

Overview of DSC Observership Programs

	General Observership	Personalized Learning Program	Virtual Learning Program	Executive Personalized Learning Program
Participating Divisions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Psychosocial Oncology • Palliative Care • Cancer Rehab and Survivorship 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Psychosocial Oncology • Palliative Care • Cancer Rehab and Survivorship 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Psychosocial Oncology • Palliative Care • Cancer Rehab and Survivorship 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Psychosocial Oncology • Palliative Care • Cancer Rehab and Survivorship
Intended Learner	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Palliative Care students, trainees and practising physicians • Psychiatry students, trainees and practising psychiatrists • Nursing students, trainees and practising advanced practice nurses • Allied Health students, trainees and practising professionals in the following areas: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Social Work ○ Occupational Therapy ○ Neuropsychology ○ Psychology ○ Music Therapy ○ Art Therapy ○ Physiotherapy ○ Health and Wellness ○ Massage Therapy ○ Kinesiology 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Palliative Care students, trainees and practising physicians • Psychiatry students, trainees and practising psychiatrists • Nursing students, trainees and practising advanced practice nurses • Allied Health students, trainees and practising professionals in the following areas: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Social Work ○ Occupational Therapy ○ Neuropsychology ○ Psychology ○ Music Therapy ○ Art Therapy ○ Physiotherapy ○ Health and Wellness ○ Massage Therapy ○ Kinesiology 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Palliative Care students, trainees and practising physicians • Psychiatry students, trainees and practising psychiatrists • Nursing students, trainees and practising advanced practice nurses • Allied Health students, trainees and practising professionals in the following areas: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Social Work ○ Occupational Therapy ○ Neuropsychology ○ Psychology ○ Music Therapy ○ Art Therapy ○ Physiotherapy ○ Health and Wellness ○ Massage Therapy ○ Kinesiology 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Palliative Care physicians • Psychiatrists • Advanced practice nurses • Allied Health professionals in the following areas: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Social Work ○ Occupational Therapy ○ Neuropsychology ○ Psychology ○ Music Therapy ○ Art Therapy ○ Physiotherapy ○ Health and Wellness ○ Massage Therapy ○ Kinesiology
Program Goals	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Allow learners to observe relevant program activities (i.e., education rounds) • Provide opportunity for career sampling • Allow learners to meet with program staff 	<p>Same goals as General Observership, plus:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provide opportunity for learners to address specific learning objectives • Provide access to desired scheduled clinical and educational activities 	<p>Same goals as General Observership, plus:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provide opportunity for learners address specific learning objectives <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provide access to desired scheduled clinical and educational activities 	<p>Same goals as Virtual Learning Program, plus:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provide opportunity for learners to gain knowledge and familiarity with practice implementation issues in specific topics

Key Features	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Observership orientation • Job shadowing • Access to library • Access to clinical/education rounds 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Observership orientation • Job shadowing • Access to library • Access to clinical/education rounds • Access to UHN educational course offerings • Customized learning plan • Opportunity to present at education rounds • UHN Michener Certificate of Completion 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Virtual Observership orientation • Virtual job shadowing • Access to virtual clinical/education rounds • Access to UHN educational course offerings • Customized learning plan • Opportunity to present at education rounds • UHN Michener Certificate of Completion 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Observership orientation • Job shadowing • Access to library • Access to clinical/education rounds • Access to UHN educational course offerings • Customized learning plan • Opportunity to present at education rounds • UHN Michener Certificate of Completion • Immersion in departmental activities • Regular individual didactic teachings
Recommended Duration	Maximum 2 weeks	1 week to 3 months	1 week to 3 months	3 to 6 months