Medical Student Clerkships in Salem

Salem Hospital Fast Facts:

- Licensed acute-care beds - 454
- ED and urgent care visits – 114,538
- Inpatient admissions – 20,719
- Births – 3,189
- Surgeries – 12,710
- Active medical staff – 649 (46 different specialties)
- Employees-Approximately 3,600

Our services include:

- Salem Cancer Institute
- Heart and Vascular Center
- Bariatric Center of Excellence
- Joint Replacement Center of Excellence
- Family Birthing Center
- Comprehensive Pain Center
- Willamette Health Partners
- Emergency Medicine
- Laboratory and Imaging
- Neurosciences
- Psychiatric Medicine
- Rehabilitation
- Sleep Disorders Center
- Robotic Surgery
- NICU and Pediatrics
- Urgent Care
- …and much more
We currently offer rotations in OB-GYN, Psychiatry, Surgery and Family Medicine

At Salem Hospital, you will experience:
- State of the art facilities, equipment, and clinical resources
- Significant patient volumes and variety of clinical experiences
- Direct supervision from outstanding clinician-teachers – no residents!
- Proximity to Portland to attend teaching conferences and exams

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Housing is available!

Students stay in move-in ready, fully furnished (right down to the kitchen utensils and bedding) 2-bedroom apartments at Rosewood Lane in West Salem, approximately 3 miles from Salem Hospital. Internet and a 24-hour fitness center are provided. The units are thoroughly cleaned between rotations.

Here’s what students are saying about their rotation in Salem:

“Everyone was great at Salem. This was one of my favorite rotations and I hope my program takes advantage of this site. Also, if any other departments or physicians are willing to take students, then please contact our program. This is such a great facility and I think other students would highly benefit from a rotation here.”

“Everyone was incredibly kind and supportive. Nurses were very willing to allow me to participate with them and worked to include me as much as possible.”

“They're pretty remarkable. Perhaps they should just be aware of how critical their role is in teaching, and how grateful students are for them.”

“Rotation was excellent!”
“Dr. Tate was very thorough and facilitated my learning appropriately. I cannot think of any changes at this time.”

“Both preceptors were excellent.”

“I had the best rotation yet while in Salem. I had a good mix of autonomy and supervision and plenty of OR time.”

“Fantastic attendings and staff! Everyone was very friendly, helpful, and encouraging. I had a great experience because I was given the flexibility to make my rotation my own and spend my time where I was most interested or would be the best experience for me. I got to do a lot and work with some amazing and knowledgeable clinicians. I have MANY great memories from my rotation and it went by too quickly! Thank you for the warm welcome and once in a lifetime experience! :)

“Being treated as an intern/resident (with the full understanding that my medical knowledge is at an MS-3 level) and having a great deal of "hands on learning." I had a wonderful time on the OB/Gyn services and felt like my experience was incredible; I really appreciated the time that Dr Mallek and Dr Hannig spent teaching and discussions of obstetrical/gynecologic medicine. Time in the operating room was great and felt like I was exposed to a good number and diversity of cases."

“The enthusiasm of the attendings for teaching!”

**Things to Do in Salem**

Check out these websites for information on for attractions, dining, entertainment, and recreation
http://www.travelsalem.com/Attractions/Attractions-Overview
http://www.travelsalem.com/Dining/Dining-Overview
http://www.travelsalem.com/Arts-and-Entertainment/Arts-and-Entertainment-Overview
http://www.travelsalem.com/Recreation/Recreation-Overview