

PATHOLOGY

POSTGRADUATE INFORMATION

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Overview of Rotation

Residents are treated like junior pathology staff: they receive all types of surgical specimens and are expected to request appropriate further investigations, correlate with clinical information, and formulate a report. Residents participate in frozen sections and report findings to the surgeon involved.

Schedule

Vacation and conference requests should be submitted to the education lead in advance of the rotation.

Preceptor Assignment

Residents work with all of the pathology staff on a rotating basis.

Educational Activities

Residents participate in daily gross rounds and microscope rounds. In addition, residents attend multidisciplinary rounds, and present pathology when required.

Assessment

Final evaluation is based on the standard ITER used in the Lab Medicine program, and is completed by the education lead. The assessment is based on interactions with all of the pathology staff.

Other information

The rotation is intended for senior pathology residents only. There is no opportunity for specimen grossing.