



Surgery Clerkship Program
Department of Surgery
NYU Langone Medical Center

CHAIRMAN'S ROUNDS

First you have to select a topic. It should be a patient you have scrubbed on. Next you have to prepare a one page protocol summarizing your patient's course. The protocol should be maximum one page (12 point font) and follow the format and content of resident protocols at the weekly M&M conference. I will need the drafts of each protocol emailed to me by the Saturday night prior to the Thursday Chairman's rounds. You will need to bring 30 copies of your protocol to the Chairman's Rounds for distribution to your colleagues. The protocols should only present pertinent positives and negatives and a focused physical examination. A brief post-op course should be included. All the negatives in the PMH, lab data and physical exam need not be included. Each presenter should also prepare a maximum 15 slide powerpoint addressing the case and the main teaching points. The powerpoint should include key images from the CT scans, pathology pictures and review of cancer TNM categories where appropriate, etc. Your resident can help you obtaining the images from radiology.

You do not need to get me the powerpoint in advance, but it is important to email it to Bert in advance so he can load the M&M computer. It is important to emphasize the surgical procedure on your protocols, which is the reason you need to have scrubbed on the procedure. We cannot repeat topics. You might discuss selection of your topic with your senior resident. Also please remember that you cannot present the "book chapter" on your disease process. It should be aimed at your colleagues to prepare them for the SHELF -- not at the level of residents or faculty. Your presentation is total 30 minutes with you taking about 15 minutes and Dr. Pachter will speak for about 15 minutes. Please practice your presentation in front of a mirror and time it for maximum 15 minutes! Good luck.

The presenters should feel free to stop by my Tuesday office hours (1-3pm) to go over their presentations with me. Remember no more than 15 slides! Chairman's Rounds presentations are a valuable experience. Again, welcome to NYU surgery.

Thanks,
Dr. Hochberg

P.S. If on reflection you prefer not to present at Chairman's Rounds, that is fine since you have a number of colleagues on the "standby list".

1. Gastro-intestinal bleeding
2. Hernia anatomy and repair
3. Colon cancer
4. Diverticulitis
5. Appendicitis
6. Ulcerative colitis/regional enteritis
7. Breast disease
8. Thyroid disease
9. Peptic ulcer disease
10. Adrenal disease
11. Coagulation/anticoagulation
12. Pancreatitis
13. Cholecystitis
14. Trauma – Primary survey/secondary survey
15. Transplantation
16. Pediatric surgery
17. Peripheral vascular disease
18. Aortic aneurysms
19. Bariatric surgery