

**General Surgery
Goals and Objectives
PGY2 level residents
Endoscopy Rotation**

Medical Expert:

By the end of a 2 month rotation the Resident should be able to

1. Demonstrate knowledge related to the indications for upper and lower endoscopy
2. Demonstrate knowledge related to appropriate screening guidelines for colorectal cancer and appropriate interval endoscopy schedules
3. Pass the gastroscope and complete an endoscopic examination of the upper intestinal tract with end viewing gastroscope
4. Demonstrate a practical knowledge of modalities to treat upper intestinal bleeding
5. Participate in approximately 120-150 lower endoscopies over a 2 month dedicated rotation
6. Pass the colonoscope and reach cecum in 80% of cases
7. Conduct an endoscopic biopsy
8. Conduct a snare polypectomy; both cold and hot
9. Conduct a simple polypectomy
10. Demonstrate a working understanding of advanced polypectomy
11. Complete an history in patients with of GI problems
12. Intubate terminal ileum in some cases, with some assistance

Communicator:

By the end of a 2 month rotation the Resident should be able to

1. Obtain consent for endoscopic procedures and explains plans in a terminology that is understandable to patients
2. Establish therapeutic relationships and communicate well with families
3. Demonstrates empathy and sensitivity to racial, gender and cultural issues.

Collaborator:

By the end of a 2 month rotation the Resident should be able to

1. Work with a team in the endoscopy unit to form a cohesive and efficient unit and acts as a positive force in the endoscopy unit
2. Work effectively with Gastroenterologists and communicates history and physical exam findings, diagnostic and therapeutic plans effectively to health care professionals, including consultants
3. Demonstrates an understanding of role in team.
4. Manages differences and resolves conflict.
5. Asks for assistance appropriately.

Health Advocate:

By the end of a 2 month rotation the Resident should be able to

1. Counsel patients regarding colorectal cancer screening guidelines

Scholar

1. Effectively use evidence in day to day clinical work
2. Read around cases to expand scope of knowledge

Professional

By the end of a 2 month rotation the Resident should be able to

1. Exhibit responsibility, honesty, accountability, integrity and respect for the Code of Conduct
2. Demonstrate insight and self-assessment skills by seeking advice when necessary and responding appropriately
3. Keep an appropriate procedure log of cases