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Advanced Practitioner Observership Program
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PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

The Dr. Phillip Frost Department of Dermatology & Cutaneous Surgery at the University of Miami Miller School of Medicine is pleased to offer a one year dermatology educational experience for Nurse Practitioners and Physician Assistants. This program provides a unique opportunity to gain additional knowledge in dermatology with recognized experts in the field.

The department offers education in the following areas as part of the experience:

- General Dermatology
- Pediatric Dermatology
- Dermatologic Surgery including Mohs
- Melanoma
- Connective Tissue Disease
- Itch
- Cosmetic Dermatology
- Hair and Nails disorders
- Wound Healing
- Patch Testing

The program is tailored for professionals who wish to gain knowledge in dermatology practice and rotate through clinical and didactic sessions at Dr. Phillip Frost Department of Dermatology & Cutaneous Surgery.

The Program is for one year of education with the opportunity to extend the training with approval from the Department. Participants will take part in various weekly Dermatology educational activities e.g. planning conference, grand rounds, Kodachromes and dermatopathology.

GENERAL GOALS

1. Our primary goal is to better prepare professional, scholarly, compassionate, and scientifically based advanced practitioners for lifelong practice of quality dermatology.
2. To provide a framework for "lifelong learners" who will retain their interest and competency in dermatology into the future.

GENERAL OBJECTIVES

The education in Dermatology and Cutaneous Surgery consists of a one year observership program which incorporates many different settings including:

- Ambulatory Care
- Cutaneous Surgery
- Cosmetic Procedures
- Dermatopathology
- Basic and Clinical Research

Numerous conferences and lectures enhance and supplement these clinical exposures. In this way, we provide a challenging learning environment and one in which sound clinical thinking and maturation is a natural outgrowth.

ROTATIONS

- University of Miami Hospital (UMH / JMH) Inpatient
- Pigmented Lesion Clinics
- Wound Clinic
- Outpatient Clinics
- General Dermatology
- Laser
- Aesthetic
- Dermatopathology

MEETINGS & CONFERENCES

- Monthly Meetings
- Grand Rounds
- Noon Conferences

COMMUNITY SERVICE

- Skin Cancer Screenings
- Camillus House

APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

1. Current C.V.
2. 2 Letters of Recommendation
3. Documentation of current immunizations
4. HIPAA Training Certificate
5. Transcripts

PROGRAM FEES

$50,000/year