



Ocular Oncology Fellowship

at the Ocular Oncology Service
Wills Eye Institute
Philadelphia PA USA

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The Ocular Oncology Service at Wills Eye Hospital offers fellowship training in ocular oncology as a

- 1 year research fellowship
- 2 year clinical fellowship

The Ocular Oncology Service at Wills Eye Hospital a large and busy full-time eye cancer center with approximately 50 new patients per week with various cancers or precancers of the eyelid, conjunctiva, orbit, and intraocular structures. All patients are managed by the clinical staff including Dr. Jerry Shields, Dr. Carol Shields, and their team. The service is open 5 days per week for clinical and surgical duties.

The Ocular Oncology Service at Wills Eye Hospital is an efficient center with state-of-the-art photography and diagnostic center so that all services are performed within the unit. The medical records are electronic and detailed for data retrieval and extend over nearly 5 decades of medical practice.

The 1 year research fellowship involves experience with

- clinical research
 - study design
 - data collection
 - data analysis
 - publication
- clinical experience by observation during office hours 5 days per week
- surgical experience by observation during surgical cases 2-3 days per week
- experience with the spectrum of tumors of the eyelid, conjunctiva, orbit, and intraocular structures
- intense experience with
 - retinoblastoma and pediatric intraocular tumors with numerous cases of examinations under anesthesia weekly
 - uveal melanoma and adult intraocular tumors both clinically and surgically
 - eyelid tumor removal and reconstruction
 - conjunctival tumor evaluation and decisions regarding surgical or chemotherapy-related treatment
 - orbital tumor evaluation and approach to surgical therapy or with chemotherapy or radiotherapy
- a certificate is given at the end of fully completed research fellowship

The 2 year clinical fellowship involves experience with

- clinical research participating in and directing
 - study design
 - data collection
 - data analysis
 - publication
- clinical experience by hands-on patient examination during office hours 5 days per week
- surgical experience by hands-on surgical assistance during surgical cases 2-3 days per week
- experience with the spectrum of tumors of the eyelid, conjunctiva, orbit, and intraocular structures
- intense hands-on experience with staff supervision at all times
 - retinoblastoma and pediatric intraocular tumors with numerous cases of examinations under anesthesia weekly
 - uveal melanoma and adult intraocular tumors both clinically and surgically
 - eyelid tumor removal and reconstruction
 - conjunctival tumor evaluation and decisions regarding surgical or chemotherapy-related treatment
 - orbital tumor evaluation and approach to surgical therapy or with chemotherapy or radiotherapy
- presentations at meetings
- teaching medical students and residents
- teaching research fellows
- learning the points of ocular oncology business management
- learning office design and efficiency
- a certificate is given at the end of fully completed clinical fellowship

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