

MWR BY THE NUMBERS

Total number of patient visits = 61,284	Total number of OCTs = 37,199	Fellow Surgical Numbers First year: Attending cases 300; primary 150
Total number of surgeries = 1,805	Total number of FAs = 1,375	Second year: Attending cases 300; primary 200
Total number of lasers/PDT = 3,545/97	Total number of ICGs = 19	Total: Attending cases 600; primary 350
Total number of injections ≈ 24,475		

ABOUT THE FELLOWSHIP

Founded in 2002, Midwest Retina (MWR) has grown quickly into the largest retina-only private practice in Central Ohio. MWR is excited to offer a two-year comprehensive fellowship in vitreoretinal diseases and surgery beginning July, 2021 and ending July, 2023. After rotating with seven physicians that come from a variety of different training backgrounds, the fellow will have gained a broad experience and feel comfortable managing cases from the simple to the most complex. In addition, two physicians each have additional fellowship experience/interest in the treatment of uveitis and in the treatment of pediatric vitreoretinal conditions.

CLINICAL RESPONSIBILITIES

- Rotations – Fellow will rotate amongst faculty every 8 weeks
- Weekly – At least two days full OR days with clinic on the remaining days
- Practice Call (Retina Only) – q2 week call, fellows split the holidays; always attending back-up
- No fellow injection clinics
- Moonlighting Opportunity at Grant Hospital
- No travelling to satellite offices, only 4 main offices in Columbus Metro Area

IN-HOUSE EDUCATION, RESEARCH, CONFERENCES

- Monthly case conference at the board meeting
- Quarterly journal club/Surgical webinar
- Research/Clinical Studies
 - Encourage a project to be presented at a national meeting and published
 - Sub-investigator on multiple clinical studies
 - Useful if fellow decides to be PI in future practice
 - Current Studies
 - YOSEMITE – Roche - DME
 - PANDA – Conbercept - AMD
 - LUCERNE – Roche - AMD
 - KINGFISHER – Novartis - DME
 - PAGODA – Roche – DME
 - PULSAR – Regeneron – AMD
 - PHOTON – Regeneron – DME
 - RHONE-X – Roche – DME
 - AVONELLE-X – Roche - AMD
- National Meetings
 - First Year Fellows have the opportunity to attend Mass. Eye and Ear Course, Duke Course, and ARVO
 - Second Year Fellows have the opportunity to attend ASRS, AAO, and Fellows Forum
 - Reimbursement for travel if the fellow presents

COMPENSATION AND BENEFITS

Salary

- PGY-5 and PGY-6 commensurate with OSU GME
 - PGY 5 – \$65,774; PGY 6 – \$67,825

Benefits

- Credentialing and Licensing – Application fees and dues covered
- Personal Liability Coverage – Provided, Occurrence Based
- Health Insurance – High Deductible plan with HSA, MWR pays premiums
- Dental Insurance – MWR pays premiums
- Paid Time-Off – 2 weeks (personal and meeting time)
 - Additional time if extraneous circumstance
- 9 Paid Holidays (Offices Closed)

RETINA ATTENDING

- Sugat Patel, MD
- Lou Chorich, MD
- Dino Klisovic, MD
- Lisa Borkowski, MD
- Dominic Buzzacco, MD
- Johnstone Kim, MD
- Vishal Parikh, MD

PRIOR FELLOWS

- Dominic Buzzacco MD, 2012-2014
Midwest Retina, Columbus, OH
- Henry Holt MD, 2015-2017
Retina of Coastal Carolina, Willmington, NC
- Ana Suelves MD, PhD 2017-2019
Ohio State University, Columbus, OH

CURRENT FELLOW

- Dallin Andersen MD, 2020-2022