



University of British Columbia

ABDOMINAL IMAGING AND GENITOURINARY INTERVENTION

GENERAL INFORMATION

Location	Vancouver General Hospital and University of British Columbia Hospital Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada
Duration	1 year
Deadline for Applications	End of PGY3 Deadline for Applications: September 30, 2016
Number of Fellowship Positions	4 total (Canadian and international medical graduates)
Fellowship Website	http://radiology.med.ubc.ca/education/fellowship-programs/abdominal-imaging/
Contact Information	Fellowship Director: Dr. Alison Harris Fellowship Coordinator/Administrator: ubcrad.fellowship@ubc.ca

WORKFLOW

General structure	Typically 5 fellows on four rotations – CT, US, MRI, GU intervention
Are there times when fellows overlap and share work?	Yes – fellows change to accommodate academic half days if one are is busy.
How many rounds are you expected to attend? Contribute to?	3-4 per month.

Other than rounds, are there teaching responsibilities?	Resident noon rounds and plain film rounds – once every 2 months or so.
How procedure focused is the fellowship?	Heavy; particularly GU and US rotations.
Which procedures are you responsible for?	US: guided FNA/biopsy, prostate biopsy. GU: nephrostomy, ureter stents, PCNL tracts. Pleural/ascites/abscess drainages.
Additional Comments about Workflow:	
RESEARCH	
What are the Research Expectations?	Participation encouraged but not mandatory.
How much protected time is given for research (per week)?	One academic half day per week when 5 fellows. Half day a week when there are 4 fellows.
CALL	
General	One in 4 or 5 – weeknights done as singles and weekend call goes from Friday through Monday.
Responsibilities on Call:	Assist resident with difficult US/CT cases. Transplant ultrasound, abscess/pleural drains, nephrostomies. Weekend: U/S + CT reporting and procedures.
Is there a call stipend?	No
Additional comments about call	Busier when PGY2's start call in Autumn. Rarely in after midnight.

HOLIDAYS AND PAY

Number of paid holiday's (in weeks):	4 weeks
Sick and Caregiver time (in days):	N/A
Extra time off (in days):	Conferences: up to 5 additional paid days off
Income before tax (CAD):	\$77,000
Opportunities for additional income (directly related to the fellowship):	No
Additional Comments about Holidays and Pay:	CMPA is paid for fellow (2016 rate is: \$2,112.00)