

Internal Medicine

- a. A required rotation of two 4-week blocks occurring in the PGY-I year.
- b. Faculty consists of full-time and community volunteer faculty from Department of Internal Medicine, College of Human Medicine, Michigan State University.
- c. Residents spend 3 hours weekly at Michigan State University (Tuesday afternoon) for psychiatry seminars and case conferences. Faculty participate in daily inpatient rounds and are available for on-site and telephone consultation as needed. Residents also attend Internal Medicine Grand Rounds and specially offered topical seminars. Caseloads are broad and represent common Internal Medicine clinical presentations. Residents participate in patient care on inpatient services.
- d. The patient population treated parallels the community ratios with approximately 50% female, 50% male, 60% white, 30% African-American, 7% Hispanic and 3% Asian. During their inpatient rotations, residents spend the majority of their time managing complex cases with senior residents and teaching physicians. Opportunities for inpatient procedure experiences exist. Electives are available in a limited number of specialty areas.
- e. An average inpatient caseload is 8-10 patients per day. The University service is capped at 12 patients.
- f. All residents have required individual supervision once weekly with their psychiatry supervisor. All residents are required to attend Internal Medicine rounds and see each patient with an Internal Medicine attending physician.