



UPMC Shadyside Family Medicine Residency Program Pittsburgh, PA

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MEALS: Provided at hospital cafeteria/cafes adjacent to Family Health Center
HOUSING: Accommodations provided in comfortable resident call rooms in Shadyside School of Nursing, across the street from the Family Health Center
COMMENTS: Personal vehicle is **REQUIRED**. Parking is included.

Emphasis during this rotation will be on development of ambulatory care skills in a Family Medicine setting. Students will see scheduled patients with resident and faculty at the Family Health Center, and will be responsible for initial patient assessment, including history, examination, and in office laboratory testing. You will develop and implement comprehensive management plans, including preventative as well as therapeutic measures. One-on-one supervision and teaching is provided during office hours.

This rotation will incorporate the following disciplines:

- Adult Medicine
- Women's Health
- Geriatrics
- Sports Medicine
- Pediatrics
- Adolescent Medicine
- Osteopathic Medicine (if interested)
- Procedural Skills

Students will have office hours in Sports Medicine, and will see patients in the Family Health Center. Students participate in weekly didactics with Sport's Medicine and resident conferences. Student videotaping is available to improve interviewing and communication skills, if desired. Clinical skills sessions are given to increase student proficiency in outpatient testing and procedures including: EKG, spirometry, office microscopy, and office cultures.

Students will utilize the Family Health Center's computerized medical record system and be exposed firsthand to the many productive uses of a computer in the office setting. The clerkship will provide a basic background in the unique aspects of ambulatory medicine and full spectrum family medicine. Because this clerkship involves advance office scheduling of all students' schedules, requests and changes must be made at least four weeks prior to the start of the rotation.