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TWO YEAR PROGRAM

Accreditation Period: 2019-2021
## 2-Year Program

### Optional Degrees:
- [ ] MPH
- [ ] MBA
- [ ] MS
- [ ] Other: None

### Number of Faculty
- GYN Faculty: 7
- UROGYN Faculty: 4
- REI Faculty: 4
- ONCOLOGY Faculty: 7
- GU Faculty: 1
- General Surgery Faculty: 1
- Colorectal Faculty: 1

### Residency Program Affiliation:
- [x] Yes
- [ ] No

### Computer Simulation Center:
- [x] Yes
- [ ] No

### Training Labs
- [x] Cadaver lab
- [x] Animal lab
- [ ] None
- [ ] Dry Lab
- [x] Robotics

### Office Surgery:
- [x] Yes
- [ ] No

### Contract/Agreement Letter:
- [x] Yes
- [ ] No

### Stipend PGY-5 or 6:
- [x] Yes
- [ ] No

### Resident Teaching:
- [x] Yes
- [ ] No

### Benefit Package:
- [x] Yes
- [ ] No

### OB obligation:
- [ ] Yes
- [x] No
  - If yes, please describe obligation.

### Junior Faculty:
- [ ] Yes
- [x] No

### Moonlighting:
- [x] Yes
- [ ] No

### Non-compete clause:
- [ ] Yes
- [x] No

### Malpractice:
- [x] Yes
- [ ] No

### Meeting support:
- [ ] Yes
- [x] No

### Other coverage obligations:
- [ ] Yes
- [x] No
  - Part of gyn surgical call pool with other residents and fellows.

### Accept J1 & H1Visa applicants:
- [x] Yes
- [ ] No

### Dedicated Research Hours:
- Hours/week: 4
- Hours/month: 16 + (2 full months of research)

### Protected Academic:
- Hours/week: 2
- Hours/month: 8

### Clinical Focus/Special Interest
- [x] Reproductive Surgery
- [ ] Oncology
- [x] Endometriosis/Pelvic Pain
- [ ] Pelvic Reconstruction
- [ ] Robotic Surgery
- [ ] Pediatric/Adolescent
- [x] Hysteroscopic Surgery
- [ ] Other:
Description of Program:

The two-year fellowship program trains graduates to become academic faculty in minimally invasive gynecologic surgery. Located at the Mayo Clinic in Rochester, Minnesota, fellows have access to extensive resources for all aspects of training.

The fellowship program enrolls one fellow on a yearly basis starting in July. The fellow trains in advanced laparoscopic (both conventional and robotic) and hysteroscopic surgery with a focus on benign gynecologic disease. Fellows spend the majority of time on the minimally invasive gynecology surgery service, a diverse seven-member division, with additional rotations in urogynecology, gynecologic oncology, reproductive endocrinology and infertility and colon and rectal surgery.

The program strives for excellence in research. With specific blocks set aside for research, additional research time built into clinical rotations, a MIGS research group, a proactive research coordinator team and institutional resources, the fellow receives the skills and experience to launch an academic career. The fellow may also complete additional formal training in research methodology.

The program trains fellows within the context of the Mayo Clinic patient care philosophy, where “the needs of the patient come first,” and the fellow operates within this paradigm under the guidance and example of faculty.

Applicants for the Minimally Invasive Gynecologic Surgery fellowship must have:

- Graduated from an ACGME-accredited obstetrics and gynecology program in the U.S.
- Previous research experience
- Previous surgical experience if applying post-residency
- Aspirations for a career in academic medicine