PAMM 720 PATHOLOGIC ANATOMY 4 Credit Hours
ELECTIVE
The M4 student enrolled in this program rotates through the following four divisions of the department: Surgical Pathology, Cytopathology, Hematopathology and Autopsy Pathology. The pathology faculty, fellows and residents teach and supervise the M4 students during this experience. Students spend a week on each of the three services (Surgical Pathology, Cytopathology, and Hematopathology) with the option of observing an autopsy at any time during the rotation. While on the surgical pathology service, the students spend half of their time in the gross room assisting the pathology resident in the gross examination and processing of surgical specimens. They spend the other half of their time microscopically examining surgical specimens with a staff pathologist and resident. While on the cytology service, the student is involved with the microscopic examination of both gynecologic (GYN) and non-GYN cytology specimens with a staff pathologist and in observing fine needle aspirations (FNA) performed by staff pathologists. Students also participate on the autopsy service where they assist the resident pathologist in performing autopsies. The students are expected to attend all of the regularly scheduled conferences. The students are also expected to attend one interdisciplinary conference per week. At the end of the rotation, the student is required to give a 15-20 minute presentation to the residents and staff pathologists on an anatomic pathology topic of their choice. Evaluation is based on attendance and participation in the rotation activities and conferences as well as on case presentations and the formal presentation at the end of the rotation. 


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Typically Offered: Each four weeks.
Capacity: 5 per rotation
Visiting Student Information: This course is NOT available to visiting students.
PAMM 799 SPECIAL PROBLEM&RCH 4-6 Credit Hours

ELECTIVE

Students interested in specific aspects of pathology or desiring a background in pathology for a clinical specialty may undertake intensive study with the staff pathologist(s). The department faculty has diverse interests to compliment the needs of most students. These rotations may be tailored to include clinic-pathologic study, or basic research. Students will be expected to attend appropriate resident conferences and interdisciplinary conferences related to the specialty area they are studying as agreed upon by their supervising faculty. Independent study may also be arranged with pathology faculty not listed here. Specialty-Staff. Cardiovascular Pathology-Dr. Radio. Clinical Chemistry-Dr. Sofronescu. Cytology-Drs. Baker, Bridge, Lele, and Radio. Dermatopathology-Drs. DiMaio and Kozel. ENT-Dr. Baker. Flow Cytometry-Dr. Pirruccello. Gastrointestinal Pathology-Drs. Lazenby, Talmon, Cohen. Gynecologic Pathology-Dr. Lele. Hematopathology-Drs. Greiner, Fu, Qureishi, Yuan and Amador. Immunopathology-Dr. Johnson. Lung-Dr. West. Microbiology-Drs. Fey (Director), Hinrichs, Iwen. Molecular Pathology-Drs. Cushman-Vokoun, Greiner, Bridge. Neuropathology-Dr. McComb. Public Health Microbiology-Drs. Iwen, Fey, Hinrichs. Renal Pathology-Drs. Foster, Talmon. Soft Tissue-Drs. Bridge, DiMaio and Kozel. Transfusion Medicine-Dr. Landmark. Transplantation Pathology-Drs. Wisecarver, Radio. Urologic Pathology-Dr. Lele. Virology-Dr. Hinrichs. Microbiology-Drs. Hinrichs, Iwen. Genetic abnormalities in bone and soft tissue tumors-Dr. Bridge. Biomolecular immunology, lymphotropic viral oncogenesis and psychoneuroimmunology-Dr. Johnson.

Prerequisite: Pre-arranged with Dr. Lele and Staff Pathologist in charge of specialty of interest.

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Typically Offered: Variable.

Capacity: 1 per specialty.

Visiting Student Information: Visiting Students MUST apply through VSAS and may add a specialty interest by attaching a document in VSAS with their selection. DO NOT CONTACT STAFF.