The Department of Pediatrics and Adolescent Medicine offers clerkships to medical students. The clerkships concentrate on those aspects of children’s and adolescents’ healthcare that are important to any physician, including the management of healthy and sick children; peculiarities of disease in infancy, childhood, and adolescence; nutrition growth and development. These clerkships also concentrate on the importance of combining preventive with curative medicine. Graduate training is offered to physicians leading to specialization (residency) in pediatrics over a three-year period.

**PEDT 246  Clinical Clerkship**  
Daily assignments in the Outpatient Department (OPD) (general Pediatrics and subspecialty clinic) for 6 weeks and 2 weeks inpatient rotation in the normal nursery and Neonatal Intensive Care Unit. *Offered to third year students. Two months.*

**PEDT 267  Clinical Clerkship**  
A clerkship consisting of daily assignments in the inpatient general Pediatric ward for 4 weeks, in the Children Cancer Center for 2 weeks, and in the OPD and Pediatric Emergency Unit for 2 weeks. *Offered to fourth year students. Two months.*
PEDT 268  Elective in Pediatrics  0.180-360.
Clinical electives are open to fourth year medical students. Laboratory research electives are open to students at all levels. Exposure of students to laboratory research in neurogenetics, molecular biology, infectious diseases, basic cardiology, or to a special area of clinical pediatrics of the student’s choice, including pediatric cardiology, neurology and hematology-oncology, and neonatal intensive care. One to two months.

PEDT 287  Internship  0.786.
A two- to three-month rotation each in the hospital wards, ambulatory services, or newborn nursery.

PEDT 288  Straight Internship  0.2882.
Interns spend 11 months in the Department of Pediatrics and Adolescent Medicine at the hospital (PL-1).

Weekly Conferences
Ward rounds (daily), radiology conferences, journal clubs, grand rounds, morbidity and mortality conferences, and specialty conferences (adolescent medicine, hematology/oncology, neonatology, and other house staff lectures).