Anesthesiology Clerkships for Visiting 4th Year Medical Students

Name of Institution / Location:

University of Wisconsin School of Medicine and Public Health/University of Wisconsin Hospital & Clinics, Madison, WI

Institution Description:

University of Wisconsin Hospital and Clinics is a 566-bed facility that ranks among the finest academic medical centers in the United States. With more than 1,200 UW Health physicians and 85 outpatient clinics, UW Hospital and Clinics also offers six intensive care units (trauma and life support, pediatric, cardiac, cardiothoracic, burn, neurosurgery) with 83 total beds. UW Hospital and Clinics is one of only two organizations in Wisconsin with designated Level One adult and pediatric trauma centers.

Geographic Description:

Madison, the capital of Wisconsin, offers a quality of life second to none. Home to approximately 230,000 people, Madison has been the perennial recipient of countless awards and accolades. In just the past few years Madison has been recognized as one of the top ten healthiest, most bike friendly, and most secure cities, as well as one of the top ten places to buy a home and to raise a family.

Facilities / Services at which students rotate:

1) Main OR
2) Ambulatory OR
3) Chronic Pain Clinic (elective)
4) Pediatric OR
5) Acute Pain Service (elective)
6) Obstetric Service (elective)

Approximate Core Faculty to Resident Ratio: 2:1

Approximate Number of Residents: 47

CRNAs / AAs on staff: Yes, both

Presence of CRNAs / AAs in training: No

Length of Rotation offered: 4 weeks (negotiable)

Call Requirement: No

Scheduled Didactic Series: Weekly department case conference, weekly Grand Rounds, weekly resident lectures, monthly Journal Club, simulator experience

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Housing: The University of Wisconsin School of Medicine and Public Health in Madison does not provide housing, meals or transportation for visiting students. Short-term housing availability is listed in the Medical Student Association MarketPlace (http://uwmedstudents.com/uw-medical-student-marketplace/)

Please note: There is no parking available at University of Wisconsin Hospital and Clinics (Clinical Science Center, or CSC). After your complete application has been received, and you have been accepted and registered for your clerkships, you may e-mail the visiting students coordinator at studentservices@med.wisc.edu to obtain information about independent community members who are willing to rent rooms to visiting students on a short-term basis.

Flexibility of Scheduling: Some flexibility depending on number of students registered for given block

Student Capacity: 4 max during each block

Months Available: Oct – Jan

Learning Opportunities for Student:

An apprenticeship in anesthesiology from preop assessment to postop management. Emphasis is on peri-operative patient management, including communication skills, airway management, needle technique, physiology and pharmacology related to anesthesia and disease states.

Pre-Requisites:

Due to high demand and limited availability, we ask that interested candidates email or fax a CV, cover letter and transcript to Dee Mussehl (mussehl@wisc.edu or fax: 608-262-1061). Accepted students will be notified and should then arrange the rotation through the UW School of Medicine and Public Health. Application instructions and eligibility requirements can be found at the following web page: http://www.med.wisc.edu/education/visiting-students/main/377

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