### Faculty In Charge Of Course:
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### Participating Faculty:
Faculty in the Ruiz Department of Ophthalmology and Visual Science

### Location:
Cizik Eye Clinic 6400 Fannin, 18th Floor, Houston TX 77030
Students may also be required to travel to LBJ

### Offered:
Blocks 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 10, 11, and 13

### Max. # Students/Period:
2 (4 during blocks 1-4)

* Students are responsible for their own transportation to and from offsite clinics and any subsequent parking charges.

### Course Objective

#### Material Covered:
Examination of patients in a clinical setting; observation and possible assistance in surgery; diagnosis and therapy of eye diseases; attend conferences; and opportunity to initiate investigative ophthalmic research.

#### Skills Acquired:
Use of basic ophthalmic equipment, including slit lamp and direct ophthalmoscope; workup outpatients under the supervision of staff and residents; develop a working knowledge of ophthalmic instruments and diseases in order to become a well-rounded physician aware of ophthalmic diseases and emergencies; and provide an introduction to ophthalmology for the student.

### Activities Of Elective

#### Number Of New Patients/Student/Week:
10+

#### Responsibilities Of Student For Assigned Patients:

| Does history/physical: | Yes, related to the eye |
| Who critiques: | Faculty and residents |
| Follows patients, with appropriate notes as needed: | Yes |
| Who supervises: | Faculty and residents |
| Does student see ambulatory patients: | Yes |

#### Performs or observes procedures:
Most surgical or procedural experience will be observational. Procedures observed may include cataract extraction, corneal transplantation, retina surgery, strabismus surgery, glaucoma surgery, and other ophthalmologic procedures.

#### Scheduled Duties of Student:

| Frequency of rounds on patients: | Not applicable; on consults, round throughout the day |
| Presents patients to preceptor or attending physician: | Yes |
| Weekly schedule of required teaching sessions: | Most teaching takes place in a clinical setting dealing directly with the patients. |

#### Describe Optional Rounds And Activities, If Any:

Students are not required to take call.

### Other Required Activities:

| Reading/review of current literature: | On your own. |
| Writing or Presenting a paper: | Required presentation to the faculty and residents during weekly conferences on the last week of the rotation. |
| Conferences: | Attendance at all clinical conferences is required. |
| Quiz: | Written exit exam |

#### How Is Student Evaluated:
34% written exam, 33% presentation, and 33% averaged written evaluations. A score of 79% or below is a failing grade on the written exam; failing the exam automatically means failing the course. The test is given with all the answers as a pretest and the final written test is the exact same test with the questions scrambled. Faculty evaluations will be based upon attendance and participation in didactic sessions and clinical duties.

#### Unique Features Of This Elective:
This elective offers the opportunity to work closely with staff ophthalmologists and residents observing and treating eye diseases in a busy ambulatory care setting. The goal is to give the student practical knowledge and experience in ophthalmology.