

## Child Neurology Residency Program – Call Schedule

### **PGY-3 (1<sup>st</sup> year Neurology):**

During the first year of Neurology, residents will take in-house call that is shared with the PGY-2 and PGY-3 Adult Neurology Residents. During call, the resident's main responsibility will be consults from both the adult and pediatric emergency departments and floors. There will be minimal cross-coverage duties. The different types of call shifts are as follows:

- Evening Float – 4:30 PM – 8 PM (out by 9 PM) on Mon – Fri: ~12 shifts
- Weekend Day – 8 AM – 8 PM (out by 9 PM) on Sat, Sun: ~10 shifts
- Weekend Night – 8 PM – 8 AM (out by 9 AM) on Sat night to Sun morning: ~3 shifts

In addition to the above call shifts, each Child Neurology Resident will do 2 blocks (2-weeks long, 6 days per week) of Night Float, which is 8 PM – 8 AM (out by 9 AM), the first Night Float block is supervised by an Adult PGY-3 Neurology resident.

### **PGY-4 (2<sup>nd</sup> Year Neurology):**

During the second year, there will be no in-house call. Each Resident will be on-call for approximately 5 months out of the year, and most typically this is structured in 2-week blocks. These calls will consist of being available by pager at home on Mon through Thurs for clinic calls from 4:30 PM until 8 PM, and calls from in-house Residents to staff pediatric consults from 4 PM until 8 AM.

In addition, there is a weekend call schedule where the on-call Resident is available by pager at home on Friday at 4 PM until Monday at 8 AM for in-house Residents to staff pediatric consults (there is also clinic coverage responsibilities). They will round on the child neurology service on Saturday and Sunday mornings (usually in-house until about 11:30 AM). PGY-4 residents will take approximately 16 weekend calls during the year.

### **PGY-5 (3<sup>rd</sup> Year Neurology):**

Each resident will be on-call for 1 month out of the year as described above. There will be some weekend call coverage, which will consist of taking approximately 10 weekend calls during the year.