

Pre-Op Pulmonary Optimization (POPE)

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Goals

- Develop a model for thoracic surgeons to have expedited access to a respirologist in order to address pre-op pulmonary optimization
- Develop a referral pathway/form
- Improve outcomes and improve overall health status of these patients

Outcomes

- Patients will benefit from improved peri-op outcome and improved health
- Improve demand on KGH due to less peri-op complications

Budget approved: \$2,000