

		DURATION AT FOCOS	PRE-REQUISITES	PRIVELDGES
ACADEMIC VISITORS	<u>Academic Visiting Observers:</u>	Negotiable, but not more than 3 months	Meet all program requirements, including FOCOS Health and vaccination requirements. This program is open to Residents Surgeons and Fellows.	Observe patient services in the Ambulatory Care Center and FOCOS operating rooms. Permission only to observe patient care activities.
	<u>Academic Visiting Clinicians:</u>	Negotiable, but not more than 3 months	Must be a licensed practicing physician in their state or in their country and meet all FOCOS requirements including health and vaccination requirements. This program is open to Residents, Surgeons and Fellows.	Permission to scrub and/or assist in patient care—inpatient or outpatient, in the OR, or Ambulatory Care Center upon supervision
	<u>K2M-FOCOS Academic Visitors Program</u>	Negotiable, but not more than 3 months	This program is designed for surgeons who have completed Neurosurgery residency or Orthopedic Spine Fellowship program and will be going into practice in the next 1-2 years. The surgeon will spend no more than 12 weeks in Ghana. Apply through the K2M website.	Permission to scrub and/or assist in patient care—inpatient or outpatient, in the OR, or Ambulatory Care Center upon supervision. Will also give presentations during surgical indication conferences and will be assigned medical research.
	<u>FOCOS Distinguished Educator:</u>	2 weeks per visit-twice a year	Must be a licensed practicing physician in their state or in their country. Must meet all FOCOS requirements including health and vaccination requirements.	Permission to scrub and/or assist in patient care—inpatient or outpatient, in the OR, or Ambulatory Care Center upon supervision. Will also give presentations during surgical indication conferences.
MEDICAL STUDENTS	<u>Medical Student Clerkship</u>	4-12 weeks	This is open to all medical students from their 4 th year of medical school.	Main access will be to the Hospitals' research unit
GRADUATE MEDICAL EDUCATION TRAINEES	<u>GCPS & WACS Residents</u>	3 months	This program is for senior residents about to complete their Residency. Credentials must be submitted to Academic Office at least 8 weeks prior to start of the academic year.	Permission to scrub and/or assist in patient care—inpatient or outpatient, in the OR, or Ambulatory Care Center upon supervision. Will also give presentations during surgical indication conferences and will be assigned medical research.
	<u>FOCOS Spine Fellows</u>	1-2 Years	This category of trainee is credentialed by the FOCOS Medical Board and equivalent to the academic year. Credentials must be submitted at least 8 weeks prior to start of the academic year.	Delineation of privileges on an as needed basis
	<u>K2M- FOCOS Preceptorship Program</u>	2-4 weeks	This program is for currently practicing spine surgeons who will like to compliment their existing adult or adolescent deformity practice. The surgeon will spend approximately 2 weeks at the Hospital. Apply through the K2M website.	Permission to scrub and/or assist in patient care—inpatient or outpatient, in the OR, or Ambulatory Care Center upon supervision. Will also give presentations during surgical indication conferences
OTHER CATEGORIES OF TRAINEES	<u>Research Fellow with Limited Incidental Patient Contact:</u>	3-6 months	Approval by and review of credentials by Medical Board of the Hospital. Research Fellows who do not have a Ghana MDC must have an unrestricted license to practice medicine in another country	Access to observe in the OR with no patient contact. Apply for privileges for limited incidental patient contact to aid in research. These privileges can only be exercised under the visual supervision of an attending physician.