

Feasibility of a procedure clinic-within-clinic for general internal medicine trainees

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Background

Unmet clinical & training needs for orthopedic and gynecologic care in general medicine residency clinics

Patients typically low-income, non-native English speakers, making referrals challenging

“Procedure clinic” integrated into Brown’s main resident clinic

Methods

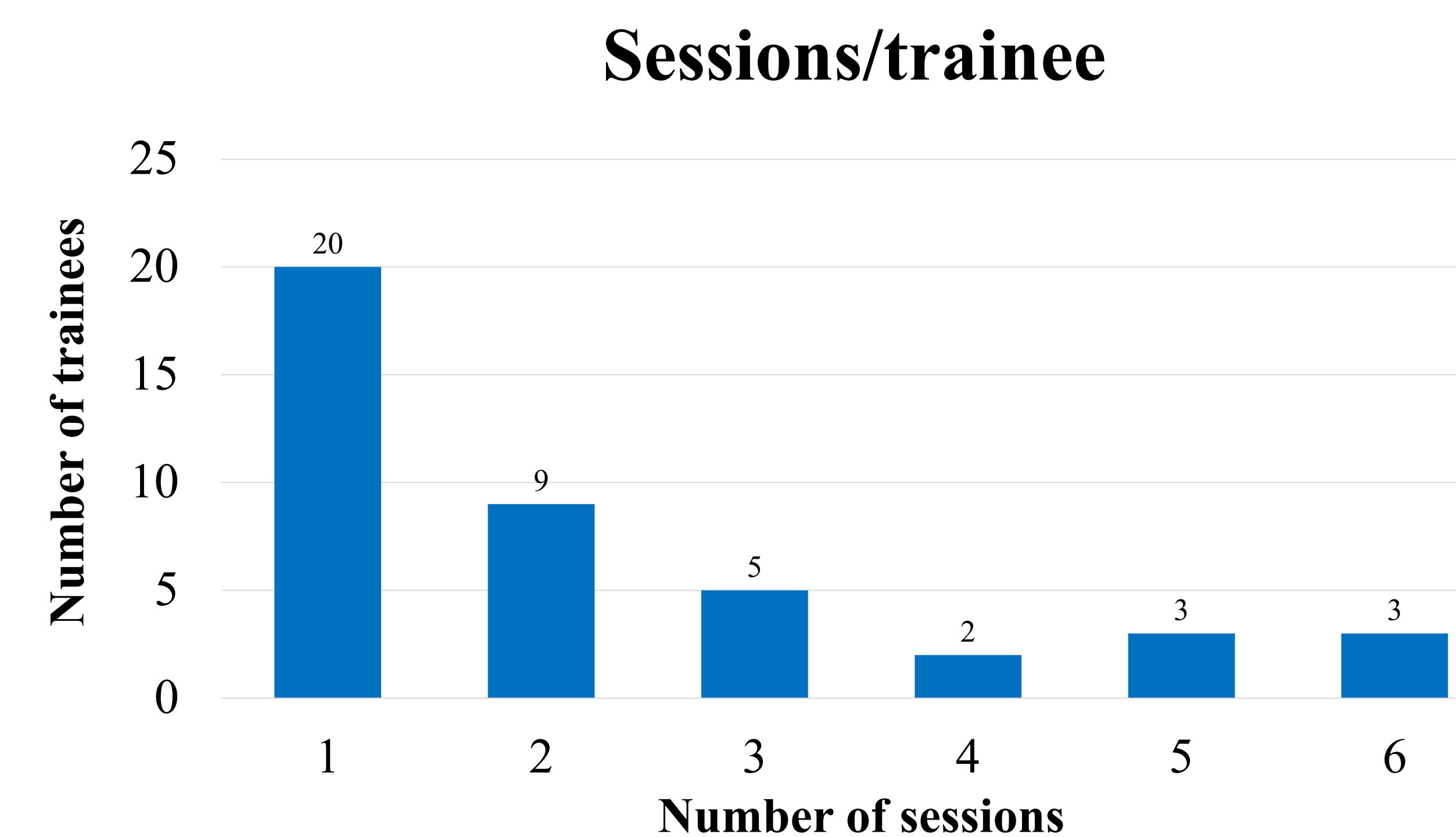
We tabulated data from January 2021-December 2022

1. Trainees
2. Sessions
3. Procedures

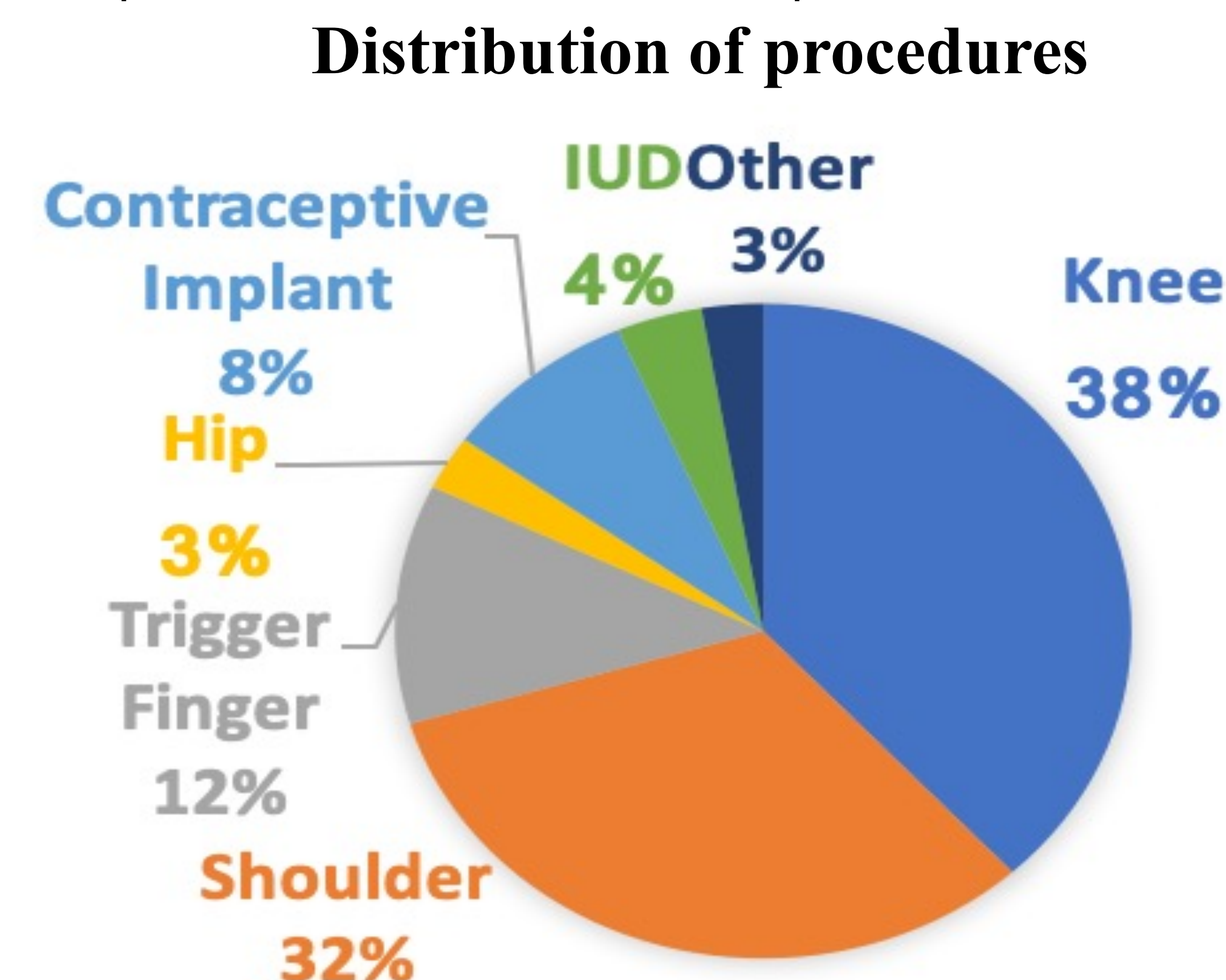
>80% of sessions tabulated

Results

- Trainees = 42, predominantly general medicine track PGY1-3
- Sessions = average 2 per trainee, range 1-6, depending on interest



- Procedures = 3-4 per session (209 total procedures, 84% MSK, 13% GYN)



Discussion

Yes, it’s feasible to integrate a procedure clinic into general medicine residency clinic!

Trainees average 2 sessions, with 3-4 procedures per session, mostly MSK with some GYN procedures

Interested trainees do more - 36% of all procedures done by 6 trainees who did 5-6 sessions

Next steps

Tracking of micro-competencies

Ensuring residents log procedures

Integration into trainees’ schedules longitudinally

