Definition of Congenital Heart Disease Surgery

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Type of Policy: Please indicate if this document is hospital policy or ACHD program policy/clinical guideline.

Definition
At [Institution Name], CHD surgery includes but is not limited to congenital cardiac disease diagnosed, operated or intervened in childhood or adulthood and any heart surgery for the natural history or sequelae of congenital heart disease. This includes but is not limited to:

[List common CHD surgeries performed at your institution]

Required Signatures
N/A

Helpful Tips
Please upload any documentation or examples of the above policy to the “additional files” section of your application.

Section E: Cardiothoracic Surgery and Cardiothoracic Intensive Care Unit. These documents should be labeled with “E8” only in the title so that each policy/plan can be easily identified.