Surgical Progress Notes

Date, time  Cardiac/Thoracic Surgery
O/N:  24h significant events
      Pain, ambulation, feeding, nausea/emesis
Exam:  Vital signs including 24h T_{max} (VSS not acceptable)
       Give ranges of VSS if highly variable
       Total I/O, CT output (+/- air leak), NGT, drains
       Urine Output for 24h/Avg per hour if in ICU/TCU
       Ventilator settings if applicable
       Days that chest tubes/central line/epidural/foleys/drains/ have been in place
       General appearance
       Cardiovascular
       Pulmonary
       Incisions
       Abdomen (soft, NT/TTP Loc, ND/Distended, +/- BS)
       Extremities (edema, pulses)
       Labs (If not available in am, note needs addendum)
       Radiology
A/P:  HD/#___ /POD/#___ s/p ______
      Overall status (Doing well, improving, etc.)
      A/P by organ system in the ICU
      Specific issues (Hgb, XR findings, GI status, Air leaks)
      CT management
      Medication changes
      Pt Goals for today
      Address consultant recommendations