

## **University of Rochester Medical Center**

**Fellowship Program Name:** University of Rochester Medical Center

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**Description:** The fellowship program received ABOG/AUA accreditation in 2006. The core faculty consists of two full-time Urogynecologists, one Urologist, and a Colorectal Surgeons practicing together at the Center for Pelvic Health and Continence Specialties. A broad based clinical exposure allows for experience in diagnostic testing such as urodynamics, office cystoscopy, anal manometry and proctoscopy. Fellows will be proficient in conservative and surgical management of urinary and fecal incontinence, pelvic organ prolapse disorders, pelvic pain and voiding dysfunction. As part of the surgical management, fellows are trained in vaginal, abdominal and endoscopic approaches to pelvic reconstructive surgery. The training includes further clinical rotations thorough Gynecological Oncology, Pelvic Pain Service and Geriatric Medicine. Weekly educational sessions are conducted to cover topics in Urogynecology and pelvic floor dysfunction, review of current literature, discussion of clinical cases and research projects. In addition, fellows take University courses in biostatistics. Opportunities are available for clinical and basic science research.

**Requirements:** Completion of Residency on Obstetrics and Gynecology or Urology in an accredited program

**Program Length:** 3 years

**Number of Fellows:** 1 fellow every other year  
ABOG Accreditation Since 2006

**Fellowship Director:** Gunhilde M. Buchsbaum, MD

**Urogynecology Faculty:** Erin E. Duecy, MD; Assistant Professor

**Colorectal Faculty:** Jenny Speranza, MD; Assistant Professor

**Urology Faculty:** Robert Mayer, MD; Professor

**Application Process:** ERAS