

<b>Faculty In Charge Of Course:</b>	Kim K. Cheung, M.D.
<b>Participating Faculty:</b>	General Pediatrics Faculty, CPS Case Workers
<b>Location:</b>	CPS Clinic - 6300 Chimney Rock Rd., Houston TX 77081
<b>Offered:</b>	Blocks 1-11, 13
<b>Max. # Students/Period:</b>	1

**Course Objective**

- General Pediatrics outpatient experience in a high risk population- children and adolescents with CPS involvement.
- To learn about how the child protection system functions.
- To learn about child abuse.
- Daily patient encounters.

**Material Covered:**

- Child abuse, including injury recognition and causes of child morbidity and mortality.
- Well child and sick child outpatient management.

**Skills Acquired:**

- Primary skills enhanced will include interviewing and physical exam in outpatient setting.
- Additional skills in interviewing teens about sensitive subjects including drug abuse, sexual history, and domestic violence.
- Students will observe the interaction of the state child welfare system with families and foster parents.
- Students will participate in child abuse reviews and discussions between physicians and state welfare workers

**Activities Of Elective**

- Daily patient care in ambulatory pediatric clinic.
- Option to observe case workers in field investigations.
- Option to observe in psychological evaluations for children in CPS custody.

**Number Of New Patients/Student/Week:** Varies

**Responsibilities Of Student For Assigned Patients:**

Does history/physical:	Yes
Who critiques:	Attending physician
Follows patients, with appropriate notes as needed:	
Who supervises:	
Does student see ambulatory patients:	Yes

Procedures	Observe	Perform
<b>Immunizations</b>	<b>X</b>	<b>X</b>
<b>Blood tests</b>	<b>X</b>	<b>X</b>
<b>Rapid strep</b>	<b>X</b>	<b>X</b>
<b>State screen</b>	<b>X</b>	<b>X</b>

**Scheduled Duties of Student:**

Frequency of rounds on patients	
Presents patients to preceptor or attending physician	
Weekly schedule of required teaching sessions	

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

**Other Required Activities:**

Reading/review of current literature	Yes
Writing or presenting a paper	No

**How Is Student Evaluated:**

Clinical skills, knowledge of child abuse

**Who Evaluates Students:**

Faculty

**Unique Features Of This Elective:**

Opportunity to learn about child protection system.