

SURGERY - UMH

Surgery, Transplant, UMH

SUBJECT: SURGERY

CATALOG NUMBER: 701TSPI.U

Duration:	4 weeks
Periods Offered:	All
Min-Max Enrollment per Period:	2 Maximum
Distribution of Student's Time:	20% Conference/Lecture 20% Independent Study 30% Inpatient Care 30% Outpatient Care
Average Number of Patients Seen Each Week:	30
On-call Responsibility:	Every 3 days
Where to Report First Day of Clerkship:	Page Charles Moore #0091 or show up at SICU (5D Main Hospital) at 6:30 a.m. for rounds.

Clerkship Objectives (beyond comprehensive care of patients including evaluation, diagnosis and therapy)

To increase student involvement in conferences, etc. by having students

- Present patients and/or patient data.
- Participate as a member of the audience.

To increase student use/review of the medical literature

- As part of patient care (report to attending).
- As part of conference or journal club.

How students will be evaluated

- Quality of care given (including clinical judgment)
- Participation and performance in conferences.
- Level of knowledge (including new knowledge).
- Level of skills.

Methods to Evaluate Student Performance

- Observation of performance by faculty.
- Observation of performance by house officers.

Course Description:

Students will have the opportunity to experience all aspects of transplantation practice. This includes evaluation of potential liver, kidney and pancreas transplant recipients; understanding of pathophysiology of end-stage organ failure; participation in all aspects of donor and recipient operative transplant surgery; active involvement in post transplant surgical care, including management of immunosuppression and its complications; long term post transplant outpatient care; understanding of immunosuppressive therapies, complications, side effects, and associated infections and neoplastic morbidity.