



**Oral & Maxillofacial Surgery Residency  
(Four-Year Program)  
Gainesville**

**Program Director**

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**Program Description**

The University of Florida Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery Department located in Gainesville is offering a four-year OMFS/non-MD degree residency program which accepts one candidate per year. The program is fully accredited by the American Dental Association's Council on Dental Education and follows the guidelines of the American Association of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeons. Training involves the full range and scope of the specialty, including facial trauma, orthognathic surgery, temporomandibular joint surgery, preprosthetic surgery, dental implants, facial aesthetic surgery, reconstructive surgery, microneurosurgery, head and neck oncology and craniofacial surgery.

The program includes a minimum 30 months of oral and maxillofacial surgery, 6 months of anesthesia/ICU, and selected internal medicine and general surgery rotations that meet the requirements of the Council on Dental Accreditation. All residents are eligible to sit for the American Board of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery examination after successfully completing the program.

All program applicants must apply through PASS (Postdoctoral Application Support Service), which is sponsored by the American Association of Dental Schools. PASS is an application clearinghouse that provides uniform information to participating programs while relieving applicants of the burden of completing multiple individual applications. Participation in the PASS program is mandatory.

Additionally, our residency program participates in the Postdoctoral Dental Matching Program. This program provides a computerized service that matches preferred applicants to their desired program. Participation in this service is also mandatory by contractual agreement.

**The four-year oral and maxillofacial surgery residency is structured as follows:**

**First Year**

Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery 4 months  
Internal Medicine Rotations 4 months  
Anesthesia 4 months

**Second Year**

Anesthesia/ICU 2 month  
General Surgery Rotations 4 months  
Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery 6 months

**Third Year**

Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery 12 months

**Fourth Year**

Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery 12 months

**Stipends** are paid for all four years of the program, are determined on a yearly basis and equal that of all other PGY 1-4 medical and surgical residents at the University of Florida.

To receive an application or additional program information please **write to:**

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