**Elective Description:**

The Yale New Haven Medical Center (YNHH) consult elective in Pulmonary is designed to provide residents an in-depth knowledge of respiratory diseases through consults on the patient care floors and through didactic sessions and directed reading. Residents become an integral part of the Pulmonary and Critical Care (PCCM) Section consult service, working with the attending and PCCM fellow(s). From two to six new consults on average are seen daily and residents are assigned their own patients. Formal didactic lectures are given on Tuesday mornings at 8:00 a.m. at the Section Research Conference as well as on Wednesday afternoons at 3:00-5:00 p.m. at the Yale State Chest Conference. Also, a Tumor Board Conference is held on Monday mornings at 7:30 a.m., and residents are encouraged to attend. Residents are expected (1) to learn the differential diagnosis and treatment of respiratory disorders, (2) to learn to interpret pulmonary function tests and (3) to learn to read a chest radiograph and understand the essentials of a chest CT scan.

**Faculty Contact:**

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**IMPORTANT INFORMATION!**

**Answer**

Two (2) days PRIOR to their elective start date, all residents should contact the pulmonary fellow on call for pulmonary consults via the YNHH page operator at 203-688-6569 (outside the hospital) or 203-688-3111 (from within the hospital) to determine where to meet the pulmonary fellow on call morning of the first day.

All Yale Affiliated Hospitals Program (YAH) Residents ARE REQUIRED to check in at the YNHH Housestaff Office (Enter 330 Cedar Street, 2nd Floor, Tompkins 209) the morning of their 1st day of this elective rotation. The YNHH Housestaff Office will provide YAH residents information about obtaining a YNHH temporary ID and parking. You may call for the YNHH Housestaff Office at 203-688-2259 for office hours.
**Will Affiliated Hospitals’ residents be required to take EPIC Training in order to participate in this elective?**

**Answer**

Yes. Residents from Yale Affiliated Hospitals: *At least 1 month PRIOR* to starting your Pulmonary Consult Elective Rotation at YNHH you will need to **make arrangements for EPIC computer Training**. Your home program coordinator will provide you with the paper work required to initiate the EPIC Computer Training. For additional information, please contact Tracy Crosby at tracy.crosby@yale.edu, the contact for Yale Affiliated Hospital Residents, for additional assistance regarding your elective, and/or EPIC Computer Training.

**Maximum number of residents accepted at a given time:**

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**PGY Levels Accepted from Yale Internal Medicine Residency Programs:**

Text Response

PGY1, PGY2, PGY3, PGY4

**PGY Levels Accepted from Yale Affiliated Hospitals Internal Medicine Programs:**

Yale Affiliated Hospitals are: Bridgeport Hospital, Danbury Hospital, Greenwich Hospital, Griffin Hospital, Norwalk Hospital, St Mary’s Hospital

Text Response

PGY1, PGY2, PGY3. YAHP Interns may not be scheduled prior to March 1st of their intern year for electives at YNHH or VA.

**During AY13-14 will any blocks be CLOSED for scheduling IM Housestaff for this elective?**

**Answer**

No blocks will be closed for scheduling during the AY13-14.