospital	Day care	Clinic under LA
1. I & D of body abscesses excluding perianal	✓	✓	✓
2. Lymph node biopsy excluding neck region	✓	✓	✗
3. Excision biopsy of subcutaneous lumps	✓	✓	✗
4. Circumcision >60 days of age	✓	✓ *	✗
5. Neonate circumcision < 60 days of age	✓	✓	✓ **
6. Meatotomy	✓	✓	✓
7. Excision of periauricular sinus/cyst	✓	✓	✗
8. Excision of thyroglossal duct	✓	✓	✗

Abdominal Surgery	Type of Facility		
	Hospital	Day care	Clinic under LA
1. Umbilical hernia repair	✓	✓	✗
2. Inguinal hernia repair for a child over 2 years	✓	✓	✗
3. Inguinal hernia repair for a child under 2 years	✓	✓	✗
4. Surgery for congenital hydrocele	✓	✓	✗
5. Surgery for undescended testis (palpable)	✓	✓	✗
6. Pyloromyotomy	✓	✗	✗
7. Appendectomy	✓	✗	✗
8. Supra umbilical hernia/ epigastric hernia repair	✓	✓	✗
9. Rectal suction biopsy	✓	✓	✗
10. Proctoscopy & Sigmoidoscopy	✓	✓	✗
11. Rectal polypectomy	✓	✓	✗

Neonatal Surgery (Abdominal)	Type of Facility		
	Hospital	Day care	Clinic under LA
1. Rectal suction biopsy	✓	✓	✗
2. Excision of chest wall swelling	✓	✓	✗

* Children beyond 60 days of age need to wait until 1year of age before undergoing elective circumcision under General Anaesthesia (Physiological phimosis is not consider a medical indication for elective circumcision)

** Infants less than 60 days of age can undergo circumcision with local anaesthesia.