## **Step 1:**Self-Assessment (1-5; 1= needs improvement; 5=highly proficient)

1. Area of clinical expertise:

1 2 3 4 5

- a. Specific knowledge
- b. Specific technical skill
- 2. Professional/Research Skill Development
  - a. Search strategies and critical evaluation of literature
  - b. Problem solving
  - c. The scientific method
  - d. Analytical skills/data analysis and interpretation
  - e. Creativity/developing new research direction
  - f. Scientific publishing processes
  - g. Grant applications
- 3. Communication Skills
  - a. Writing for a lay audience
  - b. Writing for a discipline specific audience
  - c. Oral presentation for a lay audience
  - d. Oral presentation for a discipline specific audience
  - e. Multimedia communication and digital tools
  - f. Ability to give constructive feedback
  - g. Ability to receive constructive feedback
  - h. Conflict resolution, including difficult conversations
- 4. Professionalism
  - a. Workplace etiquette, performance standards
  - b. Respecting intellectual contribution of others
  - c. Demonstrating cultural competence
  - d. Getting along with others
- 5. Leadership and management skills
  - a. Inspiring and motivating others
  - b. Understanding mission, vision and strategy
  - c. Being a change agent
  - d. Coaching and developing others
  - e. Managing projects and time
  - f. Budgeting
  - g. Organizational skills
  - h. Setting goals and monitoring results
  - Working with diverse teams/groups
- 6. Responsible conduct of research
  - Demonstrating responsible conduct in research with humans

- b. Identifying areas of conflict
- c. Understanding data ownership and sharing issues
- d. Demonstrate responsible publishing practices and authorship
- 7. Teaching
  - a. One-on one teaching
  - b. Lecturing
  - c. Small group discussion
- 8. Volunteer/outreach
  - a. Participating in professional and public service
- 9. Job Search skills
  - a. Informational interviewing
  - b. Networking

This self-assessment survey is based on available literature and been constructed for use in the Department of Anesthesia.

At the end of this self-assessment survey, your strengths and areas of improvement will be self-evident. This will facilitate both you and your mentor in charting your Individual Development Plan for academic success