ORIENTATION

PEDIATRIC NEUROLOGY ELECTIVE ROTATION

Welcome to Pediatric Neurology. This is meant to be a brief overview to get you started.

WHERE ARE WE?

The rotation is in the Pediatric Neurology Clinic on the main floor of the Alberta Children's Hospital, 28 Oki Drive NW, Calgary AB.

Pay parking is available. Parking attendants are located in booths to the left of the first set of main entrance doors as you enter the hospital. They can provide information on weekly parking passes.

There are bus services to the hospital; information about the transit system can be found at www.calgarytransit.com

FIRST DAY/ORIENTATION:

- Please proceed to the Neurology Clinic on the main floor and introduce yourself to the front desk staff who can direct you to room C1-431 (located at back of clinic) for 0800 handover with the on-service team. If you have difficulty finding the team, the front desk staff can page the pediatric neurology resident on service to coordinate where to meet. You will receive an orientation from the pediatric neurology resident on service.

- If your rotation starts on a Tuesday, there will be rounds via zoom from 0730/0800-0900 (zoom invite to follow). The on-service team generally attends the rounds in C1-431 or in the DI Conference Room (DI Service).

- Pager: The pediatric neurology resident on service will give you a pager if you do not already have one.

- If you do not already have an identification badge, the on-service resident can take you to security to obtain your card. If there is a problem, please call University of Calgary Electives Coordinator – 403-210-3802

- There are coat hooks in the supplies room near C1-431 and most students have found it sufficient to leave their belongings in each day. Although we have never had trouble with theft, the room is not secure, and we don't advise leaving money or expensive items like laptops unattended in the room. If a more secure location is

desired, please bring a lock with you and we can find a locker for you to keep your belongings in.

This is mainly an inpatient elective. Teaching sessions will be given by staff and residents throughout your elective time.

Students are not expected to take call; therefore, students are expected to be in attendance each weekday (i.e., there are no post-call days for students). If interested, students are more than welcome to make their own arrangements to "buddy up" with residents or staff on call during evenings or weekends for their own learning experience.

ROUNDS SCHEDULE:

Students will attend weekly rounds as listed below, via Zoom, unless otherwise indicated:

Monday	12:00-13:00	Clerkship Teaching Session, Zoom Link to be sent out by Henry Teng (Henry.Teng@albertahealthservices.ca) prior to your rotation. (For all U of C students on either a 2-week or 4-week rotation)
Tuesday	07:30-09:00	Neurology Rounds, you are expected to be in person Zoom. *Meeting ID:* 933 6780 2415*; Passcode:* pnrounds
Wednesday	07:45-08:30 08:30-09:30	Resident Coffee Rounds, Neurology Clinic, C1-431 Pediatric Grand Rounds, Zoom (optional). Please contact Henry Teng for registration and details
Friday	08:00-10:15	Department of Clinical Neuroscience Rounds, Zoom. *Meeting ID: 993 5471 7491 Passcode: 127805.*

RESOURCES:

Students will receive the following:

- On-call schedule, including names and pager numbers for all personnel on the team.
- A resource disk, containing reading materials and references, from the on-service pediatric neurology resident (on the first day).
- For more information about our program please visit our website at: https://cumming.ucalgary.ca/departments/pediatrics/sections/neurology

We hope you enjoy your pediatric neurology experience at the Alberta Children's Hospital.

If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact:

- Chief Pediatric Neurology resident: Dr. Rebecca Lindsay rebecca.lindsay@ahs.ca
- Interim Program Administrator: Jolene Haddad Jolene.haddad@ahs.ca

Welcome and we look forward to having you in Pediatric Neurology!

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