

INPATIENT PSYCHIATRY

Credit: All

Location: IngleSide Hospital, Rosemead

Revised: 02/2009

Applications will be accepted beginning April 1st of Year III on a first-come, first-served basis

PREREQUISITES: Psychiatry Clerkship

DURATION: 4 or 6 weeks

DATES OFFERED: All Year

Rotations scheduled: to begin any Monday but same date as students on Psychiatry Clerkship rotations preferred.

NUMBER OF STUDENTS: 1

VISITING STUDENTS: Yes

DESCRIPTION:

Currently our LAC+USC Adult Inpatient psychiatry wards are located at IngleSide Hospital in Rosemead, California. Working with a resident also assigned to their cases, students are expected to complete the initial psychiatric and physical evaluations, develop differential diagnoses and treatment plans, coordinate the activities of the multi-disciplinary team, meet with their patients daily, be present at family meetings, document patient care and progress, participate in disposition planning, and dictate discharge summaries.

EVALUATION:

Students are evaluated by faculty with input from residents, and a written evaluation is completed by the course preceptor. No written or oral tests are given.

COURSE OBJECTIVES:

Students will be able to:

1. Conduct appropriate ongoing physical and psychiatric diagnoses of patients.
2. Gather and evaluate histories and laboratory data
3. Participate in legal procedures such as probable cause and court hearings.

SUPERVISION:

90% Faculty

10% Residents