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Liver Transplantation Faculty  

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REPORT TO: Externs report to Iris @ 7:30 a.m. in 72-215 UCLA. UCLA students contact Iris one week before starting the clerkship.  

COLLEGE AFFILIATION: Applied Anatomy  

AVAILABLE FOR EXTERNALS: Yes  

STUDENTS / PERIOD: max 2 min 1  

DURATION: 3 weeks  

2013-2014 ROTATIONS BEGIN WEEKS: 2, 5, 8, 11, 14, 17, 20, 27, 30, 33, 38, 41, 43, 47  

DESCRIPTION: This elective provides an excellent opportunity to learn about and manage adult and pediatric patients with liver failure in the critical care and acute care settings. In addition, this elective allows the student to experience the problems and complexity of transplantation. The student is responsible, under proper guidance, for managing patients with liver failure from the initial evaluation through the transplant operation and into the post-operative period. The student will be expected to participate in donor, recipient, and elective transplant and hepatobiliary surgeries, assist with the management of adult and pediatric pre- and post-transplant patients, and give an oral case presentation at the conclusion of the rotation.  

STUDENT EXPERIENCES  

COMMON PROBLEMS/DISEASES  
1. Chronic liver failure  
2. Acute liver failure  
3. Immunosuppressed patients  
4. Multorgan failure  
5. Hepatic tumors  
6. Portal hypertension  
7. Biliary problems  
8. Opportunistic infections  

INPATIENT: 95%  
OUTPATIENT: 5%  
CONSULTATION: 0%  
PRIMARY CARE: 100%  

CLOSE CONTACT WITH:  
X FULL-TIME FACULTY  
X CLINICAL FACULTY  
X FELLOWS  
X RESIDENTS  
X INTERNs  
OTHER:  

APPROXIMATE # OF PATIENTS EVALUATED EACH WEEK BY STUDENT: 5  
TOTAL # OF PATIENTS EVALUATED EACH WEEK BY ENTIRE SERVICE: 70  

TYPICAL WEEKLY SCHEDULE  

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| AM   | 7:00 – 9:00 Work Rounds  
      10:00 Transplant Evaluation Clinic | 7:00 – 9:00 Work Rounds | 7:00 – 11:00 Surgery Grand Rounds and Transplant conference | 7:00 – 9:00 Work Rounds  
      10:00 Post-Transplant Clinic | 7:00 – 9:00 Work Rounds |
| PM   | 1:00 – 3:00 Teaching Rounds  
      5:30 Pathology Conference | 1:00 – 3:00 Teaching Rounds  
      5-6 2nd Tuesday: Grand Rounds  
      3rd Tuesday: M&M | 1:00 – 4:00 Liver Cancer Clinic  
      5:00 Tumor Board (2nd & 4th) | 1:00 – 3:00 Teaching Rounds | 12:00 Patient Selection Committee  
      1:00 – 3:00 Teaching Rounds |

ON-CALL SCHEDULE & WEEKEND ACTIVITIES: On call every third night with resident. Available nights for liver transplants and local organ procurements.  

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS AND OTHER SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS: