

OBG1/3020-F – JI Any – Senior Clerkship in Gynecology

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Location

Gynecology Clinics: Regional One Outpatient Center – Continuity of Care Clinic, Colposcopy Clinic

Gynecology Surgery: Regional One Medical Center – Chandler and Outpatient Surgery Center

Gynecologic Oncology Surgery: Baptist Women’s Hospital, Baptist Hospital, Methodist University Hospital
Methodist Germantown, Hospital, St. Francis Hospital-Memphis

Gynecologic Oncology Clinics: West Cancer Center

Reproductive Endocrinology Clinic: Regional One Medical Center – Quince & Kirby

Reproductive Endocrinology Surgery: Baptist Women’s Hospital, Methodist Germantown Hospital

Description of Elective

This 4-week elective will allow students to become more familiar with Gynecology outpatient care involving such issues as infections, colposcopy, and contraception. On the Gynecology service, students will participate in surgeries under the supervision of Attendings and Residents. Students can also choose to spend time on the Gynecologic Oncology service and Reproductive Endocrinology service, where they will participate in surgeries and clinic. Students will attend rounds, grand rounds, and conferences.

Faculty

Attendings and Residents assigned to Gynecology for the month will supervise students in the evaluation and management of patients.

Elective Goals

To acquire an enhanced knowledge and skill set in Ob/Gyn in preparation for an Ob/Gyn residency.

Elective Objectives

Under the supervision of the Gyn Attending or Resident, students will

- assess assigned Gyn patients by obtaining a detailed, organized and accurate history and physical examination, which supports a logical assessment and management plans
- follow assigned patients daily, review diagnostic results
- write progress notes
- give oral case presentations
- continue to improve surgical skills
- continue to develop professional behavior and the skills necessary to communicate with patients and other health care workers effectively
- continue to increase medical knowledge. Students will be directed to pertinent literature regarding patients being cared for on the service.

Attendance

Students must attend clinical assignments, am/pm rounds, grand rounds, and scheduled conferences. Any absences must be approved by the Clerkship Director.

Duty Hours

60 hours per week.

Rotation Weekly Schedule - (can be customized to suit the student's preferences)

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Sat & Sun
6 am	Rounds	Rounds 6:30 am Turnover	Rounds	Rounds	Rounds	Rounds
7 am	Turnover	GR or Conf	Turnover	Turnover	Turnover	
8 am	Surgery	Consults	Colpo Clinic	Surgery	Surgery	
9 am	Surgery	Consults	Colpo Clinic	Surgery	Surgery	
10 am	Surgery	Consults	Colpo Clinic	Surgery	Surgery	
11 am	Surgery	Consults	Colpo Clinic	Surgery	Surgery	
Noon						
1 pm	Surgery	Colpo Clinic	COC Clinic	COC Clinic	Surgery	
2 pm	Surgery	Colpo Clinic	COC Clinic	COC Clinic	Surgery	
3 pm	Surgery	Colpo Clinic	COC Clinic	COC Clinic	Surgery	
4 pm	Surgery	Colpo Clinic	COC Clinic	COC Clinic	Surgery	

Professional Conduct

In 1986, the College of Medicine established its Code of Professional Conduct. The document, available in *The Centerscope*, addresses those responsibilities to patients, colleagues, family, and community as well as to the individuals themselves. Following discussion with incoming students, it is assumed that all will subscribe to this code as part of their commitment to the profession of medicine. An egregious professionalism violation may be considered grounds for course failure.

Declaration of Disability

Any student who would like to self-disclose as a student with a disability in the College of Medicine at UTHSC must register and officially request accommodations through the Disability Coordinator in Student Academic Support Services and Inclusion (SASSI). Regardless of a student's geographic location for experiential education, all requests for accommodations must be submitted with supporting documentation and reviewed for reasonableness by the Disability Consultant. Students should contact Laurie Brooks to set up an appointment to discuss specific needs at lbrook15@uthsc.edu or (901) 448-1452. All conversations regarding requests for accommodations are confidential.

Evaluation/Student Assessment

Students are evaluated by the Attending and Residents they've worked with on the service. A summative clinical assessment is completed at the end of the student's elective rotation and is based on the following:

- History taking
- Physical examination
- Ability to organize data and formulate hypotheses
- Technical skills
- Fund of information
- Ability to relate to patients
- Interest in learning and intellectual aggressiveness
- Thoroughness, consistency, and reliability with responsibilities

Grading Scale

<u>Letter Grade</u>	<u>Final Percentage</u>
A	89.50 - 100
B	78.50 - 89.49
C	67.50 - 78.49
F	≤ 67.49

Academic Difficulty

Students having difficulty in the elective are strongly encouraged to contact the Clerkship Director, Chief Resident, or Attending on the service. Students are also encouraged to check with SASSI, the Kaplan Clinical Skills Center or CHiPs to see if academic support is available.

Evaluation of Elective

Students are strongly encouraged to complete the online Hall Tacket evaluation after completing their elective.

Textbooks and Literature

Comprehensive Gynecology – Lentz, et al. 5th edition
Clinical Gynecologic Endocrinology & Infertility, Fritz, et al., 9th edition
Principles and Practice of Gynecologic Oncology – Barakat, et al., 7th edition
Essentials of Obstetrics & Gynecology – Hacker, et al., 5th edition
Bates' Guide to Physical Examination – Bickley, 12th edition
Williams Obstetrics – Cunningham, et al., 25th edition
Williams Gynecology – Hoffman, et al., 3rd edition
Obstetrics and Gynecology – Beckmann, et al., 8th edition

UTHSC Student Mistreatment Policy

<https://uthsc.policymedical.net/policymed/anonymous/docViewer?token=de47aa28-16aa-408b-9c96-cb04f232964f&dtoken=cee2a25e-3362-4134-ba62-62213492f7b8>