



## Emergency Medicine Visiting Medical Student Elective

### EMERGENCY MEDICINE

The Emergency Medicine Visiting Medical Student Elective at the University of Cincinnati is designed to provide senior medical students with the opportunity to perform the primary evaluation of Emergency Department patients. Working directly with faculty and senior residents, the student will experience a wide spectrum of patient management in the Center for Emergency Care of University Hospital. This elective will increase the student's awareness of the opportunities available in academic medicine and to increase the student's consideration of an emergency medicine academic training program.

University Hospital is a Level I Trauma Center and tertiary referral and teaching center serving a patient population from all socio-economic and racial backgrounds. **Board certified Emergency Medicine** physicians work in a state-of-the-art facility and deliver compassionate care to over 80,000 adult patients per year.

The objectives of the Emergency Medicine Student Elective are:

- Gain experience as the primary physician caring for acutely ill patients from presentation to disposition from the emergency department.
- Diagnose and treat a broad variety of emergent and non-emergent diseases and injuries seen in an emergency department
- Learn and perform common emergency department procedures
- Gain an understanding of the basic operation and organization of a large city emergency department
- Understand the basic principles of resuscitation for both medical and trauma patients

Students interested in applying for residency training in emergency medicine will have the opportunity to interact directly with faculty and resident staff, participate in the care of a patient population from all socio-economic and racial backgrounds, and participate in a quality learning experience of one of the premier emergency medicine training programs.



### CRITERIA

Electives are four weeks in length and open to fourth year medical students currently enrolled in good standing at an accredited U.S. medical school. While priority is given to UC students, every effort will be made to accommodate visiting students with every rotation block. An application must be completed and submitted eight weeks in advance of the elective start date. Visiting students must meet all eligibility requirements of the **University of Cincinnati College of Medicine, Student Affairs Office**. Complete details are available on the College of Medicine website [www.med.uc.edu/medical/visiting](http://www.med.uc.edu/medical/visiting).

Please contact Amy Hess, Medical Student Education Coordinator, at 513-558-8087 or [hessah@uc.edu](mailto:hessah@uc.edu) if you have questions or would like further information.

## APPLICATION PROCESS

Please visit [www.med.uc.edu/medical/visiting/visitorapply.cfm](http://www.med.uc.edu/medical/visiting/visitorapply.cfm) to print and complete a visiting student application. You may fax your application to Amy Hess, Medical Student Education Coordinator at 513-558-5791.

Your application must include:

- Letter of good standing from your **Dean's Office**
- Medical school transcript
- Proof of malpractice and personal health insurance
- Immunization records
- Proof of updated training in Universal Precautions, Airborne and Blood Borne Pathogens, and HIPPA

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