University of South Alabama Health University Hospital (USA Health – University Hospital)

Department of Pathology

Renal Pathology Fellowship

Description: The Department of Pathology at USA Health University Hospital is offering a one-year combined Renal and GU Pathology Fellowship. The fellowship is designed to provide an in depth, one-on-one training, under the direct supervision and guidance of Dr. Guillermo A. Herrera. The goal of the program is to train Renal & GU pathologists. Annually, the department receives approximately 700 kidney biopsies and more than 350 GU and renal surgical specimens. The fellowship includes daily experience in GU and medical renal disease sign-out. The fellow will also gain basic research experience with two months of the training year dedicated to research. The fellowship is structured to achieve advanced diagnostic skills through an integrated approach. The fellow will participate actively in resident teaching and interdepartmental clinical conferences. The fellow will acquire comprehensive knowledge in the evaluation of renal and GU pathology cases and be able to discuss cases with referring and institutional physicians. The fellow will also be responsible for submitting and presenting abstracts at national /international meetings and is expected to at least complete 1 manuscript as first author during the training.

Requirements: Applicants must be AP or AP/CP Board certified/eligible. An Alabama medical license is required by July 1 of training year.

Types and Numbers of Appointments: We will accept one renal fellow per year.

Stipends: Commensurate with the year of postgraduate level of training beginning with PGY-5; \$60,826.00. Educational allowances are also provided.

Application: For inquiries, please contact Ms. Kathy Cannon, GME Program Coordinator, Department of Pathology, 2451 University Hospital Drive, Moorer Building, Rm 120, Mobile, AL 36617.

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