June 23, 2021

Dear IM Resident,

Welcome to the Ambulatory Cardiology Elective. The following faculty clinics are available, and you will have a choice of which clinics to attend depending on availability. In general, we encourage you to touch base with your faculty before the clinic to alert that you will be joining (email the day before or page the day of), and again at the start of clinic to review goals and logistics (e.g., which patients to see, clinic note documentation, follow-up responsibilities, etc).

Cardiology clinics will all be at the UNC Eastowne Clinic, 2nd floor (984-974-7244). The Epic context is “UNCH Cardiology Eastowne Chapel Hill”; use this context to preview the clinic of the specific faculty. However, \*Dr. Rose-Jones’ Tuesday AM Pulmonary Hypertension Clinic has the Epic context “UNCH Pulmonary Specialty Cl Eastowne Chapel Hill”. On Wednesday PM, we encourage you to spend time in the clinic’s echo lab, where you can watch and perform transthoracic echocardiography with our sonographers.

Your clinic preceptors for this elective rotation:

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| **General Weekly Schedule** | | | | | | |
|  | Mon | Tues | Wed | Thurs | Fri |
| AM | **Dr. Thelsa Weickert** (general cardiology)  **Dr. Faisal Syed**  (EP) | **Dr. Brian Jensen**  (HF/cardio-oncology)  **Dr. Lisa Rose-Jones**  (pulmonary hypertension\*)  **Dr. Anil Gehi**  (EP) | **Dr. Matt Cavender** (interventional cardiology)  **Dr. Paula Miller** (general cardiology) | **Dr. Joe Rossi** (interventional cardiology)  **Dr. Paula Miller** (general cardiology)  **Dr. Joe Sivak** (general cardiology) | **Dr. Alan Hinderliter** (hypertension)  **Dr. John Vavalle**  (interventional/ valvular cardiology)  **Dr. Mike Yeung**  (interventional cardiology/congenital)  **Dr. Mirnela Byku**  (HF cardiology/ congenital)  **Dr. Matt Baker**  (EP) |
| PM | **Dr. Paula Miller** (general cardiology)  **Dr. Faisal Syed**  (EP) | **Dr. Brian Jensen**  (HF/cardio-oncology)  **Dr. Lisa Rose-Jones**  (HF cardiology)  **Dr. Patty Chang**  (HF cardiology) | Eastowne Echo lab  (Laurie Mitchell) | **Dr. Joe Rossi** (interventional cardiology)  **Dr. Paula Miller** (general cardiology) | **Dr. Mike Yeung**  (interventional cardiology/congenital)  **Dr. Alan Hinderliter** (general cardiology) |

Good general references include practice guidelines through the American Heart Association: <http://professional.heart.org/professional/GuidelinesStatements/UCM_316885_Guidelines-Statements.jsp>, for common topics such as hypertension, ischemic heart disease, heart failure, atrial fibrillation, supraventricular tachycardia, perioperative cardiovascular evaluation, hyperlipidemia.

We look forward to your time with our group!

Patty Chang, MD, on behalf of the UNC cardiology faculty