

WELCOME TO HEMATOLOGY/ONCOLOGY

You will be coming to the Pediatric Hematology-Oncology Service as one of your rotations/electives. The attached documents contain information about the Pediatric Hematology-Oncology rotation. Please take some time to read over this information before your scheduled time in our service. This information is also available to you in hard copy in the 3F clinic.

Please contact Wendy Armstrong (warmst@mcmaster.ca or Ext. 73464) to arrange a brief meeting with Dr. Carol Portwine, the Program Director, on your first day with the Pediatric Hematology-Oncology service.

Note:

- Please review the rotation objectives with the staff and have a mid-rotation feedback
- Please check with the staff physician for your assignment to either the out-patient clinic or the in-patient ward
- Please indicate your assignment beside your name on the calendar that is posted in the clinic
- If you have finished your work in the assigned location, you should try to maximize your learning opportunities by going to the other area
- Residents are also required to indicate on the calendar any time when they are away from the clinic/ward due to post call or attendance of continuity clinic.
- Other learning opportunities - a one hour session will be offered once a week. These sessions will be interactive and the resident will be expected to come up with clinical problems to be discussed. These will not be didactic lectures given by staff. Residents should contact Dr. K.M. Pai by email (paim@mcmaster.ca), a week before starting your rotation to arrange the weekly review sessions. Dr. Pai will discuss with you the topics to be covered and identify the staff with whom you will be involved.

If you require any additional information, please feel free to contact me.

Thank you,

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