

## Neurological Surgery Case Log Defined Case Categories and Required Minimum Numbers Review Committee for Neurological Surgery<sup>1</sup>

Defined Case Category	Required Minimum Number
<b>Adult Cranial</b>	
DC1 Craniotomy for brain tumor	60
DC2 Craniotomy for trauma	40
<b>Total vascular lesion (Combined DC3a and DC3b)</b>	50
DC3a Craniotomy for intracranial vascular lesion	Must be reported
DC3b Endovascular therapy for tumor or vascular lesion	Must be reported
DC4 Craniotomy for pain	5
DC5 Transsphenoidal sellar/parasellar tumors (endoscopic and microsurgical)	15
DC6 Extracranial vascular procedures	5
DC7 Radiosurgery	10
DC8 Functional procedures	10
DC9 VP shunt	10
<b>Total Adult Cranial</b>	<b>205</b>
<b>Adult Spinal</b>	
DC10 Anterior cervical approaches for decompression/stabilization	25
DC11 Posterior cervical approaches for decompression/stabilization	15
DC12 Lumbar discectomy	25
DC13 Thoracic/lumbar instrumentation fusion	20
DC14 Peripheral nerve procedures	10
<b>Total Adult Spinal</b>	<b>95</b>
<b>Pediatric</b>	
DC15 Brain tumor	5
DC16 Trauma (uses adult trauma codes)	10
DC17 Spinal procedures	5
DC18 VP shunt	10
<b>Total Pediatric</b>	<b>30</b>
DC19 Adult and Pediatric Epilepsy	10
<b>Critical Care</b>	
DC20 ICP monitor placement	5
DC21 External ventricular drain	10
DC22 VP shunt tap/programming	10
DC23 Cervical spine traction	5
DC25 CVP line placement	10
DC26 Airway management	10
DC27 Arterial line placement	10
<b>Total Critical Care</b>	<b>60</b>
<b>TOTAL ALL DEFINED CASE CATEGORIES</b>	<b>400</b>
<b>Reportable but Non-tracked Categories</b>	
Arteriography	
Stereotactic frame placement	

<sup>1</sup>Residents graduating in 2019 and 2020 will be reviewed for compliance with these minimums