

University of Iowa – Schedule for Clinical Program in GI Motility

	AM			PM		
Monday	8-9 Didactic- Rao/ Summers	9-10 Motility Lab Observe	10-12 Small bowel/ colonic manometry- Rao	1-4 Anorectal Manometry & Biofeedback	4-5 Data interpretation– Rao/Summers	
Tuesday	8-12 Observe Motility Procedures- Esophageal, Anorectal, Breath tests			1-3 Shadow Dr Schulze Clinic/Review videos	3-5 Data interpretation with Rao	5-6 GI Grand Rounds
Wednesday	7.30-9 Research Lab	9-10 Motility Lab	10-12 Small bowel/colonic Rao	1-4 Observe procedures in motility lab Gastric barostat/biofeedback		5-6 Dysphagia conference
Thursday	8-12 Motility clinic (shadow Dr. Rao)			1-4 Observe ultrasound defecography- Brown	4-5 Interpretation Rounds- Rao/Schulze	5-6 Conference (Journal Club)
Friday	8-9 Pathology conference	9-10 Didactic- Rao/Sum mers	10-12 Motility lab procedures & wrap up	1-3 Review motility videos/DVDs	3-5 Data Interpretation Rao/Summers	

University of Iowa's Neurogastroenterology & GI motility program offers state-of-the-art and comprehensive training in the bed side and laboratory assessment and treatment of motility disorders using an interdisciplinary approach and case-based learning.

Trainees will learn first hand how to perform and interpret standard procedures such as esophageal manometry, pH, Bravo, Impedance, breath tests and anorectal manometry in a dedicated, modern, state-of-the-art, 5-bed motility unit, where over 1700 procedures are performed annually. Additionally, they will learn the essentials of antroduodenal manometry, colonic manometry, brain-gut neurophysiological testing, biofeedback therapy, high resolution manometry, smartpill, sensory testing (rectal/gastric barostat), anal ultrasound, biliary manometry, gastric pacing and other advanced procedures under the expert tutelage of 3 world renowned neurogastroenterologists, Drs Rao, Summers and Schulze, ably assisted by 5 nurses/technicians, dieticians, and psychologists. Regular dysphagia and pelvic floor conferences are held along with interactions with dieticians, radiologists and surgeons.