

Program: 1414814005

DHR Health Cardiovascular Disease Fellowship Block Schedule

Academic Year 2026-2027

PGY-4												
Block	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Site	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Rotation Name	Cardiac Consult Services	Cardiac Consult Services	Cardiac Consult Services	CCU	CCU	Cardiac Cath	Cardiac Cath	Echo/TEE	Echo/TEE	EP	Nuclear/Stress/ Imaging	Nuclear/Stress/ Imaging
% Outpatient	10%	10%	10%	10%	10%	10%	10%	10%	10%	10%	85%	85%
% Research	10%	10%	10%	0%	0%	10%	10%	10%	10%	10%	10%	10%
PGY-5												
Block	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Site	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Rotation Name	Cardiac Consult Services	Cardiac Consult Services	CCU	CCU	Cardiac Cath	Cardiac Cath	Echo/TEE	Echo/TEE	EP	Nuclear/Stress/ Imaging	Nuclear/Stress/ Imaging	Individualized Educational Experience / Research
% Outpatient	10%	10%	10%	10%	10%	10%	10%	10%	10%	85%	85%	
% Research	10%	10%	0%	0%	10%	10%	20%	20%	10%	10%	10%	/ 50%
PGY-6												
Block	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Site	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2			
Rotation Name	Cardiac Consult Service	CCU	Cardiac Cath	Echo/TEE	Echo/TEE	Advanced Imaging	Advanced Imaging	Vascular Non-Invasive	Congenital Heart Disease	Individualized Educational Experience	Individualized Educational Experience	Individualized Educational Experience
% Outpatient	10%	10%	10%	10%	10%	10%	10%	85%	10%			
% Research	10%	0%	10%	20%	20%	20%	20%	20%	20%			

Sites and Abbreviations

Sites

1. Doctors Hospital at Renaissance, Ltd.
2. Pediatric Heart Clinic of McAllen

Abbreviations

Cardiac Cath: Cardiac Catheterization Laboratory
 CCU: Cardiac Care Unit
 Echo: Echocardiography
 EP: Electrophysiology
 Nuclear: Nuclear Cardiology
 Stress: Stress Test
 TEE: Transesophageal Echocardiography

Notes

Core Rotations

Cardiac Catheterization Laboratory
 Echocardiography
 Nuclear Cardiology
 Stress Testing
 Advanced Imaging (Coronary CTA, Cardiac MRI)
 Electrophysiology

Individualized Educational Experiences (Electives)

* Individualized Educational Experiences (IEE) may be selected from the list of Core Rotations or Research to define the pathway of sub-specialization. Pathways include invasive or non-invasive cardiology. In general, if a fellow chooses to follow the invasive pathway, fellow will choose more Cardiac Cath or Electrophysiology rotations. If a fellow chooses a non-invasive pathway, fellow will choose advanced Echocardiogram, Nuclear Cardiology, Coronary CTA, Cardiac MRI, and/or Pediatric Outpatient Congenital rotations.

Notes

1. Clinic rotations are scheduled in one-month blocks for a total of 12 blocks each year.
2. Continuity Clinic occurs longitudinally throughout the training period and is one-half day per week during each year of training.
3. Research occurs longitudinally during all rotations of the training period, except during CCU. In addition, there is an opportunity to complete a one-block during the PGY-5 year.
4. Vacation will be taken during outpatient rotations and must follow program vacation request process.