Educational Activities

In addition to providing primary and consultative diagnostic services for clinicians, we are also responsible for teaching dermatopathology to the UNC Dermatology, Pathology, and Family Medicine residents, medical students, and visiting residents and medical students.

Teaching is performed in many different ways including PowerPoint lectures, “unknowns” slide sessions, slide study sets for independent study, and daily sign-out around a multi-headed microscope.

In addition, dermatopathology is an integral part of the weekly Grand Rounds and monthly UNC-Duke Clinicopathologic conferences. Of course, nothing replaces a resident or medical student previewing cases and then going over the diagnosis with an attending.