

Block Rotation Schedule
Internal Medicine Residency Program
Southeast Health
Program Code: 1400100900

PGY1

Block*	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13*
Institution	Site 1	Site 1	Site 1	Site 1	Site 1	Site 1	Site 1	Site 1	Site 1	Site 1	Site 1	Site 1	Site 1-6***
Rotation/Name	Wards ¹	Wards ¹	Wards ¹	Wards ¹	Wards ¹	Wards ¹	ICU ⁹	ICU ⁹	Academic ⁵	Elective ³	Elective ³	Cardiology	Specialty ²
% Outpatient**	14%	14%	14%	14%	14%	14%	0%	0%	20%	60%	60%	50%	50%
% Research	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	70%	0	0	0	0

PGY2

Block*	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13*
Institution	Site 1	Site 1	Site 1	Site 1	Site 1	Site 1	Site 3	Site 1	Site 1	Site 1	Site 1	Site 1-6***	Site 1-6***
Rotation/Name	Wards ¹	Wards ¹	Wards ¹	N Float/Admit	N Float/Admit	ICU ⁹	Elective ³	Elective ³	Amb/Elect ⁴	Clinic ⁶	ER ⁷	Specialty ²	Specialty ²
% Outpatient**	14%	14%	14%	0%	0%	0%	50%	60%	100%	100%	100%	50%	50%
% Research	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

PGY3

Block*	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13*
Institution	Site 1	Site 1	Site 1	Site 1	Site 1	Site 1	Site 1	Site 1	Site 1	Site 1	Site 1	Site 1-	Site 1-6***
Rotation/Name	Wards ¹	Wards ¹	Wards ¹	IM Consult ⁸	Night Adm ¹¹	Night Adm ¹¹	ICU ⁹	Elective ³	Amb/Elect ⁴	Amb/Elect ⁴	Clinic ⁶	Specialty ²	Specialty ²
% Outpatient**	14%	14%	14%	14%	0%	0%	0%	60%	100%	100%	100%	50%	50%
% Research	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Please refer to the KEY on the next page...

Internal Medicine Block Rotation Schedule KEY:

*All years consist of 13 four-week blocks. All rotations are scheduled at the primary training site, with possible (rare) exceptions for Away Elective rotations. The x+y organization of the inpatient ward block rotations are now three weeks in inpatient service and one week in outpatient service. This 3/1 is during ward blocks only.

Vacation time is taken only during Elective rotation or during the Research/Academic rotation.

**Outpatient percentages are estimated based on known practice patterns of the Attendings for the Specialty and Elective rotations as well as the three/one ratio of inpatient/outpatient time during ward rotations.

***Refer to Participating Site information for site 1 – 6 in the ADS that will be assigned depending on chosen core rotation.

1. **Wards:** Residents provide general internal medicine inpatient care (non-critical care) in teams led by Associate Program Directors and Core Faculty Internal Medicine physicians. The cap number of patients per intern is 8 and they are on wards for three weeks followed by one week of continuity clinic.
2. **Specialty** rotations are scheduled in the following five specialty areas: one Specialty rotation during PGY-1, and two each during years PGY-2 and PGY-3.
The order of these five rotations is flexible and may be scheduled based on the interest and needs of each resident, e.g. for early fellowship planning. They are:
Gastroenterology, Hematology/Oncology, Infectious Disease, Nephrology, Pulmonary Medicine
3. **Elective** rotations may consist of any of the “Specialty” rotations listed above, or any of the following additional specialty areas:
Endocrinology, Neurology, Rheumatology, Psychiatry, Geriatrics, Administrative Medicine, Sleep Medicine
Residents are in continuity clinic two half days per week while in any elective rotation.
4. **Ambulatory Elective** rotations may be scheduled in the following outpatient-only specialty areas:
Allergy/Immunology, Ambulatory Primary Care, Dermatology, Non-operative Orthopedics, Office Gynecology
Residents are in continuity clinic two half days per week while in any ambulatory elective rotation.
5. **Academic:** Each resident completes a research project or a related Quality Improvement/Patient Safety project for graduation.
During Research rotations residents complete several modules on conducting research, grant application and planning their research project. They will attend continuity clinic two half days per week while in this block rotation.
6. **Clinic:** The “Clinic rotation” is a 4 week ambulatory block of outpatient encounters for PGY2 and PGY3 residents. It provided the resident the educational opportunity to evaluate and treat patients that may, or may not know, in an acute ambulatory model. The resident has 3 half days per week in their own continuity clinic in this ambulatory rotation.

7. **Emergency Medicine:** Residents participate as team members in the 60,000-annual- visit Emergency Department, with an emphasis on evaluating and assisting in the care of critically ill patients under the supervision of the attending emergency department physician. The rotation starts with noon conference and then in the ER from 1pm to midnight. There is no ambulatory clinic in this rotation.
8. **IM Consult:** The Internal Medicine Consult rotation is a 4-week rotation designed with the goal to enable PGY3 residents at Southeast Health to provide medical consultation to other specialties practicing within the system. There is no call during this rotation. The resident will provide consultation in different settings including the behavioral medicine unit, intensive care units, and the medical/surgical wards. The resident will spend one half day per week in their continuity clinic during this rotation.
9. **ICU:** Residents provide care for critical care patients in teams under the supervision of in-house critical care intensivists. There is no continuity clinic scheduled during ICU rotations.
10. **Night Float/Admit:** Night Float/Admitter rotation is a four week inpatient rotation for PGY-2 residents. The night float is now also the night admission PGY2 resident that admits 5 admissions, as well as cross covering for the patients of the three resident inpatient teams overnight. The two previous separate PGY2 residents, (PGY2 Night Float and PGY2 Night Admitter) now will alternate with each other, 4 nights on and three nights off to minimize burnout. The rotation involves caring for patients with a wide variety of diseases including sepsis, pneumonia, congestive heart failure, stroke, and others. Residents will also be exposed to complications that may occur while patients are hospitalized. A faculty nocturnist is available at all times for indirect supervision with direct supervision immediately available if need be. This rotation is for PGY2 residents only. There is no outpatient component in the rotation or continuity clinic. Residents on this rotation are not required to attend morning report or noon conferences.
11. **Night Adm:** Night Admitter rotation is a four week inpatient rotation for PGY3 Residents. This rotation will afford the opportunity to work as a nocturnist focusing on 8 admissions. The rotation involves caring for patients with a wide variety of diseases including sepsis, pneumonia, congestive heart failure, stroke, and others. The PGY3 admission rotation alternates with a second PGY3 resident with 4 nights on and three nights off as well to minimize burn out. A faculty nocturnist will be available at all times for indirect supervision with direct supervision immediately available if need be. This rotation is for PGY3 residents only. There is no outpatient component of this rotation or continuity clinic. Residents on this rotation are not required to attend morning report or noon conferences