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## LEAGACY HEALTH PORTLAND, OREGON



**CLAIRE GOULD, MD**  
Program Director



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Associate Program Director

### **FACULTY**

**Joseph Frankhouse, MD**—Colorectal Surgery  
**Kahyree Butler, MD**—Colorectal Surgery  
**Michael Collins, MD**—Faculty Emeritus  
**Melissa Pendergrass, MD**—Gynecology  
**Nicholas Fogelson, MD**—Gynecology  
**Carolyn Piszczek, MD**—Gynecology  
**Karina Hoan, MD**—Gynecology

**Leslie Palacios, MD**—Gynecology  
**Jaqueline Wong, MD**—Gynecology  
**Emily Edwards, MD**—Ob/GYN  
**Blake Osmundsen, MD**—Urogynecology  
**Weiya Wysham, MD**—Gyn Oncology  
**Gina Westhoff, MD**—Gyn Oncology  
**Daniel Tseng, MD**—General Surgery

### **TWO YEAR PROGRAM**

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## 2-Year Program

**Optional Degrees:**  MPH  MBA  MS  Other: Certificate of Masters of HIP  None

### Number of Faculty

GYN Faculty: 11	UROGYN Faculty: 1
REI Faculty: 1	ONCOLOGY Faculty: 5
GU Faculty:	General Surgery Faculty: 1
Colorectal Faculty: 1	Other:

**Residency Program Affiliation:**  Yes  No

**Computer Simulation Center:**  Yes  No

### Training Labs

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Cadaver lab	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Animal Lab	<input type="checkbox"/> None
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Dry Lab	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Robotics	

**Office Surgery:**  Yes  No

**Contract/Agreement Letter:**  Yes  No

Stipend PGY-5 or 6: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
Resident Teaching <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
Benefit Package: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
OB obligation: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	If yes, please describe obligation.
Junior Faculty: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Attending Privileges: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Moonlighting: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Non-compete clause: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
Malpractice: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Meeting support: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Malpractice tail coverage: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Other coverage obligations- specify:

**Accept J1 & H1Visa applicants**  Yes  No

**Dedicated Research Hours:** Hours/per week: 2  
Hours/per month: 8

**Protected Academic:** Hours/per week: 2  
Hours/per month: 8

### Clinical Focus/Special Interest

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Reproductive Surgery	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Oncology
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Endometriosis/Pelvic Pain	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pelvic Reconstruction
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Robotic Surgery	<input type="checkbox"/> Pediatric/Adolescent
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Hysteroscopic Surgery	<input type="checkbox"/> Other:

**Program Description:**

The purpose of the Legacy MIGS fellowship is to train specialists in the advanced medical and surgical management of benign gynecologic conditions. The fellowship is a two-year comprehensive gynecologic endoscopic program in advanced laparoscopy, hysteroscopy and robotic surgery. The fellow(s) will operate with a large, diverse faculty whose specialties include advanced gynecology, female pelvic medicine and reconstructive surgery (urogynecology), gynecologic oncology, and reproductive endocrinology. The fellow will learn in-depth aspects of gynecologic care including preoperative work up/post-operative care, technical aspects of surgery, and advanced clinical management of benign gynecologic diseases. In this uniquely well-rounded fellowship, the fellow will progressively gain proficiency in all gynecologic procedures, developing increasing levels of independence as the fellowship progresses. These include but are not limited to total laparoscopic hysterectomy, laparoscopic myomectomy, excision/management of advanced endometriosis and adhesive disease. Robotic experience in the previously listed laparoscopic procedures as well as sacrocolpopexy, and retroperitoneal oncologic staging is included in the program. The fellow will develop an advanced knowledge of retroperitoneal anatomy and feel comfortable with ureterolysis and dissection of the presacral, perivesical and perirectal spaces. Fellows receive surgical exposure to general surgery and colorectal surgery as it relates to endometriosis. Additionally, the fellow will develop confidence in the hysteroscopic management of polyps and fibroids, adhesive disease/Asherman's syndrome, and management of uterine septum with a focus on how these impact fertility.

Fellows are involved in medical student and resident education with trainees from Oregon Health and Sciences University and Washington State University. This includes participation in MIGS rotations as well as presenting at education conferences such as M&M, Journal Clubs and Grand Rounds. Fellows also participate as faculty for the resident surgical skills days throughout the year. Fellows hold attending staff privileges at several Legacy Hospitals and serve as faculty for rounding.

Fellows also participate in the Human Investigation Program at OHSU and will earn a Certificate in Human Investigations. This is a 24-credit hour program and involves the completion of a research Capstone project. There is an opportunity to pursue a Master of Clinical Research degree by completing an additional 21 credits.