EPA 4 Teaching Tips: Evaluation and staging patients with newly and previously diagnosed breast cancer

- Have residents review the cases for breast multidisciplinary/radiology-pathology/tumor board conferences and present them.
- Have junior residents observe breast tumor boards or other multidisciplinary conferences
- Have senior residents preview tumor board cases and review with faculty before they present
- Have trainees contact the breast program or clinicians to arrange follow up
- Have residents/fellows perform axillary US exams in cases of MRI detected adenopathy and correlate

Once you have been able to observe the trainee perform >10 axillary scanning cases, review (>20) interpretations of staging and follow up imaging studies, discuss > 5 cases prepared for conference, observe at least multidisciplinary conference presentations, and perform 10-20 informal case-based discussion with the trainee, you are ready to evaluate the trainee on this EPA.