



**POINT-OF-CARE ULTRASOUND INTENSIVE IMMERSION PROGRAM  
DEPARTMENT OF EMERGENCY MEDICINE  
UNIVERSITY OF BRITISH COLUMBIA, VANCOUVER**

Come advance your PoCUS skills with mentored practice on real patients, with real pathology, in a busy urban emergency department in Vancouver!

**GOALS**

- Provide flexible timeframe to accommodate wide range of learner objectives and needs
- Train tomorrow's PoCUS leaders across traditional disciplines
- Achieve advanced PoCUS expertise by International Federation of Emergency Medicine POCUS competency standards

**ELIGIBILITY**

- Physicians or residents from any discipline with strong interest in POCUS and able to commit for time period of at least 1-2 weeks, maximum 6 months. *Need active BC College license!*

**LEARNER INSTRUCTION AND EDUCATION**

- Minimum of three weekly coached scanning shifts with PoCUS fellows and faculty
- "Flipped classroom" didactic teaching model
- Video review: interactive quality assessment of departmental POCUS scans
- PoCUS Journal Club: interactive discussion of foundational and cutting edge PoCUS literature
- Flexible areas of concentration to develop targeted expertise

**CLINICAL**

- Based at St. Paul's Hospital, a busy, inner-city referral ED in Downtown Vancouver
- Fellowship-trained faculty in EM and POCUS
- 24/7 POCUS equipment and reference access
- Potential for scanning shifts at other affiliated UBC sites for wider breadth of experience

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