

Welcome to the Transitional Year Residency Program

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MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of the transitional program at the Hennepin County Medical Center is to prepare future specialist physicians by providing a well-rounded year with experiences in many clinical areas.

PROGRAM BACKGROUND

Since Minneapolis General Hospital started its first residency programs back in the late 1800’s, there has been a version of a one-year internship. Whether called rotating, preliminary or transitional, there has been a long history of a “clinical year” for future radiologists, anesthesiologists, ophthalmologists, neurologists and dermatologists at Hennepin County Medical Center. The Transitional Year Program, as it is now known, dates back to 1983. Through agreements with various departments at the University of Minnesota and matching with our own rank list, many residents have been clinically trained in our fast-paced, Level 1 Trauma Center before they go on to their categorical residencies.

KEY CONTACTS

[Meghan M. Walsh, MD, MPH](#) is the Chief Medical Education Officer and Associate Medical Director at Hennepin County Medical Center. She oversees all of the undergraduate, graduate and continuing education programs within the Office of the Medical Director. She also is the Program Director of the Transitional Residency Program. She works primarily as an academic hospitalist in cardiology.

[Kelly Shaw Napolitano](#) is the Program Co-Coordinator for the Transitional Year residency as well as the Residency Management Suite (RMS) Coordinator. RMS is the online software system used by all HCMC residency and fellowship programs to better manage all aspects of GME training. She started at HCMC in 2007 and brought with her over 15 years of GME experience from the University of Michigan's Department of Surgery. Kelly provides RMS education, solutions, and information to all those involved in GME training programs.

[Judi Shurson](#) is the Program Co-Coordinator for the Transitional Year residency as well as the Graduate Medical Education Administrative Coordinator for the past 12 years. She works with all new residents and fellows by planning and executing Orientation, as well as being the main contact for all current trainees. Judi's position covers a wide range of administrative duties and provides support to all areas of Graduate Medical Education here at HCMC.

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

At the end of the year, residents should be able to:

- Provide care for patients with common medical, psychiatric and surgical illnesses.
- Provide initial emergency care for patients.
- Describe how they can interact with clinicians from other specialties from the point of view of specialist consultants.
- Describe how, as a specialist, you will change your approach to managing patient with different underlying medical, psychiatric and surgical illnesses.
- Act in a professional and ethical manner to patients and co-workers.
- Communicate in a caring and effective manner with patients and co-workers.
- Work within a complex medical system with other physicians and health care professionals.

ROTATIONS

ANESTHESIA ELECTIVE

Faculty Lead	Jackie Erickson: 873-3152
Coordinator	Tracy Danielson: 873-3458
Site	OR or Same-Day Surgery
Schedule	Daily 6:30-2 pm; off weekends
Conferences	N/A
Vacation/CME	Allowed

Meet between 6:30 am and 7:00 am in OR entryway. In AM show up early (before 6:30) before SRNA's to sign up for the OR room/cases you want. If you are late, you may not get a lot of cases, or cases you are not interested in. Call Jackie Erickson (CRNA) regarding meeting time about a week before to schedule. You will spend your time between the P4 OR and G1 same-day lab.

BLUE MEDICINE (CARDIOLOGY)

Faculty Lead Rotation Faculty Lead	Meghan Walsh, MD Medicine Chief Residents
Coordinator	Michelle Herbers: 873-4733
Emergency Contact	Medicine Chief Residents
Site	HCMC CaRe
Conferences	Department of Medicine (DOM) Morning Report – Daily 8:00 –9:00 am DOM Conference 12:00 – 1:00 Critical Care Conference Thursdays – 1:30 – 3:00 pm Friday School: 2 nd and 4 th Friday of every month, 11am-1 pm, Orange 9
Vacation/CME	Not Allowed if FCS rotation

By the end of the rotation Interns will understand how to make a comprehensive assessment of adult patients and perform this assessment with some supervision.

DERMATOLOGY ELECTIVE

Dermatology Faculty Lead	Bruce Bart, MD
Coordinator	Lynda Gilbertson: 873-2332
Site	HCMC Dermatology Clinic
Conferences	Dermatology and Clinical Pathology conference Mondays from 11:30 to 12:30 Dermatology lectures Thursday 8:30 -12:00
Vacation/CME	Allowed on this rotation

Residents rotate with Board certified dermatologists at HCMC. They participate in outpatient clinic experiences and on inpatient consults. Daily rounds are held to assure supervision and teaching

DIRECT CARE CLINIC (DCC)

Faculty Lead	Anne Pereira, MD
Rotations Faculty Lead	Mobin Malik MD, Julie Topping MD
Coordinator	Michelle Herbers : 873-4733
Emergency Contact	Medicine Chief Resident: 873-2666
Site	Direct Care Clinic: Purple 5
Conferences	Morning report daily 8-9a Noon conference daily 12-1p
Vacation/CME	Not Allowed on this rotation (FCS)

Medicine Walk-In Clinic hours: 8:30a-12:00p; 1:00-5:30p

EMERGENCY MEDICINE

Family Medicine Faculty Lead	Marc Martel, MD
Coordinator	Mary Hirschboeck: 873-5645
Emergency Contact	Nancy Newkumet: 873-4908
Site	HCMC
Call	Shift Work
Vacation/CME	Not Allowed

Residents rotate in the HCMC Emergency Department and participate in a didactic curriculum and attend conferences.

GASTROENTEROLOGY ELECTIVE

GI Faculty Lead	Craig Peine, MD
Coordinator	Sherli Wafer: 873-8582
Site	HCMC
Vacation/CME	Allowed on this rotation

Residents rotate with Board certified gastroenterologists at HCMC. They participate in outpatient clinic experiences and on inpatient consults. Daily rounds are held to assure supervision and teaching.

GREEN MEDICINE (GENERAL MEDICINE)

Faculty Lead	Anne Pereira, MD
Rotation Faculty Lead	Medicine Chief Residents
Coordinator	Michelle Herbers: 873-4093
Emergency Contact	Medicine Chief Residents
Site	HCMC
Conferences	Department of Medicine (DOM) Morning Report – Daily 8:00 –9:00 am DOM Conference 12:00 – 1:00 Friday School: 2nd and 4th Friday of every month, 11am-1 pm, Orange 9

Vacation/CME	Not allowed if FCS Rotation
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Residents rotate on the HCMC Internal Medicine Service (Green). They care for hospitalized adult medicine patients. All residents attend Morning Report and noon conferences. Twice daily rounds are held to assure supervision and teaching.

MEDICAL SUBSPECIALTIES ELECTIVES

Faculty Lead Rotations Faculty Lead	Anne Pereira, MD Peter Schlesinger MD, Mark Sprenkle MD, David Williams MD, and David Stuart MD
Coordinator	Leigh Hamersten: 873-7381
Site	HCMC clinics
Conferences	2 per week
Vacation/CME	Allowed on this rotation

Subspecialties include Rheumatology, Pulmonary, Infectious Disease and Endocrinology (Inpatient consultations & outpatient).

NEUROLOGY

Neurology Faculty Lead	Ezgi Tiryaki, MD Scott Bundlie, MD
Coordinator	Katie Dolan: 873-2595
UMN Coordinator	Carly Dolan: 626-6519, cldolan@umn.edu
Site	HCMC Neurology Department
Vacation/CME	Allowed on this rotation

General Neurology (Consultation and Outpatient) & Stroke Service (Inpatient Consultation, SICU service, and Inpatient)

NEWBORN ICU ELECTIVE

Pediatric Faculty Lead	Marjorie Hogan, MD
Coordinator	Lisa Loehr: 873-2679
Emergency Contact	Chief Resident
Site	4th Floor Pediatrics – HCMC
Conferences	Didactic conferences every day at noon Morning Report Tuesday and Wednesday at 7:45 am Grand Rounds 3rd Tuesday of the Month
Vacation/CME	Allowed on this rotation

Interns will understand a comprehensive assessment of newborn patients and perform this assessment with some supervision.

OBSTETRICS & GYNECOLOGY

OB/GYN Faculty Lead	Virginia Lupo, MD
Coordinator	Leslie Booker: 873-2750

Site	Labor and Delivery Suite, fourth floor Purple Building 5th floor
Call	No call
Conferences	Thursdays – 8:30 – 9:00 High Risk OB Conference Daily faculty rounding sessions 8-9:00 am
Vacation/CME	Not allowed if an FCS rotation

Inpatient Labor & Delivery and Outpatient Clinics

PATHOLOGY ELECTIVE

Faculty Lead	Dr. Brad Linzie
Coordinator	Kristin Giesen: 873-6479
Site	Hennepin County Medical Center
Conferences	Schedule available on InfoOncall (intranet): Departments>Laboratories>Pathology Conference Schedule
Vacation/CME	Allowed on this rotation

Interns will become familiar with gathering essential and accurate clinical information about the patients, including applicable discussion of history with clinical house staff and/or attendings, and review of laboratory reports of previous pathologic specimens.

PEDIATRICS

Pediatric Faculty Lead	Marjorie Hogan, MD
Coordinator	Lisa Loehr: 873-2679
Emergency Contact	Chief Resident
Site	7th Floor Pediatrics – HCMC
Conferences	Didactic conferences every day at noon Morning Report, Tue and Wed at 7:45 am Grand Rounds 3rd Tuesday of the Month
Vacation/CME	Not allowed if FCS month

Interns will understand a comprehensive assessment of pediatric patients and perform this assessment with some supervision in Inpatient and Outpatient settings.

PSYCHIATRY

Psychiatry Faculty Lead	Amitabh Tipnis, MD
Coordinator	Sandy Robinson: 873-7571
Site	HCMC Psychiatry Department
Conferences	Morning Report, Mon, Wed, Fri 8a-8:30a Linzer Rounds Tue 7:30a-8:30a Psych Case Conf Mon 3:30p-4:30p
Vacation/CME	Allowed on this rotation

Interns rotate with Board certified psychiatrists at HCMC. Daily rounds are held to assure supervision and teaching.

PULMONARY ELECTIVE

Pulmonary Faculty Lead	Mark Sprenkle, MD
Coordinator	Wendy Yates: 873-2625
Site	HCMC
Vacation/CME	Allowed on this rotation

Interns rotate on an elective basis with Board certified pulmonologists at HCMC. They participate in outpatient clinic experiences and on inpatient consults. Daily rounds are held to assure supervision and teaching.

QUALITY IMPROVEMENT & PATIENT SAFETY ELECTIVE (ADMIN MONTH)

Faculty Lead	Meghan Walsh, MD
Coordinator	Kelly Napolitano: 873-4093 Judi Shurson: 873-3922
Site	HCMC
Conferences	QIPP Presentations every 3 rd week
Vacation/CME	Allowed on this rotation

Please see QIPP section under Conferences for further details

DIAGNOSTIC IMAGING AND NUCLEAR MEDICINE ELECTIVE

Radiology Faculty Lead	Tony Severt, MD
Coordinator	Pamela Thompson: 873-2036
Site	Radiology Department at HCMC
Conferences	Tuesday Noon Radiology Conference
Vacation/CME	Not allowed

Interns rotate through the HCMC Radiology Department. They receive exposure to different radiographic modalities and procedures. Supervision and teaching are provided by radiology staff.

RHEUMATOLOGY ELECTIVE

Rheumatology Faculty Lead	Peter Schlesinger, MD
Coordinator	Leigh Hamersten: 873-7381
Site	Rheumatology Clinic, HCMC
Conferences	3-4 lectures per week by Rheumatology faculty Inter-hospital Rheumatology conference once weekly Daily Medicine Noon Conference
Vacation/CME	Allowed on this rotation

Interns rotate with Board certified rheumatologists at HCMC. They participate in outpatient clinic experiences and on inpatient consults. Daily rounds are held to assure supervision and teaching.

SURGERY

Rotation Faculty Lead	Joan VanCamp, MD
Coordinator	Phyllis Squiers: 873-2849
Site	HCMC
Vacation/CME	Allowed on this rotation

Interns rotate on a HCMC Surgical Service. They care for hospitalized surgical patient’s pre and post-operatively. They also attend the outpatient surgery clinic and breast clinic. Daily rounds are held to assure supervision and teaching.

SURGICAL ICU

Surgery ICU Faculty Lead	Joan VanCamp, MD
Coordinator	Phyllis Squiers: 873-2849
Site	HCMC
Vacation/CME	Not Allowed if FCS month

Interns will learn to recognize the critically ill patient through rapid response, assessment of, and initiation of management in the SICU trauma.

SURGICAL SUBSPECIALTIES

Faculty Lead	Joan VanCamp, MD
Coordinator - Urology and Plastic Surgery	Phyllis Squiers: 873-2849
Coordinator - ENT and Ophthalmology	Julie Gallant: 873-2425
Site	HCMC
Vacation/CME	Not Allowed if FCS month

Interns will learn to understand a comprehensive assessment of surgical patients and perform this assessment, be able to synthesize a differential diagnosis for patients presenting with medical problems associated with Urology, ENT, Ophthalmology and Oral Health and diagnose and manage common diseases and problems encountered in Urology, ENT, Ophthalmology and Oral Health

YELLOW MEDICINE (MICU)

Faculty Lead	Mark Sprenkle, MD
Medicine Faculty Lead	Anne Pereira, MD
Coordinator	Michelle Herbers: 873-4733
Emergency Contact	Jessica Norles: 873-8722
Site	HCMC MICU – Red 7
Conferences	Department of Medicine (DOM) Morning Report – Daily 8:00 –9:00 am DOM Conference 12:00 – 1:00 Critical Care Conference Thursdays 1:30 – 3:00 pm Friday School: 2nd and 4th Friday of every month, 11am-1 pm, Orange 9
Vacation/CME	Not allowed if FCS rotation

Interns will learn to recognize the critically ill patient through rapid response, assessment of, and initiation of management of the ICU patient and will evaluate and appropriately transfer critically ill patients to the ICU and identify rational criteria for admission to the ICU.

CONFERENCES

Conferences are an integral part of the education of Transitional Year Residents at HCMC. The Transitional Year Residents are required to attend the conferences based on the rotation that they are doing.

QIPP (QUALITY IMPROVEMENT PROJECT PRESENTATION)

The Quality Improvement and Patient Safety project must be completed by each Transitional resident. The project consists of completing the IHI Courses, Health Care Matrix and presentation of the project at the QIPP meeting.

OTHER LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES

Friday School (Internal Medicine)

Linzer Rounds (Psychiatry)

M & M (Surgery, Medicine, Pediatrics, EM)

Stab Conference (EM)

EVALUATIONS

All evaluations will be completed in RMS

360 EVALUATIONS

Per the ACGME, all Transitional Year residents must be evaluated at least 24 times by Non-Physicians (ie medical students, nurses, PAs, MAs, etc).

RESIDENT EVALUATION OF ROTATION

Transitional Year residents will evaluate each rotation upon its completion

FACULTY EVALUATION OF RESIDENT

Transitional Year residents will be evaluated after each rotation by faculty.

RESIDENT EVALUATION OF FACULTY

Transitional Year residents are required to evaluate at least 2 faculty members per rotation.

SEMI-ANNUAL AND SUMMATIVE REVIEWS

Each Transitional Year resident will meet individually with the Program Director twice during their training; once at the 6 month point, the other at the conclusion of their 12 months of training.