

Faculty In Charge Of Course:	Dennis Vollmer, M.D.
Participating Faculty:	Drs. Dennis Vollmer, Amir Malik, Aaron Mohanty, Nitin Tandon, Alex Valadka, Fangyi Zhang and Serdar Alp
Location:	Memorial Hermann Hospital, UT Professional Building
Offered:	Monthly
Max. # Students/Period:	2

Course Objective

Material Covered:

- 1) Basic neurologic exam;
- 2) Basics of operative neurosurgery;
- 3) Applied Neuroanatomy.

Skills Acquired:

Students are assigned to one of seven attendings.

Activities Of Elective

Number Of New Patients/Student/Week: 4

Responsibilities Of Student For Assigned Patients:

Does history/physical:	Yes
Who critiques:	Attending
Follows patients, with appropriate notes as needed:	Yes
Who supervises:	Attending
Does student see ambulatory patients:	Yes

Procedures	Observe	Perform
Students observe or assist in operating room.	X	Assist

Scheduled Duties of Student:

Frequency of rounds on patients:	Daily
Presents patients to preceptor or attending physician:	No
Weekly schedule of required teaching sessions:	Clinic once/week

Describe Optional Rounds And Activities, If Any:

Other Required Activities:

Reading/review of current literature:	Yes. Students should purchase and study <i>Aid to Examination of the Peripheral Nerves</i>
Writing or Presenting a paper:	No

How Is Student Evaluated:

- 1) Knowledge of basic neurologic exam
- 2) Attendance and interest

Who Evaluates Students:

Attending

Unique Features Of This Elective:

Student learns from being "on-the-job." Each student is assigned to an Attending in OR, in clinic and on call and stays with that Attending all of the time Monday - Friday. They will assist in surgery, go to clinic, and go to the emergency room with that Attending.