

Feedback For Program Location:

University of Pittsburgh Medical Center By Dr. Burns in Pittsburgh, PA
by 33 students on April 21st, 2011

OCPM Student Program Evaluation Feedback Form

01. In surgery, did you ... :

a. Scrub-In?

Yes 100%

No - 0%

b. Glove & Gown?

Yes 97%

No - 3%

c. Act as Scrub Nurse?

Yes 39.4%

No - 60.6%

d. Retract or Assist in Surgical Field?

Yes 97%

No - 3%

e. Suture?

Yes 90.9%

No - 9.1%

f. Perform Skin-Skin Procedures?

Yes 12.1%

No - 87.9%

Program Requirements & Recommendations

02. Please type in your answers to the questions below. (Note: 500 character maximum for each question)

a. What specific preparation should future students do prior to participating in this program?

- ◊ Review diabetic wound care
- ◊ Surgery Trauma Pharmacology Pod Med
- ◊ review surgery procedures and protocols
- ◊ Read classic articles such as the Austin Lapidus Saunders Ramsey and Hamilton etc.
- ◊ study
- ◊ study surgery and trauma-concentrate on rearfoot ankle as well as forefoot
- ◊ Rearfoot reconstruction procedures
- ◊ Read anything and everything. Really academic program. Try to read journal articles and know why performing procedure
- ◊ everything
- ◊ Review anatomy know instrumentation and read over principles of internal fixation
- ◊
- ◊ history
- ◊ Study up on AO technique and classifications
- ◊ know classic articles Lapidus etc.
- ◊ know fixation
- ◊ Know classifications read latest articles
- ◊ NA
- ◊ NA
- ◊ study notes

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 - ◊ read articles
 - ◊ study
 - ◊ have a good knowledge of podiatric and regular medicine
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 - ◊ AO techniques and principles anatomy and current articles
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 - ◊ Trauma Surgery Diabetic Foot
 - ◊ Study everything esp. surgery and prepare to get pimped but in a good way
 - ◊
 - ◊ Clinic and surgical skills strong academics
- b. What instruments or materials were you required to bring?
- ◊ Neuro instruments
 - ◊ All instruments
 - ◊ white lab coat and name plate
 - ◊ White coat bandage scissors also helpful to have neurological hammer SWMF tape measure
 - ◊ scissors SWMF tuning fork
 - ◊ scissors SWM 5.07 neuro hammer
 - ◊ none
 - ◊ lab coat
 - ◊ lab coat SWM scissors
 - ◊ scissors penlight and tuning fork
 - ◊
 - ◊ noe
 - ◊ Scissors SWMF Tuning fork
 - ◊ bandage scissors
 - ◊ none
 - ◊ white coat
 - ◊
 - ◊ NA
 - ◊ tuning fork semmes weinstein
 - ◊ tuning fork semmes weinstein
 - ◊ none
 - ◊ tuning fork
 - ◊ lab coat scissors SWMF Tractograph
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 - ◊ neurologic tools and bandage scissors
 - ◊ bandage scissors
 - ◊ bandage scissors
 - ◊ bandage scissors
 - ◊ White Coat 5.07 SWMF tuning fork
 - ◊ bandage scissors neuro hammer monofilament
 - ◊
 - ◊ tuning fork scissors
- c. What were your chief responsibilities on this program?
- ◊ Assist the residents in clinicsurgery
 - ◊ Seeing patients being on call presenting case studies etc
 - ◊ assist in surgery and see patients in clinic
 - ◊ show up be on time be eager to learn
 - ◊ assist in surgery and clinic
 - ◊ See patients and present to attending assist in surgery presentation at end of month participate in skills workshops and radiology rounds
 - ◊ Do your required tasks according to the schedule
 - ◊ assist residents observe a lot learn
 - ◊ work hard come early and stay late
 - ◊ Seeing patients helping residents attendings and giving a presentation
 - ◊
 - ◊ none

- ◊ Write notes see patients and assist in surgery
 - ◊ assist the residents powerpoint presentation
 - ◊ follow residents
 - ◊ none
 - ◊
 - ◊ NA
 - ◊ shadow residents
 - ◊ shadow residents
 - ◊ assist and observe
 - ◊ assist in surgery study round see patients
 - ◊ assistant residents see patients
 - ◊ assistant residents see patients
 - ◊ assistant residents see patients
 - ◊ assist residents and attendings
 - ◊ follow the residents carry supplies assist residents with dressing changes or whatever they may need
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 - ◊ Assist all residents and attendings. LEARN
 - ◊ See pts assist in surgery
 - ◊
 - ◊ treating patients in clinic HPs assisting in sx
- d. What were the most valuable learning experiences of this program?
- ◊ Radiology Rounds
 - ◊ Surgery and Trauma
 - ◊ learning hospital protocols and experiencing surgery
 - ◊ external fixation foot and ankle reconstruction with Dr. Wukich reviewing and understanding journal articles
 - ◊ all the questions the director and residents ask
 - ◊ hands on experience
 - ◊ Everything from clinic to surgery.
 - ◊ All of it from surgical exposure to office
 - ◊ working with Dr. Wukich
 - ◊ the academic exposure and practical pathologycases seen was invaluable. The opportunity to present and rely on recent literature. The journal clubs were very valuable. The approachability of the attendings and residents made the experience even better.
 - ◊
 - ◊ alot
 - ◊ Highly academic and prepared me for the rest of the year
 - ◊ the attendings mock interview
 - ◊ very academic
 - ◊ MRI CT surgery
 - ◊ Academic learning
 - ◊ Academic learning
 - ◊ general podiatry
 - ◊ general podiatry
 - ◊ resident academics
 - ◊ lots of pathology
 - ◊ the didactics
 - ◊ the didactics
 - ◊ the didactics
 - ◊ hands on experience
 - ◊ sometimes just watching and observing is a great learning experience I learned to perform the same exam on each patient just so you do not miss anything based on the patients complaint
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 - ◊ you are challenged everyday
 - ◊ Dr. Burns is awesome and the residents are cool
 - ◊
 - ◊ Clinic sx and academic literature
- e. What aspects of this program need improvement and/or attention? Please make suggestions.
- ◊ None
 - ◊ need more acute trauma and pediatrics
 - ◊ none

- ◊ Nothing--great experience
- ◊ Residents need to calm down about being at UPMC
- ◊ None
- ◊ program director
- ◊ none
- ◊ none
- ◊ needs more forefoot
- ◊ none
- ◊ none
- ◊ a
- ◊ none
- ◊ great program do not think that they see a lot of pediatrics
- ◊ too big to experience everything in 1 month
- ◊ none

03. Which best describes the location of this practice or hospital site:

- Rural Area - 0%
- Small Town - 3%
- Small City - 21.2%
- Suburb - 0%
- Large City - 0%
- No Answer - 75.8%

Additional Costs & Activities

04. Please type in your answers to the questions below about activities and necessary items. (Note: 500 character maximum per question)

- a. If there was free time on weekends from this program, what did you find to do?
- ◊ Went home
 - ◊ explore Pittsburg
 - ◊ study
 - ◊ spent time with my family went out on E. Carson St.
 - ◊ went to star trek convention
 - ◊ check out Pittsburgh
 - ◊ travel back to cleveland
 - ◊ Free weekends hang out in apt
 - ◊ sleep and read
 - ◊ The city is very nice and had alot of restaurants and professional sports teams for events
 - ◊ study
 - ◊ check out Pittsburgh
 - ◊ explore pittsburgh
 - ◊ hang out with residents
 - ◊ study
 - ◊ friends. sightsee.
 - ◊ went home
 - ◊ there is a lot to do in pittsburgh including pro sports teams museums tours plays restaurants etc.
 - ◊ STEELERS Iron City Light study
 - ◊ went back to CLE
 - ◊ tour
 - ◊ Pens games
- b. If free housing was provided, please list where.
- ◊ Beside the hospital
 - ◊ Across the street from the hospital
 - ◊ across street from hospital
 - ◊ across the street from the hospital
 - ◊ across from hospital
 - ◊ apartment accross from hospital
 - ◊ across from the hospital
 - ◊ Yes in an apt next to hospital
 - ◊ yes next to hospital
 - ◊ Free housing was provided literally across from the hospital 30 seconds walking distance
 - ◊

- ◊ yes
- ◊ Housing next to the hospital
- ◊ apartment across from hospital
- ◊ acrossed the street apartment
- ◊ 200 deposit and you get 100 back when you turn in keys
- ◊
- ◊ NA
- ◊ apartment
- ◊ yes apartment
- ◊ program apartment
- ◊ upmc apartment
- ◊ next to the hospital
- ◊ next to the hospital
- ◊ next to the hospital
- ◊ not free 200 dollars
- ◊ free housing was provided less than a block from the hospital
- ◊ free housing was provided less than a block from the hospital
- ◊ free housing was provided less than a block from the hospital
- ◊ no
- ◊ no
- ◊
- ◊ Across the street from the hospital

c. If there was NO housing provided, please list where you stayed and the cost.

- ◊ Provided
- ◊ NA
- ◊ na
- ◊ na
- ◊ see above
- ◊
- ◊ NA
- ◊ NA
- ◊ NA
- ◊
- ◊
- ◊ none
- ◊
- ◊ na
- ◊ na
- ◊ na
- ◊
- ◊ NA
- ◊
- ◊ apartment
- ◊
- ◊ na
- ◊
- ◊ a
- ◊ a
- ◊ na
- ◊
- ◊
- ◊
- ◊ Program provided apartment that cost 200
- ◊ 200 to stay in their student house
- ◊
- ◊ NA

d. Where free meals provided? Yes No If not, where did you eat and at what cost per week.

- ◊ Residents paid for some meals
- ◊ Some free food- student can buy discounted meal cards
- ◊ breakfast lunch.
- ◊ No you could buy a 5 meal card for 3 and eat in the cafeteria in the hospital
- ◊ no discounted meals at cafeteria
- ◊ No
- ◊ no
- ◊ No at a discounted price in cafeteria bought groceries

- ◊ yes
- ◊ No but we were provided with 5 meal cards at a cost of 3
- ◊
- ◊ nope
- ◊ 3 dollars for meals
- ◊ can buy groceries and discounted meal tickets
- ◊ no kitchen in apartment
- ◊ no but residents paid for my meals
- ◊
- ◊ NA
- ◊ none. Ate out daily. 20 dollars per day
- ◊ none. Ate out daily. 20 dollars per day
- ◊ no
- ◊ no-restaurants
- ◊ yes
- ◊ yes
- ◊ yes
- ◊ occasionally
- ◊ meals were not payed for i mainly ate in the cafeteria for lunch and breakfast I would buy food for dinner or bring food from my home
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- ◊ No. I bought food at Giant Eagle and the cafe.
- ◊ no ate in cafeteria
- ◊
- ◊ No ate at the cafeteria and paid with cash. 50

e. Did you need a car for the program?

- ◊ Yes
- ◊ yes
- ◊ yes
- ◊ yes
- ◊ no
- ◊ Yes- some travel to offices
- ◊ yes
- ◊ No but recommend if need to go to outside offices
- ◊ no
- ◊ Yes
- ◊
- ◊ yes
- ◊ yes
- ◊ yes
- ◊ for a couple days
- ◊ yes- rare occasions
- ◊
- ◊ NA
- ◊ yes
- ◊
- ◊
- ◊ No
- ◊ yes
- ◊
- ◊ Yes

f. If you did need a car, how many miles a day did you drive?

- ◊ 10
- ◊ ten or so

- ◊ 1
- ◊ 5-7 miles once per week
- ◊ see above
- ◊ 40 week
- ◊ depends on which week you are on clinic duty because other weeks you dont drive at all
- ◊ Depends where office is located generally did not drive during the day just walked to hospital or near office from apt
- ◊ NA
- ◊ Only drove for a few doctors offices and that was a total of 2 days out of the month
- ◊
- ◊ 1
- ◊ varied
- ◊ 0-10
- ◊ na
- ◊ less than 1 mile
- ◊
- ◊ NA
- ◊ 10
- ◊ 10
- ◊ 10
- ◊ occasionally to private offices
- ◊ 20
- ◊ 20
- ◊ 20
- ◊ 25
- ◊ no more than 10-15 miles at the most but it was not every day
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- ◊ no more than 10-15 miles at the most but it was not every day
- ◊ no
- ◊ most days didnt need to drive house is like 30 sec. from hospital
- ◊
- ◊ 10miday but the resident gave you a ride

g. How much did the transportation to the program and back cost?

- ◊ 50
- ◊ 40.00
- ◊ less than 200 dollars
- ◊ 30
- ◊ nothing I stole gas from my neighbors car. Also I stole his car
- ◊ tank of gas
- ◊ 75
- ◊ gas cost
- ◊ NA
- ◊ na
- ◊
- ◊ none
- ◊ Able to drive
- ◊ 40
- ◊ 50
- ◊ 2 12 hour drive from cleveland
- ◊
- ◊ NA
- ◊ 300
- ◊ 300
- ◊ minimal
- ◊ cost of gas
- ◊ a tank of gas
- ◊ a tank of gas
- ◊ a tank of gas
- ◊ na
- ◊ 15 for the month maybe if that
- ◊ 15 for the month maybe if that
- ◊ 15 for the month maybe if that
- ◊ gas
- ◊ gas to and from CLE to PGH

- ◊
- ◊ NA

h. Is there a residency program associated with this program?

- ◊ Yes
- ◊
- ◊ yes

- ◊
- ◊ NA
- ◊ yes

- ◊
- ◊
- ◊ Yes
- ◊ yes
- ◊
- ◊ yes

i. Did you experience any special problems at this program? If so, what were they?

- ◊ None
- ◊ none
- ◊ na
- ◊ none
- ◊ no
- ◊ No
- ◊ none
- ◊ No problems
- ◊ long hours very tired
- ◊ no
- ◊
- ◊ nope
- ◊
- ◊ na
- ◊ no
- ◊ no
- ◊
- ◊ NA
- ◊ none
- ◊ none
- ◊ no
- ◊

- ◊
- ◊ none
- ◊ none
- ◊
- ◊ none great program

Hour & Patient Estimates

05. List the average number of hours you spent on the program each day of the week:

i. Monday

6AM

6PM hour(s).

ii. Tuesday

6AM

6PM hour(s).

iii. Wednesday

6AM

6PM hour(s).

iv. Thursday

6AM

5PM hour(s).

v. Friday

6AM

6PM hour(s).

vi. Saturday

1AM

1PM hour(s).

vii. Sunday

0AM

0PM hour(s).

06. Which hours and days of the week were spent participating in the following: (List all office sites and hospitals if applicable) ex. MTWTh 8a-3p, Sa 1-2pm, Su 10-11a

a. Office hours

- ◊ M-F 8a-5p
- ◊ 8am-5pm- MW F
- ◊ one week m-f 6a-6p
- ◊ One week you have office hours M-F from 7:30 a.m.
- ◊ m-f 6-6
- ◊ TTh 7-5
- ◊ 40
- ◊ M-F if on office that week generally starts 7-8 am
- ◊ varies
- ◊ typically 7:30-4:30
- ◊

- ◊ yes
- ◊ Varied depending on attending
- ◊ MTWThF 8-5
- ◊ 2 weeks of the program
- ◊ 4 hours each on 3 different days
- ◊
- ◊ NA
- ◊ mtwthf 8a-3p
- ◊ mtwthf 8a-3p
- ◊ 0
- ◊ MTWThF 7-4
- ◊ f
- ◊ f
- ◊ f
- ◊ 2-4 days a wk
- ◊ one week during the month was spent at a private p
- ◊ one week during the month was spent at a private p
- ◊ one week during the month was spent at a private p
- ◊ 25
- ◊ You spend 1 week on office 9-4
- ◊
- ◊ MWF8-4

b. Hospital Floors or Surgery hours

- ◊ M-F 6a-8a
- ◊ 7am-5pm- T Th
- ◊ one week m-f 6a-6p
- ◊ One week out of the month you are on surgery and h
- ◊ m-f 6-6
- ◊ MWF 7-5
- ◊ 40
- ◊ Usually 6 am rounds surgery after that till done u
- ◊ 8am-8pm
- ◊ typically 7:00-6:00
- ◊
- ◊ yes
- ◊ Surgery days were 6 am to 4
- ◊ MTWThF 6:30 - 5
- ◊ whenever on surgery rotation
- ◊ 6-8 hours of surgery a day
- ◊
- ◊ NA
- ◊ mtwthf 8a-3p
- ◊ mtwthf 8a-3p
- ◊ m-f 6-5
- ◊ rounds in the am
- ◊ h
- ◊ h
- ◊ h
- ◊ 1-2 days a wk
- ◊ round usually every morning Tuesday surgery usuall
- ◊ round usually every morning Tuesday surgery usuall
- ◊ round usually every morning Tuesday surgery usuall
- ◊ 50
- ◊ 6-5 M-F
- ◊
- ◊ TThF Varied each week

c. Hospital Clinic hours

- ◊ M-F 8a-5p
- ◊ 8am-5pm- M-F
- ◊ one week m-f 6a-6p
- ◊ When you are not busy you may work in the clinic.
- ◊ m-f -6-6
- ◊
- ◊ 40
- ◊ none

- ◊ 9am-5pm
- ◊ na
- ◊
- ◊ yes
- ◊ Usually till 6 pm
- ◊ na
- ◊ none
- ◊ 10 each day for atleast 3 weeks
- ◊ NA
- ◊ NA
- ◊ Mon - Fri 7-3
- ◊ Mon - Fri 7-3
- ◊ 0
- ◊ MTWThF 7-4
- ◊ h
- ◊ h
- ◊ h
- ◊ 2hrs a day
- ◊ Depending on surgery but usually all day MWF and h
- ◊ Depending on surgery but usually all day MWF and h
- ◊ Depending on surgery but usually all day MWF and h
- ◊ 25
- ◊ 0
- ◊
- ◊ Early morning rounds and academic presentations

d. Nursing Home hours

- ◊ None
- ◊ NA
- ◊ na
- ◊ none
- ◊ none
- ◊
- ◊ 0
- ◊ none
- ◊ 0
- ◊ na
- ◊
- ◊ nope
- ◊ no nursing home
- ◊ na
- ◊ none
- ◊ no
- ◊
- ◊ NA
- ◊ mtwthf 8a-3p
- ◊ mtwthf 8a-3p
- ◊ 0
- ◊ none
- ◊ h
- ◊ h
- ◊ h
- ◊ none
- ◊ 0
- ◊ 0
- ◊
- ◊ 0
- ◊ 0
- ◊
- ◊ NA

e. Other hours

- ◊ M-F 8a-5p
- ◊ 8am-5pm- MW F
- ◊ one week m-f 6a-6p
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- ◊
- ◊ MWF8-4

07. Please fill in the totals below.

- a. Total number of patients seen by the end of the program:
— **159 Average Number of Patients seen by 33 students.**
- b. Total number of hours spent in program activities by the end of the program:
— **269.39 Average Total Hours spent by 33 students.**

08. Please list any areas of concentration observed while attending this program?

- Trauma Rearfoot
- Forefoot Rearfoot surgeries External fixations etc
- surgery
- classification systems trauma reconstruction of foot and ankle PTTD
- reconstructive rearfoot ankle implants fusions charcot reconstruction
- all aspects of surgery primary care at VA in Pittsburgh pre-op and post-op in clinic
- Whole loads of exfix and rearfoot pathologies
- Trauma etiology of why have to have surgery fixation types
- surgery and everything podiatry orthopedics
-
-
- surgery and history
- Highly Academic Highly Surgical
- internalexternal fixation
- rearfoot surgery
- Rearfoot surgery
-
- NA
- none
- none
- surgery
- surgery
- reconstructive diabetic foot surgery
- reconstructive diabetic foot surgery
- reconstructive diabetic foot surgery
- charcot
- lots of surgery trauma charcot reconstruction clinic

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- Surgery Trauma Diabetic Foot
- surgery!
-
- Diabetic foot care trauma sports med wound care

09. Average number of patients per day, including hospital rounds:

- a. Office: — **23**
- b. Hospital: — **9**

10. Rate this program overall on a scale of one to ten. 10 is best:
— **9.52 out of 10 Average Rating of 33 students.**

11. Would you recommend this program?

- Yes: — 97%
- No: — 3%