

Emergency Medicine Residency Program



Medical Education Department

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The Emergency Medicine Residency

- 3 Residents per Year
- Residents progress with graduated responsibility through both emergency department settings
- Six months per year in the Emergency Department, the remainder of time spent in scheduled or chosen electives
- 100% supervision and feedback on all resident cases
- Diversity in attending styles provides a variety of input and opinion on case management
- Strong academic schedule; required weekly didactics, emphasis the CORE content of Emergency Medicine.
- Residents provide lectures both within the Residency and hospital wide
- Ongoing written board-style quizzes; Oral boards case reviews
- EM emphasis internship is offered

The Faculty

All attendings are Residency Trained and Board Certified:

Eric Anderson, D.O., F.A.C.E.P.

Program Director

Residency: Metro Health Hospital Grand Rapids, MI

Robert Morris D.O., F.A.C.O.E.P., F.A.C.E.P.

Residency: Metro Health Hospital Grand Rapids, MI

Paul Dwyer, M.D., F.A.C.E.P.

Residency: Butterworth Hospital Grand Rapids, MI

James Chiavaras, D.O., F.A.C.E.P., F.A.C.O.E.P.

Residency: Metro Health Hospital Grand Rapids, MI

Todd Hartgerink, D.O., F.A.C.E.P., F.A.C.O.E.P.

Residency: Metro Health Hospital Grand Rapids, MI

John Bradley, M.D., F.A.C.E.P.

Residency: Methodist Hospital Indianapolis, IN

Dan Hearld, D.O., F.A.C.E.P., F.A.C.O.E.P.

Residency: Metro Health Hospital Grand Rapids, MI

Dave Berg, D.O.

Residency: St. Johns Oakland, MI

Marc Afman, D.O.

Residency: Metro Health Hospital Grand Rapids, MI

Patricia Guntern, D.O.

Residency: Metro Health Hospital Wyoming, MI

Adam Passeno, D.O.

Residency: Metro Health Hospital Wyoming, MI

The Emergency Department

- Annual census at Metro Health Hospital is 50,000
- 19 Critical Care, monitored beds, 26 total Emergency department beds
- Residents, interns and students from a variety of programs regularly rotate through the department
- High acuity and resident to patient ratio provide ample opportunity to learn critical care management as well as perform numerous procedures
- ACLS trained and supportive nursing staff
- Provides medical staff coverage for one of the largest sporting events in Grand Rapids; The Fifth Third River Bank Run.

The Schedule

PGY 1

Emergency Department (Metro Health Hospital) – 4 months

General Surgery – 1 month

Pediatric – 1 month

Trauma – 1 month

Internal Medicine – 1 month

ICU – 1 month

Obstetrics/Gynecology – 1 month

Surgical Specialty – 1 month

PGY 2

Emergency Department (Metro Health Hospital) - 6 months

Hand Surgery - 1 month

Radiology - 1 month

Trauma (level 1) - 2 months

SICU - 1 month

Plastics - 1 month

PGY 3

Emergency Department (Metro Health Hospital) - 6 months

Pediatric Intensive Care - 1 month

Neurosurgery - 1 month

Elective - 2 months

Forensic Medicine/Toxicology - 1 month

ICU - 1 month

PGY 4

Emergency Department (Metro Health Hospital) - 6 months

Administration/Emergency Medical Services - 1 month

Medical Legal /Peds Conscious Sedation 2 weeks each

Elective - 4 months