



Undergraduate Medical Education Elective

Trauma Surgery			
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Site
Montreal General Hospital
Elective Description
<p>Trauma Surgery: The trauma service at the Montreal General Hospital, a level 1 trauma centre, is happy to offer medical students the opportunity to rotate with us during elective periods. Electives with a length of 4 weeks is preferred. The student will gain significant knowledge in the initial assessment, resuscitation and management of the injured patient both through clinical exposure and daily teaching rounds with our trauma surgeons. Students will also participate in trauma and general surgery operative cases. We look forward to your rotation on the trauma service.</p> <p>Trauma Night Float: This 2-week elective is available to students that have already completed their core surgery rotation. A student who selects this elective will function as an integral part of the night-time on-call general surgery team. As such, his/her duties will be similar to that of a junior resident: to work-up and manage emergency department consults and acute issues on the ward, as well as to provide assistance in the OR. The students will have exposure to a high volume of emergency general surgery, trauma, and colorectal surgery cases and will have direct contact with junior residents, senior residents, and staff. Working hours during this elective are 6:00 p.m. to 6:00 a.m., and the student may choose to work on any 5 out of 7 days in the week. A call-room will be provided, but rarely used... This is a high-tempo, high-reward elective not for the faint of heart!</p>



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