Orthopaedic Surgery Inpatient Ward AI

Orthopaedic Surgery Inpatient Ward AI -Inova (MEDI-45035)			
Preceptor:	Dr. Jeff Schulman	Phone #:	703-776-3625
Department:	Orthopaedic Surgery	Max Enrollment:	1
Time Period(s):	1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9,10,11	Time:	
Location:	INOVA Fairfax Hospital, 3300 Gallows Road, Falls Church, VA		

Objectives and Evaluation

Hours Per Week - 80 hrs/week Lectures/Seminars - Yes Outpatient - Yes Night Call - Yes Weekends - Yes Exam Required - No

EVALUATION - Students assigned to this rotation will be evaluated based upon the following aspects of performance:

- *Patient care
- *Participation in team rounds
- *Conference participation and presentations
- *Ability to work effectively as an integral member of the surgical team

The Acting Internship (AI) in Orthopaedics at Inova Fairfax Hospital is designed to provide the 4th year student with a comprehensive experience in the diagnosis and management of patients with surgical and non-surgical disorders of the musculoskeletal system. This rotation will provide exposure to patients in the inpatient and outpatient settings, as well as the opportunity to participate in the operative management of patients. The AI will act as an integral component of the patient care team.

The Orthopaedic Services at Inova Fairfax Hospital are organized in a "team" format. The team consists of a complement of mid-level orthopaedic residents and physician assistants. The team is involved in every aspect of patient care and functions under the direct supervision of members of the Attending Staff. Patient care duties will be assigned to the AI and directly overseen by the team members and the surgical attendings. The AI will be responsible for taking nighttime call with the team six times during the rotation.

References:

- 1. Orthopedic Secrets by David E. Brown, Randall D. Neumann, Publisher-Hanley & Belfus; 3 edition (September 19, 2003)
- Netter's Concise Atlas of Orthopaedic Anatomy by Jon C. Thompson, Publisher- Saunders; 1st edition (September 1, 2001)
- 3. Essentials of Orthopedic Surgery by Sam W. Wiesel , John N. Delahay, Publisher: Springer; 3rd ed. edition (November 14, 2006)

Special Instructions/Additional Information

Call the UME Inova academic registrar for more information or to register for this elective at 703-776-6699.