EMERGENCY MEDICINE BEDSIDE ROUNDS SELECTIVE

(Spring open to MS1 ONLY)

The DGSOM bedside rounds selective takes advantage of the opportunities to teach and model at the bedside by having experienced clinician educators lead true bedside teaching rounds with medical students interested in Emergency Medicine. These teachers will lead bedside rounds without the added responsibility of working clinically in the department.

Logistically, the program will take place once a week, in the Olive View Emergency Department. All students will meet their preceptor at an appointed time, where the preceptor will confer with the attendings on duty and select appropriate patients. The patients will be asked permission to participate in the educational rounds. The group will then join the bedside, where a complete and relevant history and physical exam will be obtained by the students, with facilitator guidance. The case will then be verbally summarized, and discussed in detail at the bedside. The preceptor can use this time to gently correct and reinforce the fundamentals of history, exam, and medical reasoning, both by observation and role modeling.

This program of bedside teaching will provide students with personal attention and modeling of the fundamental clinical skills of history, physical examination and communication that are the cornerstones of our practice.

“For the junior student in medicine and surgery it is a safe rule to have no teaching without a patient for a text, and the best teaching is that taught by the patient himself.”

-Sir William Osler, Address to the New York Academy of Medicine, 1903.

Course Chair:  Tomer Begaz, M.D., an Associate Clinical Professor of Medicine and Director of Undergraduate Medical Education for the Department of Emergency Medicine at Olive View-UCLA.

Student Requirements:  Proper attire and a stethoscope.  LA County DHS Clearance and live scan.

Teaching Methods:  Clinical Experience

Enrollment:  Maximum of 6 students, minimum of 2 students

Sponsoring College:  Acute Care College

Schedule:  4:00 – 6:00 pm, Mondays, Session B starting 1/8/2018


Location:  Olive View-UCLA Medical Center, North Annex