

Nuclear Cardiology at YNHH-York

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Code: NucCards-E-Y

Elective Description:

Objective: To gain an introduction into the performance and interpretation of cardiac nuclear and x-ray CT studies, with exposure to equilibrium blood pool imaging, SPECT and PET perfusion imaging, viability studies, X-ray CT angiography, calcium scoring, and exercise and pharmacological stress testing.

Goals: 1. Understand the indications and contraindications of stress testing and cardiac nuclear and X-ray CT imaging. 2. Understand the role of imaging in the context of clinical care. 3. Gain experience in performing exercise treadmill testing

Faculty Contact during regular business hours (8:30am to 5:00pm, M-F):

First name	Last name	Title or role	Email	Phone	Pager or beeper
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Staff Contact during regular business hours (8:00am to 4:00pm, M-F - only):

First name	Last name	Title or role	Email	Phone	Pager or beeper
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IMPORTANT INFORMATION!

Report to the Nuclear Fellows' reading room, EP 2-703 no later than 8:30 a.m. on the first day. One of the nuclear cardiology fellows will provide an initial orientation and reading materials.

All Yale Affiliated Hospitals Program (YAHP) Residents ARE REQUIRED to check in at the YNHH Housestaff Office (Enter 330 Cedar Street, 2nd Floor, Tompkins 209) the morning of their 1st day of this elective rotation. The YNHH Housestaff Office will provide YAHP residents information about obtaining a YNHH temporary ID and parking. You may call for the YNHH Housestaff Office at 203-688-2259 for office hours.

Will Affiliated Hospitals' residents be required to take EPIC Training in order to participate in elective?

Yes. Residents from Affiliated Hospitals: **At least 1 month PRIOR** to starting your Nuclear Cardiology Elective Rotation at YNHH you will need to **make arrangements for EPIC computer Training**. Your home program coordinator will provide you with the paper work required to initiate the EPIC Computer Training. For additional information, please contact Tracy Crosby at tracy.crosby@yale.edu, the contact for Yale Affiliated Hospital Residents, for additional assistance regarding your elective, and/or EPIC Computer Training.

Maximum number of residents accepted at a given time:

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PGY Levels Accepted from Yale Internal Medicine Residency Programs:

PGY2, PGY3, PGY4. No interns may be scheduled for the Nuclear Cardiology Elective.

PGY Levels Accepted from Yale Affiliated Hospitals Internal Medicine Programs:

Yale Affiliated Hospitals are: Bridgeport Hospital, Danbury Hospital, Greenwich Hospital, Griffin Hospital, Norwalk Hospital, St Mary's Hospital and Waterbury Hospital.

PGY2, PGY3. No interns may be scheduled for the Nuclear Cardiology Elective.

Will you be CLOSING any blocks for scheduling AY14-15?

None.