

FAST - Neurology

Looking to the future...

Clinic Faculty & staff

- 8 physicians
 - 2 Assistant Professors
 - 3 Associate Professors
 - 3 Professors
- 9 residents, no fellows
- 4 nurse practitioners
 - 2 with COM appointments as Instructors
- 1 clinic nurse
- 2 social workers

Clinical Programs

- Stroke Program
 - Primary Stroke Center
- Epilepsy Program
 - EEG lab,
 - 3 long term epilepsy monitoring beds
- Neuromuscular Program
 - EMG lab
 - Evoked potential lab
 - Botox injections

Clinical Programs

- Parkinson's Disease Program
 - Multidisciplinary Clinic: Neurology, Speech, Physical Therapy, Social Work
- Multiple Sclerosis Programs
 - Multidisciplinary Clinic: Neurology, Rehab/PT, Neuropsychology
- Headache Medicine Program
 - Multidisciplinary Clinic: Neurology, Psychology, Physical therapy
 - Nerve blocks, trigger point injections

Inpatient Services

	05-06	04-05	03-04	02-03	01-02	00-01
Admissions	710	627	593	534	565	428
Consults	949	944	921	729	728	695
LTME (hours)	6350	7965	7261	6778	6488	5356

- Primary Stroke Center 24/7 call
- EEG 24/7 call

Outpatient Services

	05-06	04-05	03-04	02-03	01-02	00-01
Outpatient*	7193	8144	7169	7079	5708	4920
EMG (incl. Botox)	569	593	443	485	487	489
EEG	983	1046	972	1101	1044	896
EVPS	141	145	129	156	----	----

*Additional outreach clinic at Fulton County

Ambulatory Services

- 47 half-day ambulatory clinics held per week
- All day resident clinic on Friday
- Multi disciplinary clinics held weekly or monthly
- Weekly Fulton County Clinic

Challenges

- Clinic is split between 2 locations in RHC – decreases efficiency, confuses patients
- Clinic space is poorly designed, shabby
- Clinic space insufficient to accommodate growth
- Insufficient room to accommodate learners

Challenges

- Clinic budget includes only one nurse salary to assist with phone calls, assist with procedures, give injections
- 3 nurse practitioners and 2 social workers are partially or totally on “soft” money

Opportunities for Growth

- Sleep Medicine
 - We suggest UT establishing a sleep center in the Hilton Hotel
- Intra-operative electrophysiological monitoring
- Dementia and movement disorders
 - 140 day wait for new patient appointment
- Headache Medicine
- Stroke—only 2 persons split 24/7 call

Opportunities for Growth

- Increase presence in the region
 - Perrysburg
 - Fulton County
 - Tiffin, Fostoria
 - Findlay
 - Dundee
 - Monroe

Wish List

- Unified, updated, expanded Clinic space
- Additional clinic nurse
- Salary support for nurse practitioners
- Recruitment of additional Neurology Faculty

Wish List

- Fellowship positions
- On campus Sleep Lab
- Pediatric Neurologist
- Functional Neurosurgeon
- Neuropathologist

Days to New Patient Appointment by Clinic - March 2007

