



GASTROENTEROLOGY

SENIOR RESIDENCY PROGRAMME



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of Medicine*

DISCOVER THE GASTROENTEROLOGY SENIOR RESIDENCY PROGRAMME

Gastroenterology is the perfect specialty for the internist who enjoys procedural work and the diagnostic challenge of problem-solving. Our aim is to produce competent and independent gastroenterologists who are professional, compassionate and empowered in self-learning, research and medical education.

Our vision is to produce international experts in Gastroenterology who will be leaders in medicine, teaching and research. We welcome driven candidates who are enthusiastic and possess a positive mindset towards clinical work. You should also be compassionate and have a genuine desire to help patients. Above all, you should be mature, collegial, responsible and professional, and always put your patients' interests first.

If you enjoy being part of a dynamic team and working in a collegial environment, be part of the SingHealth Gastroenterology Medical Subspecialty Senior Residency programme.



YOUR LEARNING EXPERIENCE

OUR PROGRAMME: A STRUCTURED AND COMPLETE TRAINING IN GASTROENTEROLOGY

We have a comprehensive training programme designed to shape the core competencies of the Accreditation Council of Graduate Education-International (ACGME-I).

Our training framework includes inpatient and ambulatory care, consult services, endoscopic training and subspecialty rotations including liver transplantation, inflammatory bowel disease, nutrition, motility disorders, research, advanced endoscopy and many others.

OUR CULTURE: A COMMON HEARTBEAT OF EXCELLENCE, COMPASSION, COLLEGIALLY AND INNOVATION

The SingHealth Gastroenterology Medical Subspecialty Senior Residency programme represents a family of individuals with a shared culture. We value clinical service and hold a firm belief that direct involvement in patient care is an essential component of learning. We practice compassion, striving to place our patients' needs first before our own. We emphasise collegiality and strive to support each other as a family unit. We demand for excellence in patient care and strive towards producing competent, skilled and caring gastroenterologists of the future.

advanced endoscopy training in addition to inpatient/ambulatory and consult rotations.

Finally, in year three, you will have the opportunity to complete a six-month research elective under the supervision of a research mentor and will be given the chance to choose a clinical elective rotation.

OUR TEACHERS: DEDICATED AND EXPERIENCED TEACHING FACULTY

The SingHealth Gastroenterology Medical Subspecialty Senior Residency programme is anchored by experienced and dedicated Faculty who are committed to transferring knowledge, skills and values to produce skilled and caring gastroenterologists. Our Faculty includes esteemed physicians who are "teachers of teachers" and leaders in the field of Gastroenterology.

OUR PATIENTS: THE BREADTH AND DEPTH OF GASTROENTEROLOGY IN ONE PLACE

Within the Singapore General Hospital (SGH) and Changi General Hospital (CGH) campus, we collectively see and manage a vast array of Gastroenterology and Hepatology cases, from the common everyday conditions to the most complex cases of liver failure, inflammatory bowel disease, complicated pancreatitis, etc. As a training centre, we are confident in providing a broad case-mix that will certainly satisfy the training needs of all our Residents.

OUR CURRICULUM

The SingHealth Gastroenterology Medical Subspecialty Senior Residency programme is a three-year programme. In year one, you will be exposed to inpatient and ambulatory Gastroenterology and Hepatology, basic endoscopy training and supervised GI/liver consult services. In year two, you can look forward to subspecialty rotations in IBD/nutrition and liver transplantation and

SR1	Block	1	2	3	4
	Duration	3 months	3 months	3 months	3 months
	Institution	SGH	CGH	CGH	SGH
	Rotation Name	General Gastroenterology & Hepatology	Basic Endoscopy	General Gastroenterology & Hepatology	Liver Transplantation
SR2	Block	5	6	7	8
	Duration	3 months	3 months	3 months	3 months
	Institution	SGH	CGH	SGH / CGH	SGH
	Rotation Name	General Gastroenterology & Hepatology	Advanced Endoscopy	General Gastroenterology & Hepatology	Inflammatory Bowel Disease (IBD) & Nutrition
SR3	Block	9	10	11	12
	Duration	3 months	3 months	3 months	3 months
	Institution	SGH / CGH	SGH / CGH	SGH / CGH	SGH / CGH
	Rotation Name	Elective (Research/Clinical)	Elective (Research/Clinical)	General Gastroenterology & Hepatology	General Gastroenterology & Hepatology

Senior Residents who have a passion for research can also opt for the Clinician Scientist (CS) Residency Track on our Programme. CS Residents will undergo a minimum of 18 months of clinical training in addition to one year of protected research time under the supervision of a research mentor.

YOUR CAREER PROSPECTS & DEVELOPMENT

Senior Residents who complete the SingHealth Gastroenterology Medical Subspecialty Senior Residency programme will be capable of independent practice as a competent gastroenterologist. You will be well-prepared to pass the Specialist Accreditation Board's exit examinations that will enable you to practice as an accredited specialist in the field of Gastroenterology in Singapore, and provide Gastroenterology services to the various hospitals in the country.

Selected candidates will have the opportunity for further training in subspecialty fields (e.g. liver transplantation, endoscopic retrograde cholangiopancreatography (ERCP), etc.) both locally and abroad, as part of a fellowship training programme.

Our Clinician Scientist (CS) Residency Track provides research-inclined clinicians with valuable bench-to-bedside exposure, providing the substrate for a fulfilling career in leading scientific discovery in the field of Gastroenterology and Hepatology.

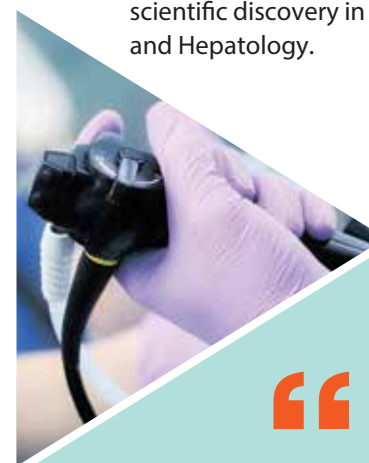
HEAR FROM OUR RESIDENTS

“ Being in SingHealth Gastroenterology Senior Residency programme has exposed me to a rich case-mix and variety of procedures, which is complemented by its robust academic programme. Together with excellent supervisors and Faculty, the experience has been a top-notch and fulfilling one for me.

DR LI WEIQAN JAMES
Gastroenterology Senior Residency Alumnus, Year 2017

“ Gastroenterology Senior Residency programme gives me a great balance between being both a physician and an interventionist. My experience in SingHealth Residency has dispelled the traditional notion that we learn solely from seeing many patients in a tertiary hospital. The programme is well-structured and I have learnt from many passionate educators. The breadth of expertise in the subspecialties we have is hard to match compared to the other clusters, and this gives me the confidence that my patients will receive standards of care befitting of a tertiary hospital.

DR JONATHAN TEH
Gastroenterology Senior Resident, Year 2018



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