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Length of Fellowship (years): <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1-year <input type="checkbox"/> 2-years		
Optional Degrees: <input type="checkbox"/> MPH <input type="checkbox"/> MBA <input type="checkbox"/> MS <input type="checkbox"/> Other: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> None		
Number of Faculty:		
	GYN Faculty: 2	UROGYN Faculty: 1
	REI Faculty: 1	ONCOLOGY Faculty: 1
	GU Faculty:	General Surgery Faculty:
	Colorectal Faculty:	Other:
Residency Program Affiliation: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		
Computer Simulation Center: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		
Labs:		
	<input type="checkbox"/> Cadaver lab	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Animal Lab
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Dry Lab	<input type="checkbox"/> None
Office Surgery: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		
Contract/Agreement Letter: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		
	Salary: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes (\$56,000) <input type="checkbox"/> No	
	Benefit Package: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	OB obligation: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
	Moonlighting: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Non-compete clause: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
	Malpractice: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Meeting support: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
	Malpractice tail coverage: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Other coverage obligations- specify:
Accept J1 & H1Visa applicants <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
Dedicated Research Hours: yes		
Clinical Focus/Additional Training:		
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Reproductive Surgery	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Hysteroscopy
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Endometriosis/Pelvic Pain	<input type="checkbox"/> Pelvic Reconstruction
	<input type="checkbox"/> Robotic Surgery	<input type="checkbox"/> Other:



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Accredited: 3 years

3rd Site Visit Scheduled: April 12-13, 2010

Faculty: Keith Isaacson M.D., Stephanie Morris, M.D. (Associate Fellowship Director), Peter Rosenblatt M.D.; Anthony DiSciullo M.D., Christopher Awtrey, M.D.

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One-Year Program

Description: The fellowship program in Gynecologic Endoscopic Surgery is based primarily at Newton-Wellesley Hospital (NWH) where the fellow will participate in clinical, educational, and research activities related to advanced hysteroscopic and laparoscopic surgery. He/she will operate with Drs. Isaacson and Morris (3 days a week) as well as with private practitioners at NWH. Additionally, the fellow will spend at least one operating room day per week with Drs. Rosenblatt and DiSciullo, urogynecologists at Mount Auburn Hospital (MAH). The fellow will also work with Dr. Christopher Awtrey, a gynecologic oncologist.

The fellow will interact with PGY-3 residents from the Massachusetts General Hospital (MGH) and Brigham and Women's Hospital (BWH) Combined Program and will have responsibility for teaching in the skills lab as well as in the operating room. Every five weeks the fellow will precept residents in a live animal lab as well.

Clinical research opportunities are plentiful. The fellow will be involved in CIMIT (Center for Innovative Minimally Invasive Therapy), a conglomerate of Harvard Medical School (HMS), MGH, BWH, NWH, Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT), the federal government, and private industry, where there are several active ongoing research programs involving surgical simulation and education, prevention of medical errors, and development of the operating room of the future.

Overall, the goal of the fellowship is to cultivate leaders in minimally invasive gynecology: surgeons with expertise in advanced gynecologic endoscopy and interest in innovation, research, and education.