

ELECTIVE NAME:

Colon-Rectal Surgery

COURSE NO:

SUR 619

PREREQUISITE:

Required Junior Surgery Clerkship

INSTITUTION:

Spectrum Health Blodgett
Spectrum Health Butterworth

OBJECTIVES & DESCRIPTION:

The elective clerkship in Colon and Rectal Surgery will carry an emphasis on data collection, physical examination, and problem formulation, as related to colon and rectal disease. Involvement in special techniques, examination, and attendance at surgical procedures are important aspects of this experience. Although this clerkship is based at the Ferguson Clinic, the continuous experience in ambulatory patient care is an essential component.

EVALUATION:

Preceptor(s) will be asked to submit a written evaluation at the conclusion of the clerkship based upon clinical performance, completion of assigned/recommended reading assignments, and active involvement on the clerkship. Faculty are encouraged to provide ongoing feedback throughout elective rotations.