

## Elective learning experience in Block II

<b>Name of Block</b>	Block II
<b>Name of Elective</b>	Nephrology
<b>Location of hospital lab/research facility</b>	GMCH Thrissur
<b>Name of internal preceptor(s)</b>	Dr. Shamsudheen MP
<b>Name of external preceptor(s) if applicable</b>	Dr. Varada Aravindan
<b>Learning objectives of electives</b>	At the end of elective student should be 1.Exposed to various aspects of general nephrology 2.Able to understand the dynamics of teamwork and multidisciplinary approach 3.Able to relate to patients with chronic disease and to see how this can impact on the lives of patients and their relatives.
<b>Number of students that can be accommodated</b>	2
<b>Prerequisites for elective</b>	Aware of Universal precautions Hepatitis B vaccination
<b>Learning resources for students</b>	Text book of Comprehensive clinical nephrology 7th edition by John Feehally
<b>List of activities of student participation</b>	1.Participate in ward rounds, dialysis unit rounds, out patient clinics.  2.Act as observers in a multitude of procedures like hemodialysis access insertions, haemodialysis, peritoneal dialysis and renal biopsy  3.Take history from a patient with renal disease

	4)Assessing fluid balance
<b>Portfolio entries required</b>	Record of central line insertion and renal biopsy
<b>Log book entry required</b>	Cases seen Procedures observed Academic activities
<b>Assessment</b>	1.Case presentation 2.Attendance 3.Successful verification of portfolio entries 4..Successful completion of posting as certified in log book
<b>Other comments</b>	