

# David Geffen School of Medicine at UCLA - Course Catalog - 2023-2024

<b>Psychiatry: PS-PS230.04 - Child and Adolescent Emergency Psychiatry (Not viewable in on-line catalog)</b>	
Course Type	200 Elective - Consult Services
Prerequisites:	
Restriction days:	730
Keywords:	
Course Objectives:	
Location	HARBOR
Course Chair	Patrick Kelly, MD pkelly2@dhs.lacounty.gov (424) 306-5698
Student Coordinator	Catherine Bustamante cbustamante@dhs.lacounty.gov (424) 306-5842
Report to	1 South, Room 1 at 8:30 a.m.
4th Year Medical Student Education Director	Psychiatry & Behavioral Sciences: Margi Stuber, MD
Duration	3 weeks
Available to US Visiting Students	Yes
Available to International Visiting Students	No
Initial Enrollment	Lottery
Course Description	The Harbor-UCLA Adolescent Psychiatric Emergency Room provides evaluation, stabilization, and treatment for acutely psychiatrically ill adolescents. This course provides a unique opportunity to learn in one of a small number of designated adolescent psychiatric emergency rooms across the country. Students in this course will provide direct clinical care of adolescents in this setting while working under the direct supervision of teaching faculty. Additionally, students will gain supervised experience with psychiatric consultation to the pediatric emergency room and inpatient pediatrics floor.
Common Diseases/Problems	Suicidal Ideation/Self-Harm Aggression/Danger to Others Psychosis Abuse/Neglect/Trauma Autism and Developmental Disabilities Acute Intoxication/Withdrawal Commercial Sexual Exploitation of Youth Psychiatric Symptoms Complicating Medical Conditions
% of Inpatient vs. Outpatient	0% Inpatient vs. 100% outpatient

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% of Consultation vs. Primary Care	30% consultation (pediatrics ER and inpatient); 70% primary care (adolescent psych ER)
Close Contact With	X FULL-TIME FACULTY X CLINICAL FACULTY X FELLOWS X RESIDENTS X INTERNS X OTHERS: Nursing, social work staff
Approx. # of Patients Evaluated/Week by Student	10
Approx. # of Patients Eval./Each Week by Service	30-35
Max. & Min. # of Students	Max 1
On-Call Schedule	No night call is required
Weekend Activities	None
Additional Comments/Special Requirements	A 4-week rotation may be possible for non-UCLA students; This rotation provides a unique experience for those who are interested in learning more about systems of care for youth as we commonly evaluate youth who are involved with the foster care system, juvenile justice, and regional center. Our patient population is highly multicultural. Our team also includes exposure to 2 full-time caseworkers, a full-time social worker, a full-time recreational therapist, pediatrics interns, and daily group activities.
Fulfills ICU Requirement	No
Clinical Grade	Honors - High Pass - Pass - Fail